

**Monadnock Trails and Pathways Initiative  
Steering Committee Minutes  
01/16/07**

Committee members were welcomed to the meeting.

Committee members introduced themselves, those present were as follows:

David Ruble	Thom Little
Bill Roberts	Deb Hogancamp
Jim Gruber	Don Long
Ken Greatbatch	Sarah Patriquin

**I. The work plan and action steps for the project were reviewed.**

A. Celebration Forum moved to June '07 to coincide with National Trails Day with rain date considered

**II. Update on work group / committee meetings.**

- A. Coordination among groups for maintenance of trails was discussed.
- B. Multi-use group is without members. Deb Hogancamp volunteered to organize this group.
- C. This group could contain major stakeholders
- D. LSR (Legislative Service Request) has been made for funding for non-motorized use on trails in NH Gov.
  
- E. Website was discussed. \$500 for 4 pages with quarterly updates was presented. Other options were discussed including high school; college classes offering help with the web page design. Yahoo groups or my page. Ken will contact Tom Warner about web design.

**III. Moving forward: Parts into a whole**

- A. Mission statement history / creation / review / revision
- B. Bullets will be addressed at later time
- C. 2<sup>nd</sup> draft of mission statement completed
- D. Transition in March & Forum
  - 1. Invite co-chairs to steering committee meetings to present work group progress. Chairperson of each committee could serve on steering committee.
  - 2. Social trails fair at AUNE similar to a "Jobs Fair"
  - 3. Promote National Trails Day and involvement.
  - 4. Cheshire TV for possible short documentary about project. (Channel 8). PSA.(Public Service Announcement ). Check with Keene State AV department

E. Existing resources and project budget were reviewed. Types of funding were discussed to carry project into 2<sup>nd</sup> year and into future.

F. “Walk to Work Day” in late May / early June could tie in to project

**IV Final Thoughts and Wrap-up**

Next meeting scheduled for Tuesday March 6 from 4-6pm.