

Trails Committee
January Regular Meeting

Wednesday 1/9/2019, 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 December meeting
3. Public Portion (items not on agenda) –
4. Membership Issues –
5. Recent Trails Activities – Work Parties: Due to Christmas, only one work party was scheduled – A good group of volunteers met at the end of Oak Valley Road and clear vegetation on both sides of the Great Ledge section of the Rec Path. Due to safety concerns, a smaller group dug trenches and repaired the Rec Path on both sides of the Dog Park driveway. The Gator tire was repaired by Professional Tire at no cost. We got Jose the hours he needed and have another man needing hours.
6. Projects planned for the near future
 - a. Review 2018 activities and establish 2019 goals
 - b. Remove the cement support from the Hope Lake island
 - c. Create path of Pearmain Loop via flagging
 - d. Big Loop re-naming (Monton, Shelmon) and status
 - e. Trails lost and found items
 - f. Connectivity between the Trails Blog and Facebook
 - g. Shelter Ridge Project – Status
 - h. Encourage hikers to participate in storm cleanup and personal trail maintenance
7. Guided Hikes/Events – Publicity and logistics
 - a. Time to schedule 2019 guided hikes
 - b. Marshmallow March, Wildflower, National Trails Day, Full Moon Hike(s), TTT Hike, Kayaking Event?
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. Upgrade kiosks
 - d. Other?
9. Equipment and Expenses
 - a. Equipment to be maintained – Gator antifreeze
 - 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. Pearmain Loop clearing
 - b. Basil Brook Bypass improvements
 - c. Riverview stairs
 - d. Improvements at Hope Lake for fishing
 - e. Discuss other projects and candidates.
11. Comments by members
12. Adjournment until next regularly scheduled meeting February 6, 2019