

Greenbelt & Trails Committee Minutes

Thursday, November 2, 2023, 6:00 PM
Crow's Nest (no hybrid)

Members:

Dean Dyson
Sandy Nelson
Tamra Ingwaldson (Excused)
Sue Klemp
Mary Ann Wagner (Excused)
Dan Richter (Excused)
Janet Richter (Excused)
Kristi Gray (Excused)
Alan Sande (Excused)

Guest: John Ingemi

Trail – update

This is not really a trail item, but it is on the greenbelt. A group of Division 1 residents headed by Pat Jankord completed the project to beautify the LL Ballantrae entrance. Bricks were laid, soil added, and flowers planted that will bloom in spring. Great work everyone.

Maybe the look of other entrances can be improved in a similar manner.

Litter Pick-up

There is no date yet for the next pick-up. (We did see the day after this committee meeting that the County has put up signs on the Mason Lake Road that state that the Lake Limerick community has adopted this section of road and is picking up litter.

Dog Off Leash Area

To move forward with a dog off leash area, it is thought that a survey of community members asking: What should be done with open properties in Lake Limerick? Ideas are dog off leash area, and community gardens. Other ideas will be welcome. The overall thought is that the survey on Survey Monkey should be done soon.

Planting new trees along Mason Lake Road

We are waiting for a short time before planting trees in the greenbelt area along Mason Lake Road because the homeowner there (Mark Winston) wants to present his ideas in writing as to what he would like it to look like.

Wildfire prevention

Thanks to the office and Robbi Alberts for continuing to remind members that they can contact the Mason Conservation District to get a personal evaluation of their property on the best ways to prepare for wildfire prevention. Contact Margaret Kreder at mkreder@masoncd.org. or (360) 427-9436 x 102.

Emergency Management

Kristi was unable to be at this meeting but her and Dean have met with Roger (CAM) to discuss what the current LLCC Emergency plans are. Kristi is planning to contact Mason County Emergency Management and the Mason Conservation District to see what they have to offer us. Once she has collected data, she will be calling a meeting of the emergency Management Sub-Committee.

Salmon Talk

This year it was decided to recommend LL members go to the Capital Land Trust at Bay Shore to watch salmon returning to Johns Creek and attend talks on that subject. These talks are on Nov. 4, 5, 10, 11 and 12, from 10 AM until 2 PM. They also have underwater cameras watching the fish from this unique angle.

Next month's meeting will be on December 7th

Submitted by Dean Dyson

