

Barrington Trails
Meeting Minutes 11/15/2022

The Barrington Trails Committee meeting on 11/15/22 was held at the new Barrington Town Hall. The meeting was held on the third Tuesday because the second Tuesday was voting day. Several members of the committee were working at the polls. The meeting was called to order at 6:35 PM.

Present: John Wallace, Ted Bergeron , Jack Gale, Betsy Heron , Anne Melvin

Minutes of 10/11/22 were approved as amended.

Old Business:

Adoption and posting of the Trail Trekker detailed requirements were given to Jack to implement. It was moved by Jack and seconded by Betsy to accept the changes.

Liberty Mutual volunteer days May 1-12 possible projects were discussed. The consensus was that making a new trail system behind the new Town Hall would be a good project. However, in order to proceed we need to find out from Conner if monumentation is done on this property as we would not want to make a trail on someone else's property. Jack will ask Conner.

Some maps are in need of updating and then added to the ConComm website: Calef West, overall trail/conservation map, Jeffery trails.

The Moonlight Walk will be on Friday 2/3 weather permitting.

The December Weekend Walkabout on 12/10 will be led by Jack on Jeb's Jaunt. This year he will be a Christmas squirrel. January hike TBD.

The BMS Technologies class was asked if they would be interested in making Aldo Leopold benches but have not replied.

Anne will ask the Con Comm if its ok to ask Conner if he could authorize plowing of our trailhead parking lots in the winter.

Trail Trekker for dogs was discussed and consensus was to publicize it in the Spring.

We discussed the Village Place HOA plan to make a trail behind their houses that would connect with the existing Village Place Trail. John stated he hoped it would adhere to best trailmaking practices that protect the environment.

Next meeting: 12/13/22

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Melvin, Secretary