

LINEAR PARK GREENWAY AND TRAILS SUB-COMMITTEE

Meeting minutes of July 25, 2017
Charlestown Town Hall—Annex Conference Room
4540 South County Trail
Charlestown, RI 02813

CALL TO ORDER: Faith Labossiere

ROLL CALL: Faith Labossiere, Sherry Drude, Jonathan Hammett, Bill Wilson, Bonnie VanSlyke, Vickie Hilton, Tim Quillan, and welcome to Doug Randall

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Jonathan motioned to accept the 5/25 meeting minutes as written. This was seconded by Bill Wilson. Agreed by all present.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED OR SENT:

1. Inquiry by Linda Boback, Charlestown Land Trust, if Sub-committee would like a table at the Farmers Market on 8/11 9:30—1pm. Sherry and Faith will try and work something out.
2. Communication from Frosty Drew about light disturbance from the pathway signs. Issue has been resolved.
3. Petals for Progress—attached article—Sherry will make a call to see if this is something to pursue.

OLD BUSINESS: Discussion and possible action

1. Vickie reports Tuesday Walkers is quiet in heat of summer.
2. Paths to Progress Faith will attend on 8/3
3. STIP re-application approved July 10 by TC for feasibility study Ninigret Park to PO/Center to SK line for \$50,000 as quoted by Bradford Associates. Application needs to be done by 8/11 and we should hear by November.
4. Faith working on above with Jane Weidman.
5. Faith will reach out to Westerly, South Kingston, Narragansett for possible Tri-Town Coastal Route Meeting in October 2017.

NEW BUSINESS: Discussion and Possible Action.

1. The Charlestown Trail System 25+ of trails connecting trails and open space north of RT 1.
 - a. Report by Jonathan---reviewed trail like at last meeting for all new folks at meeting (see notes from 7/11)Bonnie did bring additional maps that Jonathan will be able to mark for future presentations.
 - b. Faith has reached out to Land Trust and updated. She was encouraged—more to come.
 - c. Jonathan will be making a presentation to the Conservation Commission on 8/22
 - d. Discussion of name for trail
 - e. Will update P&R when more is known.

NEXT Linear Park Greenway and Trails Sub-committee meeting

Bill motioned to cancel August 22 meeting. Jonathan seconded that motion. All present agreed.

NEXT DATE 9/26/17 6PM

ADJOURNMENT 7PM

Respectfully submitted

Sherry Drude
Secretary Linear Park Greenway and Trails Sub Committee