



Blue River Trails Committee
Tuesday, September 8, 2020
5:30 p.m.
Agenda

This will not be an in person meeting.

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****The Trails Meeting will not an in person meeting. All citizens wishing to attend are asked to log into the virtual meeting.**If you are wishing to provide Citizen Comments or participate in the public hearings, please email Michelle Eddy, Town Manager at michelle@townofblueriver.org by 4:00 p.m. Monday, June 8th to receive additional information. Please also refer to our website for information on participating in the virtual meeting <https://townofblueriver.colorado.gov/town-info/meetings/guidelines-for-public-participation-in-virtual-public-hearings>**

Mission Statement

To assist the Board of Trustees with determining possible trail projects mainly geared towards enhancement of existing trails and possible future trails within the Town of Blue River

Mark Fossett, Chair; Wiley Asher; Joel Dixon; Justin Park; Paul Semmer
Guest: David Ziff, Blue River Rd. Mike Rupert was absent.

- I. Chair Fossett noted Devon O'Neill resigned. Openings for all committees will be done in October for appointment in December and begin January with term appointments.
 - David Ziff provided his background and interest in the committee.
- II. Finalize Trails Guidelines & Plan
 - Chair Fossett reviewed points of each document and evaluated how all policies and documents are being updated throughout the Town. He noted a need to keep documents succinct and with the ability to adjust. He noted a need to approve a plan with the understanding that it can be adjusted as needed but provides a guideline.
 - Paul asked for what type of document is being sought. A policy or a plan.

- Chair Fossett noted both are needed. A policy is necessary. He also noted that it is necessary to remove specific lots without having legal easements.
- Discussion to include information about research conducted and what had previously existed for possibilities. Suggested to put as a concept for a trail corridor.
- Wiley provided feedback on the documents.
 - Noted that the June document is more of a guideline/policy document on trail building and design. Noted both documents are not competing documents. Also need to add an executive summary.
- Joel recommended to utilize the August document without the lot detail incorporated together as one document.
- Michelle noted she will work before the next meeting to combine the two documents without the specific detail for review and approval in October.
- Justin agreed to get it done and approved.
- Noted that the document should touch on open space and plans.

III. Easement Updates

- Chair Fossett noted that current Mr. Keller is currently not wishing to grant access. Chair Fossett will continue to reach out to him. Discussion to find a way to reach out to others and continue to work with him.
- No new other easement updates.

IV. Chair Fossett noted that currently there are no trails day activities planned for the near future. However, if there is a desire by individuals to do work on trails but cannot be representing the Town and within Town should be cognoscente of location and whether it's an actual trail.

- Discussion and clarification of trails. Noted that some State and County websites/information are not accurate as many easements are not legal easements within the Town of Blue River.

V. Next Meeting

- October 13, 2020
 - Due to many being gone in October. Michelle will send out a doodle for a new meeting after the 17th.

VI. Adjourn

- Meeting was adjourned at 7:03 p.m.