

**Friends of Wompatuck Meeting**  
**March 15, 2021**  
**Minutes**

**Attendees:**

Vicki Schow-President

Lars Ahlzen-Vice President

Bill Boles-Secretary

Doug Luoma-Tresurer

Sandy Cole-Membership Chair

Tim Friedmann-Trails Chair

Steve Gammon-Promotion

Peter Williams, Mark Schow, Steve Cobble, Keith Pyle, Kevin Sullivan, Matt Tobin, Lori-Ann,

Meeting Called to Order. 7:04pm

**1. Secretary Report- Motion:** To accept the February Secretary's report as posted. **Unanimous**

**2. Vice President's Report**

Lars reported that he would be updating the officers email list.

**3. Treasurer's Report**

Doug reviewed the latest figures. **Motion:** To accept. **Unanimous**

**4. Membership Report**

Sandy reports that our membership has increased to 285 households.

**5. Trails**

Tim reported that the trails were drying out. Planning for a 4/11 Trail Care Date.

**6. Doug** – We are continuing snowmobile maintenance. Grooming went really well this winter. Matt Tobin concurs.

**7. Maps** - lars reports that we are almost ready to go with the maps. A couple of trails still in question. Lori-Ann notes that we need more maps on the kiosks, especially the ones on the streets.

**8. Bunker Door 1** – Steve Gammon reports that DCR may do the door repairs. They will need a permit and the job may be done by fall.

**9. Bunker Door- 2** Steve Gammon did get estimates for the job. It would cost about \$5000. **Motion:** Authorize the expenditure of up to \$5300 if needed. **Unanimous**

**10. Wompy Warriors**

Going great! 55 kids this year, 30 coaches. So the riding groups are kept small despite the Pandemic. Two ride sessions a week. **Motion:** FOW to fund the group for up to \$2000. Money to be used for tools, tubes, water bottles and food. **Unanimous.**

**11. E-Motorcycles** – Wompatuck has been invaded by electric motorcycles. These are just like motocross motorcycles, but totally silent. Speeds attainable are up to 40MPH. If you see any, report them to Matt Tobin or park staff by text. The park cellphone will become 24-hour shortly.

**12. FOW 2021 Projects**

- a, Maps
- b, Bunker Door
- c, Americorps Bridge Fix
- d, Explore possibility of a Picture Pond trail loop.
- e, South Field Expansion: Needs holes filled will require a skid steer and more dirt.
- f, NS9 Bridge needs repair or a re-route.

**13. Trail Care** – 4/11 Trail Care Day. Projects may include: Zig Zag Bridge repairs, Container work, Pump Trail maintenance, other...

**14. Old & New Business**

- Paul Peaslee Scholarship:** Vicki reports that applications close by our next meeting date.
- Container: Doors need work
- FOW stickers for tools and next annual appeal letter.
- Appalachian Mountain Club Seminars at Wompatuck. May start 4/14 for six weeks.

Meeting adjourns: 8:42 PM

**Financial report:** To be reviewed at our April Meeting  
Friends of Wompatuck March 2021

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| Beginning Balance       | 3,823.04 |
| Receipts                |          |
| Member donations        | 62.37    |
| Total receipts          | 62.37    |
| Disbursements           |          |
| Signage Snowpatuck      | 191.62   |
| Signage Trailcare       | 33.72    |
| Total disbursements     | 225.34   |
| Ending Balance          | 3,660.07 |
| Eastern Bank Cash Mgmt. | 35,123.6 |
| Eastern Bank            | 50.00    |