

Minutes of Town Forest Committee meeting May 8, 2014, Story Memorial Hall

Members in attendance: Dennis Lemire, Rudy Gross, Laura Stillson and Jim Lyall,
absent: Cathy Boedtke

Public Attendees: none

1. Meeting called to order: 6:35 p.m.
2. No changes or additions
3. No Minutes of the previous meetings were presented.
4. No public comment.
5. Trail Report: Jim reported that after taping off entrances to the trails west of MLF, he posted today (online and at kiosks) that the trails are now 90% open. During April he cleaned up about 20 miles of trail and worked on building the new trails Broadway and Fifth, as well as starting improvements to Gracie's Loop. He plans to flag the "grant Trail" and continue work on the new trails.
6. View Clearing Proposal: Jim and Laura will look at the potential for clearing at the top of South Ridge Run, the top of Escalator/Stairway to Heaven and at the ravine overlook.
7. Town Forest Boundary Survey: No word from SB.
8. Status of select board's consultation with town counsel re handicap access to TF: No word.
9. Act 250 amendment update: No word, but it was on the SB's agenda, and Rudy will ask again.
10. No other business.
10. The meeting was adjourned at 7:20.

Respectfully submitted, Jim Lyall, TFC Secretary