

Trail Committee Meeting – February 01, 2018

Attendance – Keith Silver, Steve Rothman, Betsy Taylor-Kennedy, Winslow Green, Andrew Schaubhut, Jeff Bryan, Bob Roemer

Agenda Items

1) Conservation agenda Items

- 1) Rebecca Longvall was called away, so no update from her
- 2) Reported on status of Houghton Farm/Zink-Northwoods discussion with NE Power, appears to be progressing slowly.
- 3) Discussion of state grant processes – need a list for 2018, discussion of parking area, ADA compliance, review with the Concom. JLB to take the lead.
- 4) Guided Hikes – discussion need recommendations.
- 5) Invasive species days – discussion about Japanese Knotweed - ways to control, - there is a invasive species day scheduled for **Fyfeshire**. No details.
- 6) Follow up with Rebecca on the GIS and Open Space Report.

2) Group email accounts update

- a) links – discussion, and updated links for reporting issues from the public on the trails.

3) Cloud Storage

- a) Discussion on the recommendation – reach out to IT
- b) Trail projects list
- c) Concom container inventory – discuss with rebecca

4) Trail Sign Inventory discussion on how to use the Fusion data base – some training needed for edit privileges – (?)

- 5) No Outlet signs for rattlesnake – JLB has the documents - dropping of Monday at Town Hall for Laminate for short term applications- Jeff B – to install week of 02/05
 - a) Discussion of chain saw compliance – other than the safety course – Bob R lead the discussion about usage and how to implement.
- 6) Property updates
 - a) Powder Hill - new trail signs needed in middle of property
 - b) Zink –Northwoods -- missing sign at corn road (fallen tree was cut up with no sign around)
 - c) Vaughn Hill – written plan for the “ Mud Crossing” needed
 - i) There is some tree work needed when the weather gets better
volunteers needed
- 7) Community event suggestions – Earth day (Apr 22), Trails Day (Jun 2), Guided Tours promoting needed