

8/18/14 Minutes of Meeting

Present

Bill B. (President), Lars A. (Vice President), Jane G. (Treasurer), Steve G. (Park Supervisor), Carolanne B. (Secretary), Sandy C. (Membership Chair), Vicki S. (Webmaster/ Landmine Co-Chair), Mark S. (Landmine Co-Chair), Dave F. (Trail Care Chair), Doug, Judy, Jim, David

Number Present: - 13

Meeting convened at 7:00 PM

Minutes are presented in Agenda order

Opening Remarks President - (Bill B.)

Bill welcomed all.

Vice President's Report - (Lars A.)

Treasurer Report - (Jane G.)

Current balance in the account is \$25,315.50.

NEMBA Membership payment is due.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the report. The vote was unanimous to accept.

Webpage Report – (Vicki S.)

DCR Programs are posted on the website.

Membership Report (Sandy C.)

So far FOW has 143 entries for membership and 4 new ones on line.

A discussion about making membership lifetime was tabled until a future meeting.

Landmine Classic Update (Vicki S. and Mark S.)

All major task areas are covered with volunteers.

Volunteers can register at volunteerspot.com.

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An advertisement email blast was sent out to local High Schools and Colleges.

To date 65 cyclists are pre-registered. Estimated 350 will attend.

Hingham Community Access Television will cover the event.

Photographer Chris Dempsy will do an immediate release of photos within 24 hours of race and will then release 50 images at a time, per day.

Bike Path Progress – (Steve G.)

All Buildings are demolished in the annex.

Money should be available for paving and signage to link the rail trail from Rout 3A to the park visitor center and campground.

Suggestion was made to get signage on the MBTA Greenbrush Line advertising the rail trail. There are plans for a "Grand Opening" of the rail trail in the near future.

The main focus after the Landmine Classic will be on creating new trails through the annex.

Trail Care – (Dave F.)

Bike Barn Trail Day repaired trail in pit area and made a lot of progress but more work needs to be done in this area.

All of the holes in South Field have been filled in.

Several blow downs need to be removed. Steve has list and will take care of removal. Jack's store is interested in doing a trail day at Wompatuck. They would like to put in banks along the pine run and will bring in material and supply a work crew.

New Business

Lars will work on filling in the details of the newly open annex area on the park maps.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 P.M.

The next meeting is September 15th at 7 PM.

Respectfully submitted by: Carolanne Brown FOW Secretary