

**Trails Committee**  
**March Regular Meeting**

Wednesday 3/1/17, 5:30pm, City Hall, Room 303

Any questions, contact Bill Dyer, Trails Committee Chairman, 203-668-8707

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**AGENDA**

1. 5:30 pm Call to Order / Pledge of Allegiance
2. Approve Minutes of the February meeting
3. Public Portion (items not on agenda)
4. Membership Issues – New member keys
5. Recent Trails Activities – The contractor completed placing process material on the Rec Path from Pine Lake to the Dog Park; awaiting the City to roll the path and for boulders to be placed to block vehicles from entering. Several tree-falls reported by the public and our members have been removed from trails. The Mayor is supportive of a bridge across the Far Mill River.
6. Projects planned for the near future
  - a. 2017 Shelton Trails Lollipop Challenge – Issues
  - b. Discuss plan to rebuild the cement support benches and locations.
  - c. Discuss Town Center at Shelter Ridge Project (121 acre development on Bridgeport Ave.) and impact on Paugussett Trail extension.
  - d. Bridge over Boehm stream
  - e. Issues with electric utility contractors impacting Shelton trails.
  - f. Relocation of the Paugussett Trail at Indian Well
  - g. Lane Street bridge replacement impact on Rec Path
  - h. 2016 Trails Summary of activities and accomplishment
7. Guided Hikes/Events – Publicity and logistics
  - a. March 5<sup>th</sup> – Marshmallow March
  - b. June 3<sup>rd</sup> – National Trails Day, paper work in?
  - c. What more can we do to better publicize our events?
8. Potential Work Party – Review progress and schedule during meeting
  - a. Bridge over Boehm stream
  - b. Relocate the Paugussett trails off the Waicek meadow.
  - c. Additional Rec Path vegetation clearing, Silent Waters Dam, other
  - d. Paugussett Trail stairs replacement
  - e. Upgrade kiosks
  - f. Other?
9. Equipment and Expenses
  - a. Equipment to be maintained and winter storage of power equipment –
  - b. Items to be bought for volunteers –
  - c. Expenses to submit – must be less than \$100.
10. Eagle Scout Projects – Planned and Potential
  - a. Re-route of a portion of the Paugussett Trail
  - b. Riverview stairs
  - c. Improvements at Hope Lake for fishing
  - d. Discuss other projects and candidates.
11. Comments by members
12. Adjournment until next regularly scheduled meeting April 5, 2017