# Carlisle Trails Committee Report of December 2, 2011 Meeting Bert Willard, Secretary

Attendance: Henry Cox, George Fardy, Louise Hara, Steve Tobin, Marc Lamere, Bert

Guests: Sylvia Willard, Bob Zielinski (Mosquito), Marilyn Cugini, Steve Smith.

#### **Old Business:**

#### **Minutes from November 4 meeting:**

The minutes were approved as amended.

### Benfield plaque:

Steve Tobin reported that the plaque is done. Steve Hinton is to load the rock from his barn into Louise's truck and Louise is to transport it to Jic Davis's house where a flat will be carved to mount the plaque.

# **Proposed new trail at Foss Farm:**

Police Chief Fisher can meet with any Trail Committee members on any day at 7-8 am at the location for the proposed Route 225 trail crossing. Louise and Marc will attend, and Henry will notify Joe Campagna of the meeting time.

#### Other Power-driven Mobile Devices:

The draft document has been sent to Tim Goddard by Sylvia Willard.

#### **Elliott Farm IBM Grant:**

Steve Tobin reported that Margery Pepe can not apply for the grant this year. She will try again in February, 2012.

### **Post-Snowstorm Trail Work:**

Trees are still down on Daniel's Lane Trail and the Old Morse Rd between the Transfer Station and Sunset Lane.

#### **Day After Thanksgiving Walk:**

By various counts, 30 to 32 people attended the walk at the Greenough Property.

### **New Business:**

#### Trekker Award:

Award Number 12 and patch were handed out to Marilyn Cugini, who finished all the required trails in one year.

### **Carlisle-Acton Trail Connection:**

Marc and Steve plan to meet with Jim Snyder-Grant, Chair of the Acton Land Stewardship Committee, at the south end of Marion's Trail to investigate a possible connection between Acton and Carlisle conservation lands.

### **Spring Boardwalk Project?**

The ever nagging Bridge-to-Nowhere seemed to be the project of choice. It will be discussed at the next meeting and a design will be created to present to Conscom.

### **Moonlight Walk:**

This winter's moonlight walk will be on Saturday, January 7, at 7:00 pm at the Cranberry Bog.

# **Bill Paying:**

It was voted to reimburse Marc for \$39.04 for materials from Concord Lumber for new signs, to be taken from the Trails Book sales.

### **Schedule next meeting:**

The next meeting was set for January 6, 2012.