

Friends of the Waverly Trails

Minutes

Wednesday, November 9, 2005

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting of the Friends of the Waverly Rail Trail was called to order at 5:30 PM at City Hall.

REGULAR BUSINESS:

1. Trail Brochure: Review Trail Brochure - Main will have his wife look at it since she is the publisher of the group.
2. Trail planning meeting: Rathe, Ray and Brown attended a County Trail Planning Meeting. Priorities are the Readlyn to Hwy 63 stretch since the property has been acquired, Waverly to Shell Rock to link two sections together, and Waverly to Janesville to Cedar Falls because that's the overall objective.
3. Candlelight Ski Event: January 14, 2006 (weather date Jan 28). Rathje and Rathe are going to inventory the luminaries. Ecker and Folkerts will inventory the candles and lighters. Wuertz will be in charge of the bonfire and Ecker will provide firewood. Folkerts will do the Smores. Rathe will contact the Depot to see if they want to do chili, etc. Steve Main will do the display case. Ray will contact WADG on the posters, hot cocoa and call Tim Griggs. Ray will call Ecker and Rathe when the posters are done. Someone will need to call Darrin Siefken to see if his new business is renting cross country skis. The Committee will meet again Wednesday, January 11, 2006 at 5:30 pm at the Civic Center.

Ecker wondered about stairs being installed at 12th Street so trail users could walk up and down the slope more safely. Ray and Rathje both said it is a liability issue and the stairs would need to be engineered so that they met minimum specs. Ray will ask the City Engineer.

ADJOURNMENT:

- The meeting was adjourned at 6:45 PM.
- Next meeting: Wednesday, January 11, 2006 at 5:30 pm at the Civic Center.

Respectfully Submitted:

Tab Ray
Parks and Recreation Director