



# Planning Department

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## MINUTES

### ARROWSTONE PARK BOARD TRAILS SUBCOMMITTEE

The Trails Subcommittee Met in regular session on Wednesday, February 17, 2016 at 10:30 AM in the Deer Lodge Medical Center's Conference Room.

**Members Present:** Sally Bridgham, Laurie Duncan, Jeff Johnson, Bob Rase, Marlene Swant, & Gary Swant, Gail Eide

**Members Absent:** Jerry Grebenc

**Staff:** Brian Bender, Ricki Ann Bauer

**Guests:** None

#### Agenda Item #1 – Call to Order

Chair Duncan called the meeting to order at 10:30 AM.

Chair Duncan acknowledged there is a quorum with the presence of six members.

#### Agenda Item #2 – Approval of Minutes

A. January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2016

Member Swant moved, with Member Rase seconding, to approve both minutes as submitted. The Committee approved the motion through a vote of seven to zero.

#### Agenda Item # 3 – Rock Creek Cattle Company Update

Gary Swant and Laurie Duncan wrote a letter to Rock Creek Cattle Company and are awaiting a response.

Gary will follow up later today after the meeting and ask if they have any questions.

**Agenda Item #4 – Jim Branning meeting summary**

The meeting went well. Gary Swant and Brian Bender met with Jim.

- A. Jim doesn't want an easement through the property.
- B. Brian and Gary invited Jim to the public meeting.
- C. Jim's value on the land is the Bridge structures.
- D. Brian and Gary got better than a No., for the possibility of acquiring the land that is the old railway bed.

**Agenda Item #5 – NRDP project update**

Brian is presenting an update this afternoon.

**Agenda Item #6 – North Valley public forum**

Planning the agenda for the North Valley meeting will happen at the next trails committee meeting.

A tentative date for the 29<sup>th</sup> of March was set for the public meeting. Laurie and Gary thought the school would be better for the meeting as there is heat in the Gym.

The group would like to get RCCC involved and other interested partners or potential partners before the public meeting.

- A. Getting to know more about Prickly Pare Creek group
- B. A non-profit group from Missoula
- C. The Greenway Trails group out of Butte-Silverbow
- D. Brian will get some information from Jerry at the NRDP update meeting.

The Committee also wanted to have Brian ask Jerry for sources of Grants.

**Agenda Item # 7 – Public comments**

None

**Agenda Item # 8 – Scheduling of the next meeting**

Next Meeting: March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10:30 AM, DLMC's Conference Room.

**Agenda Item # 9 – Adjourn**

Chair Duncan ended the meeting at 11:27 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Brian P. Bender, AICP CEP, CFM  
Planning Director

Laurie Duncan, Chair\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_