

TOWN OF SOMERS
Open Space and Trails Committee
Meeting Minutes
Monday, March 20, 2017, 7:00PM
Town Hall Lower Conference Room

I. Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Ann Moses at 7:06PM

II. Members Present:

Ann Moses, Barbara Anderson, Patrice Carson, Andy Phillips, Wes Smith, Chris Boucher and Todd Rolland

III. Audience:

Monty Moses, Jack Ford

IV. Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes:

Motion by Patrice Carson to approve the 02/27/17 Minutes as written, seconded by Wes Smith, motion carried.

V. Correspondence:

None

VI. OSTC Project Plan Review: Ann Moses updated the plan, all members have been emailed a copy

- 1.3 National Trails Weekend hike date is set for June 3rd with Albie hosting,
- 2.1 Ann will attend the next Rotary meeting to present plaque to thank Rotary for donation for Lake Side trail bridges,
- 2.2 Eagle Scout project, Rotary might be able to help with cost of items needed for Kiosk. DPW will install footings,
- 2.4 Amphitheater will remain as ongoing maintenance
- 2.5 Looking for Volunteers for project on the east of Camp Road. Andy Phillips may take on project to fulfill scout master requirements.
- 3.4 North / South Forest View Trail, bridge work will wait until the dry season in August. Reddington Rock Riding Club will have a work party to clear the trails before June 3 hike.
- 4.0 Mark / clear parking area on County Road for Bald Mnt loop. This is a sensitive area with residences on both sides trimming is to be done gently to open up trail head by small party of volunteers.

VII. Old Business

Pat Boudreau has moved out of town and has resigned. If needed, the committee will recommend new member(s) to the Board of Selectman for consideration in November.

Patrice and Chris are working on creating a page on the website for OSTC. Chris shared a sample and will be sent a link to the committee

VIII. New Business

Plans for spring projects were discussed. Construction of the two trail bridges on the South Forest View trail has been moved to the dry season in August.

VIII. Next Meeting

Monday April 17th, 2017 @7:00 pm

IX. Adjournment

8:10 pm, Motion to adjourn by Patrice Carson, second by Wes Smith, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Anderson,
Vice Chairperson