

Carlisle Trails Committee  
Report of April 2, 2010 Meeting  
Bert Willard, Secretary

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

Guests: Sylvia Willard, David Freedman, Mary Zoll.

It was discovered that the meeting had not been posted, so no votes could be taken.

**Old Business:**

**Review and approve minutes:**

The minutes for the March 5 meeting could not be approved.

**Greenough Plaque:**

The plaque has not yet been installed.

**Helical Pier:**

George hasn't been successful yet at setting up a meeting with Solid Earth Technologies.

**Granite Benches:**

Kevin will send out an email asking members for ideas for locations of granite benches.

**Hanover Hill Boardwalk – Planning:**

It was decided to move and install the bumpers on Sunday, April 25.

Marc has the materials list already prepared. We will be using the 20-footx4x6 beams donated by Rob West. George will order the remaining materials from Concord Lumber.

Members will meet at the site on Sunday, April 11, to string the boardwalks and determine the actual number of bumpers needed, and the best approach to bringing the bumpers to their site.

Construction will be on May 1 and 2. The wood will be cut on site using Marc's generator and Henry's cut-off saw.

**Map Book:**

Numerous questions were discussed and answered:

The Spencer Brook Passage, from South Street to the Bisbee Trail will be shown as proposed, the boardwalk will not be shown.

It was agreed to leave out private trails unless the Trails Committee has an easement.

Parking symbols will be placed only where there is an actual parking lot or space. No boardwalks will be shown on the pathways.

Only the larger boardwalks will be shown in the state park.

Billerica and Bedford open space and trails along the Concord River will not be shown.

“River Meadow Reservation” will be used on the Concord River, and “River Meadow Brook” will be used in the state park.

No building shapes will be shown, except for the rest rooms in the state park.

The Banta to Spalding boardwalk will not be shown.

Dave Freedman gave an estimate of costs for the printing of \$7.37 ea /1000, \$5.56 ea /1500, and \$4.80 ea /2000. These include rounded corners and mylar covers.

### **New Business:**

#### **Any Trail Work Needed?**

The long boardwalk on Greenough is floating and needs to be secured directly over the bumpers so it will settle in the proper location once the water recedes. This work will be done on Saturday, April 3.

Steve would like some chainsaw help to clear Miriam’s Trail on the Benfield land on Sunday, April 18.

#### **Schedule next meeting:**

The next meeting was set for Friday, May 7, 2010.