

Friends of Wompatuck Meeting

July 19, 2021

Minutes

Meeting Called to Order. 7:00pm

1. Introductions: President Vicki Schow introduces herself as do the members and guests present.
2. Kayaks: The DCR Kayak program needs new Kayaks and life jackets. Motion: Spend up to \$1500. Unanimous
3. VP Report: Lars reports that the laminated maps will soon be in the kiosks.
4. Secretary's report: Bill mentions that he'd sent out the May minutes. **Motion:** To Accept, **Unanimous.**
5. Treasurer's Report: Doug reviewed the transactions from the last month. **Motion:** To accept. **Unanimous.**
6. Memberships Report: Sandy reported that our membership had grew by one member since our last meeting.
7. Trails: Peter and Tim reported that the trails have a lot of overgrowth a "clip & ride" will be scheduled soon. We need a new lawn mower and lots of mothballs. Ideally self-propelled. **Motion** to spend up to \$700. **Unanimous**
8. Heron Pond Deck: In need of repairs. DCR Staff will follow up.
9. Norwell Entrance: We are still waiting for a DCR permit. Norwell will start during the week on 8/2.
10. South Field Expansion: Our prior DCR permit is still valid. Work will start soon. The road leading into South Field will have to have low hanging branches cut before the fill can be delivered.
11. Landmine Classic: At this point there are no DCR Covid related restrictions. On August 1st registration will open. There will be no day of registration. There will also be a DIY options as there was last year. Hingham will provide the EMTs. The Boy Scouts will do food. There will be a cap of 700 entrants.
12. Old & New Business
 - a. Ebikes: DCR has not yet released updated regulations for eBikes.
 - b. Snowmobile Repairs: Ongoing we need a warmup stand and wasp spray. **Motion:** spend up to \$500 for repairs. **Unanimous**
 - c. Wayne: Discusses the need for step repairs at the spring as currently they are falling apart and dangerously slippery.

- d. Trail Completion Award: The idea is to recognize anyone who can demonstrate that they have explored every trail in the park. To be discussed further at the August meeting.
- e. Mt Blue Spring: No action yet on the slippery steps.
- f. Running Race: They have a DDCR permit and sponsors. They have not yet utilized and FOW funding.
- g. Kid's Pan Mass Challenge: No action yet. Will probably not happen this year.
- h. South Field Workdays will be held on 8/14.

Meeting Adjourns 8:37 PM