

Carlisle Trails Committee
Report of January 4, 2008 Meeting
Secretary, Bert Willard

Attendance: Henry Cox, George Fardy, Louise Hara, Kevin Smith, Steve Tobin, Marc Lamere, Bert Willard. Guest, Sylvia Willard.

Old Business

Minutes from previous meeting:

The minutes for the December meeting were approved as amended.

Old Morse Road:

There was nothing new reported.

Cross Street development path update:

There was nothing new to report.

Chris Bojanic: Prospect Street Eagle Scout bridge project:

Marc reported that the project has been postponed until spring. The bumpers to be ordered are to be placed as near the present boardwalk off Prospect Street as possible.

Great Meadows.

There was nothing new reported.

Hanover Hill Subdivision paths:

Henry showed "Garman Topo" maps with GPS way points of wetland flags gathered by him and Erin.

Louise expressed concern that at least one lot appeared to be mostly wetland.

A letter will be drafted stating the Trails Committee goals of trails not being in wetlands, except for stream crossings, etc. The letter will be addressed to Grant Wilson, Rob West, the Planning Board, and Conscom. Louise will take the letter when she talks with Grant Wilson.

Dessert Party:

The party is set for January 13, 2:00pm at Steve Tobin's house.

New Business

Trekker Award:

Marc showed the completed Trekker Patches, cost \$125 for 50.

It was voted to pay Marc \$125 for his out-of-pocket expenses for these patches.

Marc received \$125 from Ferns for sale of the Trails Book.

Steve presented an impressive draft copy of the Trekker Award Certificate. Some suggestions were made for improvement.

There was a discussion of how to make a plaque for the award winners out of wood found on the trail for the Town Hall lobby.

Trails Committee annual report:

Steve volunteered to write the annual report.

Trail walk/ski/snowshoe this month?

The location and time was set for Foss Farm to Greenough pond via the River Trail to start at 7:00 pm Saturday, January 19.

Hauling material:

There was a discussion of whether or not to buy a cart from Cabela's for hauling materials, but no decision was made.

No bumpers will be hauled this winter.

Trail work for 2008:

The following were placed on the table for possible new trails and boardwalk/bridges:
Graystone, Bingham, Benfield (CCF land) - connect to Acton?, Davis Corridor - long bridge, Town Forest - replace pallet bridge.

Louise will file for the Town Forest bridge after the snow melts to make photos possible.

Other new business:

There was no other business.

Schedule next meeting:

The next meeting was set for Friday, February 1, 2008.