

RASTA Meeting Agenda July 14, 2021

Washburn - Judy Swank Shelter

1. Welcome - Scott
2. Officer Reports - Treasurer (Ralph)
3. Trail Projects
 - a. Washburn
 - i. No BS: connection to post 16 (RASTA) - *Scott*
 - ii. No BS northern section: construction starts in July (Travis) - *Scott*
 - iii. Ice Road, ski trail - *Scott*
 1. clear trees (RASTA), grade (TBT: Maney & Musson's?)
 - iv. Lee's Loop modification & maintenance (RASTA) - *TMG*
 - v. Pump Track - *Pump Track Team*
 1. clear & grub (RASTA), construction fill (Musson's?), Pump track construction (Travis)
 - vi. Parking expansion - *Rich*
 - vii. Fat Tire Biking Route - should we pursue this year? - *Scott*
 - b. Mud Lake - *Rich*
 - i. Trail maintenance/ work days, Single track reroute
 - c. Nose Lake - *Jon/Dennis/Guy*
 - i. Mowing, maintenance, snowshoe trail
4. Equipment Status
 - a. Gator Purchase - Dennis
 - b. Scandic Status - keep or sell - Dennis
 - i. Paul Fiene's request - Scott
5. Communications
 - a. Web Page - *Andrea / Phil*
 - b. Pay Pal - membership form & auto reply - *Ralph*
 - c. National Bike Patrol - *Sarah*
6. Volunteer Trail Pass - *Sarah*
7. Events
 - a. RASTA Rally Report Out - Phil
 - b. WEMS Rock & Root - *Sarah*
 - c. Equipment Swap ? - *Scott*
 - d. Snowshoe Hare - New Race Director
 - e. Others?: work days, rides, ... - *All*
8. Membership Input & Questions - All
9. Adjourn

Meeting Background

Washburn Projects: We have permission to proceed with the projects listed in on the agenda. RASTA will use the mini to connect No BS to post 16, grub pump track, Lee's Loop reroute and Lee's Loop maintenance. Work can start anytime on No BS connection and Lee's Loop maintenance. Work on Ice Road ski trail, pump track and No BS northern construction must wait until after July 15.

Equipment: We have put a \$4,500 down payment on a John Deere Gator. Balance due of \$24,131.00. Total expenditure \$28,631.00 We should decide on the procedure for full payment. We should decide if we want to keep or sell the Scandic. The Scandic decision will largely be made based on if we want to keep the Scandic for Fat Tire grooming. If we keep the Scandic, Paul Fiene has offered to store it at the County shop if they can occasionally use it for Forestry work in winter.

National Bike Patrol: Sarah and Scott met with the NBP representative to discuss RASTA participating in the program. Sarah will report on the meeting and make recommendations to RASTA.

Volunteer Trail Pass: The County has donated (12) trail passes to recognize RASTA trail work volunteers. Sarah will manage the criterion and awarding of trail passes.

Equipment Swap: Should we schedule an equipment swap for this fall or early winter. People could bring outdoor equipment to sell or trade and/or donate their equipment to RASTA to sell with profits going into the RASTA general account.

Snowshoe Hare - New Race Director: Sarah has announced she is not going to be the Snowshoe Hare Race Director. She has done an outstanding job for many years and under her leadership the race set record attendance records and was one of RASTA's most popular events. We will need to recruit a new Race Director for the 2022 Snowshoe Hare Race.