

**Trails Committee
May Regular Meeting**

Wednesday 5/1/2019, 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 April meeting
3. Public Portion (items not on agenda) –
4. Membership Issues –
5. Recent Trails Activities – Work Parties: Due to rain, we only had one work party in April at the intersection of the Rec Path and Turkey Trot Trail to improve the drainage. The two drain pipes were found and cleared of debris. A new catch basin was installed to replace the broken one. A ditch was dug along the uphill side to channel the water into the drain pipes and water bars constructed on the TTT. The new brochure was received from the printer and looks great. The Lane Street Bridge replacement has begun and Engineering put on notice about concerns for Rec Path safety.
6. Projects planned for the near future
 - a. Create path of Pearmain Loop via flagging - status
 - b. Develop formal procedure as to how to cancel events due to weather
 - c. Riverview Bluff Walk cleanup
 - d. Shelter Ridge Project – Status
 - e. Status of Trail Monitor Program
7. Guided Hikes/Events – Publicity and logistics
 - a. Wildflower, National Trails Day, Full Moon Hike(s), TTT Hike, Kayaking Event?
8. Potential Work Party – Review progress and confirm schedule during meeting
 - a. Create a loop trail west of Boehm brook
 - b. Riverview Park
 - c. Cleaning and reorganizing the barn
 - d. Upgrade kiosks
 - e. Other?
9. Equipment and Expenses
 - a. Equipment to be maintained –
 - b. Items to be bought for volunteers
 - c. Expenses to submit – must be less than \$100.
10. Eagle Scout Projects – Planned and Potential
 - a. Pearmain Loop clearing
 - b. Paugussett Trail Bridge between Shelton and Monroe
 - c. Basil Brook Bypass improvements
 - d. Riverview stairs
 - e. Improvements at Hope Lake for fishing
 - f. Discuss other projects and candidates.
11. Comments by members
12. Adjournment until next regularly scheduled meeting June 5, 2019