RECREATION TRAILS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

MARSHFIELD TOWN HALL

PLANNING BOARD ROOM

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 pm on March 9, 2022

IN ATTENDANCE: Steve Goodhue, Ned Bangs, Scott Decastro, Keith Rice

Absent: Brendan Coyne

Guests: Angela Sciezeka, Mike Arsenault, Pam Keith

Advisors: Bill Grafton, Greg Guimond

Review minutes: Tabled review of February minutes until next meeting.

Old business:

Trail Ambassador: program trucking along.

Webster's Wilderness: hand rail to come, maybe end of March.

Eversource easement: meeting back in February yielded a site visit planed with eversource at 3 different locations. Station Street, South River, and Red Gold Farm.

Furnace Brook: when weather is better, an on site walk should be scheduled to explore options for parking and paths.

You Are here Signs: may be installed in April, they are close to finished.

Horse Etiquette: working on language, may be sent to Brenner soon and produced by May.

Angela update: RT/BP maps coming along – working on final details. Maps are looking great.

Trail Rankings: 5 or 4 so trails prioritized.

*Open space wants a tour and visit of proposed trails south of CVS.

New business:

Harborwalk: Harbor Trail Walk planned for Saturday, March 12th at 9:30 am. John Little Conservation: The area map unveiling to happen maybe April 2nd or 9th. Invite all partners and affiliates as it is a big photo opportunity (9 am).

Life Long Learning: 2 walks proposed, 1 early evening Rail Trail and Pratt and 1 at Websters Wilderness on June 18, 2022 (morning walk). NEMBA mountain bike race.

Spring MTIS race at Carolina Hill: early stages but all particulars are being reviewed. Need to get all ducks in a row.

Next Meeting: 4/13 at 7pm

8:27 meeting adjourned, Ned made a motion Keith second. Unanimous.