

Town of Harwich Trails Committee Minutes

April 21, 2016

Present: D. Callaghan, M. Cushing, B. Nightingale, G. Schumann, W. Stone, A. Usowski

- I. Matt Cushing called the meeting to order in the Teixeira parking lot at 3:45.
- II. Minutes of January and March were approved. (There was no February meeting.)
- III. New Business

We examined the Worrell loop trail to determine whether or not it should be rerouted to eliminate the stairs and consequent trespassing on private property. We decided on a short winding route between the east and middle trails and just north of the existing trail. This moves a short portion of the trail to higher ground, avoiding the steep and eroding steps and confusion about the private property. There are four things to be done: Bushwhacking the new connecting trail (Matt has started to do that); filling in and planting the stair area and removing evidence of stairs; blocking off the existing trail; posting new signage and advising HCT of change in trail map. These improvements are in addition to the building of a new kiosk by Eagle Scout.

No other business was conducted.

Next meeting at 3:45 in the town hall library on May 19.

Gerie Schumann, Clerk

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