

# Agenda

## Norwich Trails Committee and volunteers monthly meeting

7 pm, July 6, 2022

Huntley Meadow Pavilion

### AGENDA

1. **Approval of agenda:** Facilitator
2. Comments from those present: Attendees

### Infrastructure

3. Update from the UVTA: Ogle
4. Reports on recent trail blockages and actions taken or planned: Reports from attendees
5. Trail projects for 2022: Updates on trails projects discussed in May.
  - a. Betty Booth Trail
  - b. Parcel 5 damage repair (May 22)
  - c. Brown Schoolhouse Road wet area (May 22)
  - d. A-frame bridge: haul materials (June 4); build new bridge (June 19)
6. Allocate work for identified workdays (Sundays: July 17, August 21, September 18, and October 16), according to the following priorities:
  - a. Woody Adams Conservation Forest
  - b. Powers Trail drainage and treadway
  - c. Schmidt Bog boardwalk
  - d. Gile Mountain treadway
  - e. Tucker Trail quagmire crossing
7. Signage (see discussion material) Report from committee

### Coordination with town

8. Status of Upper Loveland Trail
9. Happy Hill turnaround: Update from Layne.

### Other

10. Items for July meeting
  - To be determined
11. **Adjourn:** Facilitator.

## Discussion Material

### 7. Signage

The Norwich Women’s Club allowed the purchase of material for trail signs. The grant application showed proposed signs in the following locations, which are now subject to confirmation:

#### Bradley Hill Loop:

Intersection	Proposed content
First side trail from kiosk	← Trail →
Second side trail from kiosk	← Trail →
Ladeau Road/Kerwin Hill Road	← Bradley Hill Trail Loop →
Kerwin Hill Road/Patrell Road	← Bradley Hill Trail Loop →
Patrell Road/Powers Trail	← Bradley Hill Trail Loop →
Top of Powers Trail	← Bradley Hill Trail Loop →

#### North of the Appalachian Trail (subject to coordination with UVLT and USFS):

Intersection	Proposed content
Burton Woods Road: “The Office”	← Sue Spaulding Road Bragg Hill Road →  ← Griggs Mountain Trail
Arison Parcel intersection (UVLT)	← Griggs Mountain Trail →
Sue Spaulding Road/Burton Woods Road	← Sue Spaulding Road Burton Woods Road →
Burton Woods Road/TH51	A/T →  Burton Woods Road ← Illsley Road Bragg Hill Road →
Illsley Road	Burton Woods Road to Bragg Hill Road
AT/Griggs Mountain Trail	Griggs Mountain Trail to Burton Wood Road
Tucker Trail/Joshua Trail	Joshua Trail to Joshua Road (needs USFS permission)  Tucker Trail ← A/T southbound Happy Hill Road →
Tucker Trail/Happy Hill Road	Tucker Trail to A/T southbound

**South and east of the AT Corridor:**

Intersection	Proposed content
Joshua Road/Joshua Trail/Dothan Brook Trail	<p style="text-align: center;">Joshua Trail to Tucker Trail (needs USFS permission)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dothan Brook Trail to A/T southbound (needs USFS permission)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Joshua Road to Cossingham Trail</p>
Cossingham Trail/Joshua Road	<p style="text-align: center;">Joshua Road</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cossingham Trail to Bragg Hill Road</p>
Cossingham Trail/Appalachian Trail	<p style="text-align: center;">Appalachian Trail to Norwich</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Appalachian Trail to Hartford</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cossingham Trail ← Joshua Road Bragg Hill Road →</p>

The proposed signage doesn't include mileage on the theory that the kiosk provides the overall route information, which can be captured in a photograph. The signs provide confirmation of location.