

GRATER WOODS
(Subcommittee of the Merrimack Conservation Commission)
AGENDA FOR TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 19, 2017
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE ROOM
6:30 P.M.

1. CALL TO ORDER 6:35 PM

Members in attendance;

Gage Perry ; Matthew Caron ; Nathaniel Fairbanks ; Steve Desilets ; Steve Marble

Members excused.

Steve Bachand, Adam Dodge, Shannon Barnes, Jason Wright

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

N/A

3. NEW BUSINESS

1. Classroom bridge and boardwalk completion -all 87 feet

1. Nat, Gage, Steve B, Matt completed the project.
2. May need some trail maint on the hill down to the bridge/water bars etc.

2. Grater Road relocation project

1. Still being reviewed for timing/ D3 will be taken off as a project as the relocation project will replace it.

3. Conservation Drive trail day -

1. Remove the silt fence coming out of Conservation Drive on non-swamp side and double up on the other side (left as you come down the Conservation Drive hill).

4. Brickyard and Ridge bridge decking

1. Decking replacement with 2 x 10 decking to complete the deck on Brickyard. (need approval for funding to purchase the replacement decking).
Oct 28th 8:30 ET at Conservation Drive as a work day (Silt fence as well as bridge work).

e. Donut Hole / Chestnut Hill discussion -

1. Chestnut Hill property is up for sale so development of that property on hold.

f. Unauthorized trail closure / Signage

1. Trail closures for unauthorized use seems to have cut down on the usage.

g. Beebe Lane kiosk / hunting boarder

1. Markers are still near Beebe Lane- Information helps inform hunters of property line/300ft.
2. Hunting /updated signs to put in the Kiosks

h. School Lot kiosk – Outdoor Classroom kiosk – Amherst kiosk

i. Outdoor Classroom benches / Silver Girl Scout project

1. Outdoor Classroom /Eagle project still is pending scout approval

j. Castor Trail name approved by MCC and other MCC updates

- Trail name approved, needs slight re-route before mapping.

k. Stewardship plan appendix updates?

N/A

4. COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS

N/A

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- a.** August 22, 2017 - Will review at next meeting.

6. ADJOURNMENT 7:55 PM

Oct meeting will be a work day on Oct 28th.

Next meeting; Nov 21 st.

Grater Woods Sub-Committee