

Wilmington Trails Committee

Minutes for May 12, 2016

Present: John Greene, *chair*; Crista Gannon, *vice president*; Ann Ottaviano, *recording secretary*; *alternates* John Gannon and Jake White.

Absent: Joe Arnold, Bob Fisher, Spencer Crispe and *alternate* Tim Hunt.

Meeting called to order at 6 p.m.

Changes to the Agenda:

1. Crista Gannon will notify the Chamber, schools and the Deerfield Valley News about the events scheduled for June 4th, National Trails Day.
2. We reviewed the schedule and activities for Trail Days. Spencer Crispe will lead the Hoot, Toot and Whistle Trail hike, Tim Hunt will lead the Mountain Bike Ride from Hogback, Mike Purcell will lead the hike behind Twin Valley Elementary School and Gina Sarlo will be in charge of the Mount Snow Hiking.
3. Ann Ottaviano will deliver trail maps to the Chamber and Zoar.
4. Crista will check on the delivery date for additional maps.

Approve Minutes: John Greene moved to accept the Minutes for April 14, 2016, Crista Gannon seconded, all approved.

Update on the Valley Trail: The affidavits have been sent to the Natural Resources Board. Hopefully, they will see this as adequate evidence that the trail pre-existed Act 250. Jake White reported that Lewis Tree Service was doing work for Green Mountain Power Co. in the vicinity of the power lines and the trail is in poor shape from their trucks. Jake spoke to people at the power company, hopefully they will repair said area.

Update on Other Trails:

1. Hoot, Toot and Whistle Trail has been cleared by Jake White. He will look into P on the Moover property for the connector trail.
2. Spencer Crispe and Tim Hunt have been working on the Primitive and Raponda Trails. John Greene will exam a recent blowdown on the Primitive Trail.
3. Four Wheelers have been spotted on trails. Need more signs and people should report the 4 wheelers to the police.

Meeting adjourned at 6:40

Next Meeting: Thursday, June 14, 2016 in the Town Meeting Room at 6 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Ann Ottaviano
Recording secretary