



**SAUK COUNTY**  
PARKS + RECREATION

March 1, 2023

**Snowmobile Trail Improvements  
Clarifying Questions - Responses**

- 1. Do you need anything other than page 16 for an official bid on the snowmobile trail improvement project?**  
We just need Part 5 (page 16) submitted.
- 2. What is the estimated construction budget?**  
The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources awarded us a grant in the amount of \$40,000, which includes construction, any permitting, staff time, etc.
- 3. Is the construction timeframe flexible?**  
The construction could start anytime after March 21, 2023 and would need to be completed by November 30, 2023.
- 4. How do we submit bids?**  
Bids must be addressed to Jekka Alt, Sauk County Parks, S7995 White Mound Drive, Hillpoint, WI 53937. The words "SNOWMOBILE TRAIL IMPROVEMENTS" must be clearly marked on the sealed envelope.
- 5. When would I know when the bids are approved?**  
The Sauk County Land Resources and Environment Committee will discuss the bids received on March 9, 2023. If they award a bid, the Sauk County Board of Supervisors would approve on March 21, 2023. Please visit our website at <https://www.co.sauk.wi.us/rfps> after the bid opening on March 2, 2023 for a list of bids received.
- 6. Can you send me a list of bids received?**  
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- 7. What are the reasons for the trail improvements?**  
The trail travels on a hillside, causing severe erosion. Because of this erosion, the snowmobile trail groomer is not able to make it up the hill and it also creates a safety concern for trail riders.
- 8. If brush is to be cut, can we leave that in the woods?**  
Yes, brush may be left in the woods. Staff will be available for clarification.
- 9. If fill is needed, where is your existing stockpile within the park?**  
Fill is available near our shop, located towards the southwest area of White Mound County Park.

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