



Open Space Meeting Minutes

June 5, 2018

Attendees: Lisa Ahrens, Tim Breuer, Bill Junk, Kim Lyons, Don Murray, Aimee Noonan, Eddy Petranek, Chuck Vertrees

Meeting was called to order at 6:05 pm.

Quorum was not present. Notes on the discussion at the Open Space Committee meeting follows:

May 1, 2018 Meeting Minutes

- The minutes were approved unanimously (with Kevin Dow's email approval noted)

Unofficial Trail behind W. Long Meadow

- Official trails vs. Un-Official trails procedure – Refer to Policy 500
- Next Steps
 - 30 Day Comment Period
 - Agenda item for open community discussion at future OSM

Staff Report – Lisa Ahrens / Tim Breuer

- Town Meeting June 13th
- Landslide Meadow Trail / Dry Creek Road Crossing Reroute
 - Reroute done to improve line of site for oncoming traffic
 - The run-out area needs improvement – possibly widen and add a bigger platform
 - The turn is challenging and needs improvement
 - Lisa Ahrens to contact ACHD for trail crossing signs on Dry Creek and Cartwright Ranch
 - The old trail has been blocked on the uphill side
- Red Tail Loop
 - Ada County Parks & Waterways has an idea for trail loop over private property and is in discussions with the property owner
 - Getting to Avimor may or may not be a part of plan – team encouraged to focus attention on what is doable on Hidden Springs property to create a loop
 - Fish and Game is not encouraging adding trails however if Ada County and HS proceeds asked that the trail be pushed out and around versus thru the center of the landslide area
 - County would have to approve as it is a new trail in the Conservation Easement

Farm

The last few weeks the farm committee has been busy:

- Jr. Site Crew started work in the upick area removing thistle and hoeing around the corn
- Farm crew continues to weed, seed and harvest
- U-pick peas and rhubarb popular with community

Bike Area

- Bike team appreciated Hopkins spraying the bike course for weeds – worked well

New Business

- Committee agreed to forego a July meeting given holiday and schedule conflicts

Meeting adjourned at 7:05 pm

Next Meeting is **Tuesday, August 13th**