

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, February 10, 2022

Meeting held at the Norfolk Town Hall

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

Meeting Called to Order: 6:04 PM

Minutes

Review of minutes from December 9, 2021, Motion to approve, D Beers, Second, WL, Approved Unanimously

Treasure's Report

\$175 expensed to Beaver Solutions
Current Account Balance: \$34,251.00
Motion to approve, MR, Second, WL, Approved Unanimously

Connecticut Recreational Trails Grant Application

Grant application submitted – No Update

CT Greenways Application

No Update

North Brook Trail Wetlands Flagging

No Update
MR will contact Tom Stansfield to do the flagging when the weather cooperates

North Brook Trail

D Beers walked the trail from Stoney Lonesome to Rt 272
Beaver deceivers appear to be working
The beavers seem to be making good use of the boat and have incorporated it into their dam.

Vision Beyond North Brook Trail

Discussion regarding opening up the trail from Shepard Road to the DOT Garage utilizing the series of dams and the current trail along the old rail bed along Wood Creek Dam.
MR to contact Sally Carr regarding a permanent easement for the rail trail to be developed on the Brown Company property.

Next meeting will be Thursday, March 10, 2021

With no further business the meeting adjourned at 6:50 PM, Motion BG, Second: WL

Respectfully Submitted

Matt Riiska

Matt Riiska, Secretary