August Newsletter:

Greetings:

On the 13<sup>th</sup> of August, the Iowa Airstream Club will meet at 11:00 am at the Pizza Ranch in Newton.

The first order of the meeting is to vote on the amendment to the Constitution of the Club. The amendment is set forth as follows:

## Amendment Section 7 of Article III:

"A co-owner, defined as one of two WBCCI members who own a single Airstream recreational vehicle and where each pays International and Club dues, shall be deemed to include the spouses or partners of each co-owner. Each shall have all the rights and privileges of membership, including voting."

The second order of the meeting is to approve the nomination of officers and directors. Since the notice was sent, two additional nominations appear:

Nominations for September 10, 2022 Election

President	Chuck Cabalka
First Vice President	Mike Donahue
Second Vice President	not filled
Recording Secretary	Nancy Helle
Corresponding Secretary	Doris Jean Cabalka
Treasurer	Kathy Allen
Director 2021 - 2023	Mark Kvidera
Director 2021 - 2023	Pat Dellamuth
Director 2022 - 2024	John Heckman
Director 2022 - 2024	Hobe Darbyshire

The election will be held at the rally on September 8 - 11 at the Upper Iowa Resort in the Driftless Region of Iowa.

The complete agenda for the September Rally will be set forth in the September Newsletter, however, a summary of the activities appears below in this newsletter.

Friday, the 9<sup>th</sup>, we will travel to Lansing and visit the Driftless Center which is the Education and Visitor Center of the Allamakee County Conservation Board. The Center features a Museum and we will watch a thirty minute video of the Driftless Region of Iowa. The word "Driftless" refers

to northeast Iowa, southeast Minnesota and western Wisconsin where the glaciers did not level the earth. The geography has been preserved for thousands of years.

We will have lunch at Sheps restaurant on the Mississippi River. Next, we will visit and shop in Lansing. There are some interesting stores. This list includes 'Horsfalls' which is one of the best 100 places to visit in Iowa according to one travel book. For more adventure you can view the Mississippi from Mt Hosmer.

The travel routes between the campground and Lansing are worth attending this Rally. There are other touring routes and back roads that I can recommend. Your Rally Hosts will provide you with a road map of Allamakee County if you want to strike out on your own.

In the September Newsletter, I will give travel direction. For example, the railroad crossing at Postville is very rough. There is a Caseys in most towns en route, but Postville Caseys has the most camper friendly site. Everyone must plan on going through West Union because it is the only beginning route to the campground.

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