Richmond Town Trail Committee Meeting Tuesday April 26, 2022 7 pm Join Zoom Meeting

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The meeting will be held on ZOOM (INFO ABOVE). Please contact Willie Lee at 802-324-8593

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Agenda

Willie started with pre-amble discussion about perhaps reducing trail committee member count. We have a lot of members

Members in attendance - Willie, Tyler, Callie, Alison, Jean, Jed, Jim, Chase, Halle, Mike

1. Public comment

Public attendance – Lauke Parke, SamWaters and KP – Karin P Ward - from Richard Tom foundation. KP just wants to touch base about using the river trail during the Richard Tom ride

2. Approve March 15 minutes

We'll review the March minutes at the next meeting

3. Rivershore bridge Project discussion...

Jim attended the RCC meeting to ask for money to replace the bridges on the river trail. Jim got 2 bids, both over \$20K range. Because of the amount it would need to be an official 3 bid RFP/sealed bid. Jim suggests we get material and just use volunteer labor. Callie concurs. Callie has confirmed with the private property owners about the replacement.

Discussion ensues about the width of potential bridges. And focus on the 3 worst bridges. Use rough hewn cedar for decking. Jim suggests no more than \$13K for supplies.

KP suggests that cross VT trail might be able to help with bridges Willie, find out how much \$\$ we have left in 2021/22

- 4. New Trail Committee Member for ACF Committee Discussion Willie makes a motion to promote Chase Rosenberg to ATFC and Jed 2nds. Passes unanimously.
- MMU Service Day May 31
   Jim's been in touch with Josh Fairfax from MMU about this already. Old Jericho Road upgrade is suggested as the project.
- 6. Spring Trail cleaning and upkeep..

Lung Ta all cleared and cut. Preston cut out and leaf blew Preston. M Parkway leaf blown. Some big trees still need to be cut out on the River trail. Also a learner is on Volunteer Greens river trail. Fill holes in Jonnie Brook Trail. Willie will contact Greg Weston from Cross VT Trail about filling in the holes.

## 7. Other updates...

Willie met with parking committee about a new trail from Overrocker parking lot to river trail. But on hold while town deals with the parking issue.

Next meeting is May 17. Play it by ear whether work in field or zoom.