

SHARED USED TRAILS AGENDA

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MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, February 14, 2017 4:15 pm Civic Centre

Present: M. Reckahn, Penokean Hills Field Naturalists Acting Chair

L. Gelineau, Snowmobile Club

J. Hall, Penokean Hills Field Naturalists

D. Rees, Snowmobile ClubR. Tellier, Coureurs de BoisA. Turner, Coureurs de Bois

B. Ralph, Resource

M. Dean, Cross Country Ski Club

Regrets: C. Martin, Chair

D. Brunet, Mount Dufour Ski Area

L. Cyr, Member/Councillor

D. Marchisella, Ex Officio/MayorP. Shipman, Cross Country Ski Club

D. Berthelot, ResourceJ. Bertrand, ResourceD. Brown, ResourceJ. Johnston, Resource

Resources: J. Labreche, Secretary

W. Rowland, Director of Community Services

A. Ewald, Denison Environmental T. MacDonald, Algoma Health Unit

Others Present: C. Nykyforak, Councillor

C. Croxon

1. ROLL CALL

Res#: 05/17

Moved By: A.Turner Seconded By: J. Hall

That M. Reckahn fill the positon of acting chair for this meeting.

Carried

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 4:15pm.

2. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

3. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS

3.1 January 24, 2017

Res#:06/17

Moved By: A. Turner Seconded By: J. Hall

That the minutes of January 24, 2017 be received as read.

Carried

- 4. PUBLIC PRESENTATION
- 5. INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF CORPORATE REPORTS
- 6. PRESENTATION OF COMMITTEE REPORTS
- 7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
 - 7.1 Memorial Bench Policy

Staff will review.

8. CORRESPONDENCE

8.1 Members Group Activity Reports

Coureurs des Bois

Volunteering at Winterfest March 4, 2017. Family snowshoe stroll March 4 10am - 2pm.

Cleared Helens Trail.

Continuing hikes.

Cross Country Ski Club

AGM Meeting the end of January.

February 4 went to Blind River for lantern skiing at the Boom Camp.

Penokean Hills Field Naturalists

Saturday Walks continue numbers are down as members are away for winter or don't like going out in cold weather.

Since trails at Sheriff Creek Sanctuary are well used, a path is pretty well packed down - snowshoes are not necessary.

We seem to continue to have a problem with people walking their dogs off leash. With small dogs this is not so bad, but when you have 5 or 6 large dogs charging at you, it is a bit concerning.

There were 7 members that attended the orientation put on by Denison.

Environmental. It was a good refresher for protocol on mine properties.

Our speaker for this month was David Hamlin from the MNRF Blind River office. He spoke on the role of conservation officer.

Elliot Lake Snowmobile Club

Posted the Welcome to Elliot Lake Core signs at key points on our trails, could use a few more. Put Elliot Water Falls signs to show direction and some names of lakes. Still more to do.

Major breakdown with one of the groomers, currently have a rental till it is fixed. Broke down on the other side of the Marchland Bridge. We were able to work with S. Fabris, he came out to rescue the machine with a skidder. Marchland Bridge closed due to not being able to access trail though the bog with the groomer.

Rigged up a track set on the back of a drag until the groomer gets back from repairs.

Presently grooming cross country ski trail today and the F-trail north to hwy 546. We groomed the EL3 towards Iron Bridge yesterday and the city loop.

Our fun run ride was a success, dinner at Dunlop was good, they were very happy on the success. Lots of prizes. The show your wares will be held at their own place of business.

Hoping to do a trail ride to Iron Bridge tomorrow.

We will be able to pack the lake Thursday or Friday.

8.2 Roundtable Discussion

Denison Environmental - vehicles are blocking some of their areas that require plowing or bigger vehicles to go through so they will be putting parking violations on these vehicles.

Director of Community Services - Get Trekking Elliot Lake grant was submitted.

Snowmobile Club - groomer tracking system for cross country ski area at Spine Road is not difficult to work with.

9. PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD

10. ADDENDUM

11. CLOSED SESSION

12. SCHEDULING OF NEXT MEETING

The next scheduled Shared Used Trails meeting is March 14, 2017 at 4:15pm.

13. ADJOURNMENT

Res#:07/17

Moved By: L. Gelineau

That the meeting be adjourned at the hour of 5:20.

Carried