

Trails Committee
November Regular Meeting

Wednesday 11/7/2018, 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 October meeting
3. Public Portion (items not on agenda) –
4. Membership Issues –
5. Recent Trails Activities – Work Parties: Both scheduled events were rained out, but some individuals did considerable work during the month. The major effort in October was the repair of the Rec Path washouts by Dan and Dave Construction and subsequent rolling by Parks and Rec. Trail Committee members greatly supported the effort by directing the outside workers to the appropriate locations, by filling in some of the small washouts, cleaning out drain pipes, and creating drainage ditches along the trail. The Buddington Loop guided hike was a success with 21 people and 4 dogs.
6. Projects planned for the near future
 - a. Thoreau Dr. work, neighbor dumping, Ct Trails Conference, Rt 110 milling.
 - b. Report on Lane Street Extension/Rec Path
 - c. Trail Monitoring program – Generating timely reports of downed trees and other trails issues – Working well
 - d. Shelter Ridge Project – Status
 - e. Encourage hikers to participate in storm cleanup and personal trail maintenance
7. Guided Hikes/Events – Publicity and logistics
 - a. Turkey Trot Hike, Sunday, November 25, TTT, 1:00 pm
 - b. Other?
8. Potential Work Party – Review progress and confirm schedule during meeting
 - a. Trail cleanup – Oak Valley, Tahmore, Turkey Trot
 - 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 December 5, 2018