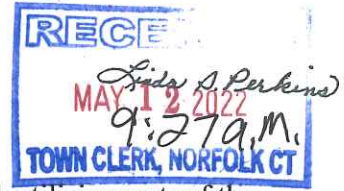


TOWN OF NORFOLK  
Rails to Trails Committee  
Mission



“To develop a multiple use handicapped accessible trail through Norfolk utilizing parts of the existing railroad bed.”

Meeting Minutes: Thursday, July <sup>8</sup>7, 2021

Meeting held at the Norfolk Town Hall

Committee Members Present: Bob Gilchrest, Dave Beers, Matt Riiska, West Lowe, Marie Lowe, & Michelle Childs

Also Present: Audra Moss (Corrected to read Andra Moss, in minutes from August 12, 2021)

Meeting Called to Order: 6:03 PM

**Minutes**

Review of minutes from June 10, 2021; Motion to Approve Minutes WL, Second DB, Passed Unanimously.

**Treasure's Report**

No new transactions – No Report

**Tour de Forrest**

Date: Saturday, October 9<sup>th</sup>

Audra Moss presented printed copies of the maps for the Tour-de-Forest. It was suggested that a QR code should be added to the map.

There will be registration on the day of the event.

We will continue to investigate additional venues for the distribution of event information.

**North Brook Trail**

MR will distribute the report created by Mike Callahan of the Beaver Institute. Members will review and we will discuss our next steps at the next meeting.

We will keep Stephany Dumond, CT DEEP, Burr Pond Management Unit, informed of our plans for controlling the beaver issue.

**North Brook Trail Parking**

WL will contact Jay Fain, wetlands specialist, to mark the wetlands in the proposed parking area and the access to the trail.

Because of the current amount of water in the area from the rain in June and early July this will have to wait.

**WIN Weekend**

Set up a kiosk with information on the trail progress at the Farmers Market on Saturday, July 31  
WL to contact Berkshire Bike & Board asking if they would like to participate.

Next meeting will be Thursday, August 12, 2021

With no further business the meeting adjourned at 6:40 PM, Motion WL, Second: ML

Respectfully Submitted

*Matt Riiska*

Matt Riiska, Secretary