

Barrington Trails Committee Minutes (Draft)

Barrington Elementary School Conference Room
October 10, 2017

Meeting was called to order at 7:10 p.m.

Present: Chair Charlie Tatham, John Wallace, Zac Stone, Marika Wilde

Minutes of September 12, 2017: John made motion to accept minutes as written; Zac seconded motion; minutes approved as written.

Old Business:

* John suggested sending Thank You note to Dave Smith for donation of tools for Town Work Sessions; Charlie to send card.

Updates:

* Calef Parking lot: John met Mark Jacobs at potential parking lot; Mark said there were no jurisdictional wetlands; he will write a letter to be presented to the Planning Board accordingly.

* Town Forest Work Session: On Sun., Oct.1, Doug Winter, Charlie Tatham, Denis Beaulieu and John Wallace put up a new sign at the entrance and worked on bridge and on other areas. Horses are not allowed. Marika will send out photos of work session to the Hikes List with John's write up of it.

* SATWaSR: New Cedar blazes have been put up for Cedar Swamp Road.

* "Weekend Walkabout" on Sat., Oct.14, Anne Melvin to lead it on SATWaSR on Tibbets Rd and on Rabbitat, Cedar Swamp and Cottontail Trails.

New Business:

* "All Events in City" newsletter wants to post our Hikes; will charge fee; Trails Committee decided "No, just ignore them!"

* "Weekend Walkabouts" for Nov. 11 and Dec. 9; John or Denis will lead hikes; New Years Eve: John will lead hike; all locations TBA.

Work Sessions:

* Newhall bridge the most urgent; Charlie has materials; Work date for bridge TBA; John asked re: \$500 budget; still have some funds.

* Discussed new signs for Tibbets Road and others on SATWaSR.

* Calef Bog Bridge: Charlie has materials; DES must give approval as is wetland; Charlie to send email to group requesting help.

* Scout Bridge on SATWaSR: use uprights to add railing and to make bridge narrower to keep ATV's out.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

Next Meeting: Nov. 14; Charlie will not be available; John will Chair meeting (?)

Respectfully submitted,
Marika Wilde