



Open Space Meeting Minutes

June 6, 2017

Attendees: Kahle Becker, Tim Breuer, Bill Junk, Jay Karamales, Kim Lyons, Don Murray, Aimee Noonan, Eddy Petranek, Chuck Vertrees, Heidi Wagner, Ken Winer

Meeting was called to order at 6:04 pm.

The order of business for the Open Space Committee meeting was as follows:

May 1st 2017 Meeting Minutes

- May Meeting Minutes were approved by unanimous vote

Staff Report – Lisa Ahrens and Tim Breuer

- Wild Fire Prep Day – May 20th – Successful event. Considering other event format options for next year.
- Common Space Area Maintenance – Hopkins concentrating on noxious weeds and common area mowing.
- Fire Break – Wild fire mitigation efforts will begin in a few weeks. Timing critical, areas need to be done prior to grasses drying but also not too early requiring additional work and cost to community.
- Town Meeting Wednesday June 14th.
- Currant Creek Trail
 - a. Lisa to order fill material and have delivered near trail head entrance off Cartwright Road.
 - b. Culvert construction at trail and farm road intersection pending direction from Ridge to Rivers.
- Switchback Trail Repairs/Maintenance under way and should be complete by mid to end of June.
- Tim lead discussion on trail connections between HSTA and CRTA (Cartwright Ranch Town Association) as well as status of southern upland loops.

Bike Project Update – Kim Lyons

- Committee and volunteers addressing weeds.
- HSTA to provide mowing assistance via Hopkins.
- Committee inquired on status of spigot.

Farm Update - Heidi Wagner

- Wednesday Working Nights at 6:00 pm and Friday Working Mornings at 8:00 am continue.

New Business

- Committee discussed trail maintenance, establishing a better inventory of what work needs to be done and questioned **if** and **to what** standard Hidden Springs trail maintenance should follow.
- Committee asked to submit top five maintenance/fix items to Lisa by end of day Friday June 23rd.

Meeting adjourned at 7:13 pm

Next Meetings

- Thursday July 13th
- Rescheduled to Thursday August 3rd to avoid conflict with National Nite Out