

TRAILS COMMITTEE MINUTES 7/10/18

Members attending: Margaret Russell, Laurie Thompson, John Lemanek, David Ziegelman, Christine Cowart, Guest: Ethan McLaughlin.

- David Ziegelman recording for this meeting

Current Action Items:

- Dog poop bag research. Two Charlotte Town Link Trail (CTLT) Benches. Ajat, has moved for summer to NYC. Laurie will reach out to Ajat.

Next Work Day August 11th 8:30 am. Meet at flea market. Will work on trails in town forest from flea market to Burns property. Place orange trail signs on trees and a few posts on grassy areas to Burns and on to Old Lantern, Frost land. Will need to advertise on front porch forum.

Town Link Trail Underpass Section Celebration. Planned for Saturday 8th at 11am - 1pm with ribbon cutting at 12 noon. Each trails member will bring finger food. 3 tables, Mike Russell will arrange music. Presenters Clark Hinsdale, Margaret and Laurie. Invitation by FPF, Charlotte News and by email to other town committee members, friends of trails. Laurie designed an invitation. Christine and Laurie will help to distribute. Print up fliers. Tours available at time of celebration.

Review of Selectboard meeting. Laurie and Margaret presented. Reviewed need for State Park Road section to be completed for safety. Proposed building trail after bids taken for approximately \$100,000. This would be a less permanent spec than the VTrans grant proposal. Will apply for State Parks grant for \$40k, Trails has \$67k available in committee fund. If grant not successful will ask for \$35k from town.

Action Items:

- Laurie and Christine to send out invites for Charlotte TLT Underpass section Celebration.
- Margaret to walk Mack farm with Robert Mack to review existing trail easement and optimal siting for trail
- David to contact Little League to get OK for using their parking lot for TLT Celebration on 9/8.
- David to Contact Dean about getting 3 tables for the TLT Celebration.
- Ethan is interested in joining trails. He will contact Dean Bloch to let him know.
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to him to find out status.

- Notice in FPF and Charlotte News about workday on August 11th. ???
- Margaret to notify Gojacks and Frosts about trail workday and discuss where best to place signs for trail.