

GMF TRAILS COMMITTEE MEETING

March 9, 2017- Mucky Duck Restaurant- 6 pm

MINUTES

1. Meeting Called to Order by Chairman Dick Bratton at 6:04 PM.
Attendance: Rocco Blasi, Dick Bratton, RJ Brown, Claudia Eley, Mike Lohman, Tom McCormick, Jan smith, Lisa Townsend
3. Agenda Approved. M/S Basi/Eley. Passed 8-0
4. Minutes of last meeting (Feb 9, 2017) approved. M/S Eley/Lohman. Passed 8-0
5. Public Input- Items not on Agenda- None..
6. **PROGRESS**
Committee Member Appointments by Town Board of Trustees
At the GMF Town Board Meeting on Feb 21: The Board of Trustees voted unanimously to appoint the following for an additional 2 year term on the Trails Committee: Blasi, Brown, Eley, Lohman, McCormick. In addition, the Board voted unanimously to appoint the following to the Committee: Mike Christianson and Lisa Townsend to fill two vacancies. Welcome aboard !
7. **TRAILS WEBSITE**- Mike Lohman reported on latest updates and use.
8. **Election of Committee Officers-**
Elected Chairman- Dick Bratton 8-0
Elected Vice Chairman- Rocco Blasi 8-0
9. **WORK PLAN & SCHEDULE for 2017**-One correction- National Trails Day is on Sep 30.
10. **DESIGN for Conn Trail Repairs**- Field measurements will be taken 10 AM on March 17.
11. **Mile High Youth Corps Site Visit 9 AM Mar 22.** Gordon Wines volunteered to lead the trail inspection.
12. **Planning for Dewey Extension Work Day #3**
13. **TO DO LIST**
VOC/OSI Trail Design Training 13-14 May
Prepare for Trails Work Day #1 May 20- Repair Conn Trail
Prepare for Mount Dewey Trail Extension (Phase 3)
Prepare Hiker Map revisions to incorporate Mt Dewey Extension
Install additional trail signage- Mt Dewey and Boulder Street.
Participate in the design process for the Ute Pass Trail Regional Trail.
Mount Dewey Trail- Recommend location of benches
Obtain Easement for Red Devil Mountain Trail
14. **OTHER- TRAILS MAPS**- Last summer, the Committee purchased and gave out over 1,600 maps at a cost of \$1,952. Maps are available at trailheads and local businesses, post office, and Town Hall. New maps have been redesigned to include new trails and 2,000 copies have been ordered.
M/S Eley/Lohman To recommend to HGMFFF that the new Dewey Mountain extension be named the "Bratton" Trail. Passed 8-0.
15. **NEXT MEETING**- Suggest **THURS April 13, 2017- Mucky Duck 6 PM**
16. Adjournment. 6:28 PM.

ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

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