

**Trails Committee**  
**October Regular Meeting**

Wednesday 10/3/2018, 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 September meeting
3. Public Portion (items not on agenda) –
4. Membership Issues –
5. Recent Trails Activities – Work Parties: Paugussett Trail from Meadow Street to the Rec Path and the Rec Path/Basil Brook from Lane Street to Great Ledge, Jim and Mark started on the canoe/kayak launch and mowed numerous trails, damage assessment from the significant rain events, and Full Moon Hike
6. Projects planned for the near future
  - a. Shelton Day plan
  - b. Effort to repair the Rec Path washouts.
  - c. Thoreau Dr. work, neighbor dumping, Ct Trails Conference, Rt 110 milling.
  - d. Report on American Chestnut Tree on Lane Street Extension/Rec Path
  - e. Trail Monitoring program – Generating timely reports of downed trees and other trails issues – Working well
  - f. Shelter Ridge Project – Status
  - g. Encourage hikers to participate in storm cleanup and personal trail maintenance
7. Guided Hikes/Events – Publicity and logistics
  - a. Shelton Day Booth, Sunday, October 7
  - b. Buddington Loop Hike, Saturday, October 20, Buddington Parking, 3:00 pm
  - c. Turkey Trot Hike, Sunday, November 25, TTT, 1:00 pm
8. Potential Work Party – Review progress and confirm schedule during meeting
  - a. Trail cleanup – Oak Valley, Tahmore, Buddington to Dog Park
  - b. Cleaning and reorganizing the barn
  - c. More trail cleanup
  - d. Upgrade kiosks
  - e. Other?
9. Equipment and Expenses
  - a. Equipment to be maintained
  - b. Items to be bought for volunteers – Anything new?
  - c. Expenses to submit – must be less than \$100.
10. Eagle Scout Projects – Planned and Potential
  - a. Basil Brook Bypass improvements
  - 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 November 7, 2018