

*Richmond Trails Committee*

*May 19th 2026*

*Present: Mike Donahue, Alison Aiken, Hannah Harrington, Ben Feinson, Tyler Merritt, Amy Welsh, and Jean Bressor*

*In person Community member: Jimmy Cochran*

*Online: John Rankin, Molly Dugan and Trevor Brooks*

*Public comment: No comments*

*Approved the April minutes*

*Discuss ACFC plan - Management plan shared with our committee to give feedback. Jimmy, the Trails Comm recommendation, shared his ideas on how to move forward keeping in mind folks who feel there should be mostly conservation and those that believe there should be recreation.*

*Encourage the ACFC to find a multi-use trail that has the least impact and connects existing trail networks, in order to provide safe recreational opportunities for residents and enjoy the natural ecosystems responsibility.*

*Avoid the wetlands from Urbanik to Maple Wind.  
Meadow Meander goes through Sonya Matteson's property.  
Need to move the trail off of her property and off her septic  
system.*

*Discuss spring trail work needs/plans - work day in honor of  
Francis Churchill. Hannah will measure for bridges on the  
work day. Molly will put it on FPF and has put it out to  
their friend group.*

*Ben will put it out on the Friends of the Richmond Trails.  
Ben will also reach out to the Richmond Running Club  
He will also bring table - pop-up tents*