

PINAWA TRAILS COMMITTEE MEETING

February 5, 2015

Present:

Denis Sabourin, Chairperson	Elaine Greenfield, WCCSC	Mark Krupka, SnoPALS
Paul Chambers, Maintenance	Brent Henschell, Trapper	Gisele Smith, Secretary
Diann Elliott, TCT/FIT alt.	Chuck Handford, Councillor	Glen Snider, Guest

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. Approval of the Agenda

RESOLUTION

B. Henschell, E. Greenfield

Be It Resolved That the agenda be accepted.

CARRIED

3. Approval of the Minutes

RESOLUTION

P. Chambers, D. Elliott

Be It Resolved That the minutes from the meeting held December 18, 2014, be accepted.

CARRIED

4. Review of Actions

01-Nov-14	B. Skinner – Contact the National Trails Coalition to inquire if the approved funding for the new TCT trail can be used for the proposed off-road vehicle trail to Seven Sisters. Ongoing. B. Skinner reported he has contacted Ian Hughes and is awaiting a response.
01-Dec-14	B. Henschell – Inquire about safety courses offered by Manitoba Public Insurance. Complete. B. Henschell reported a Safety Course is available from Safety Services Manitoba with the focus on ATV and snowmobile safety, at no charge. As RCMP S/Sgt. G. Gerbrandt joined the meeting at 6:40 p.m., he stated the RCMP can attend on the same evening as the safety course and provide a safety presentation. B. Henschell will confirm available dates at the next regular meeting.
02-Dec-14	G. Smith – Inquire with PCDC to confirm if the sign at the suspension bridge has been completed. Complete.
03-Dec-14	G. Smith – Inquire with L.A. Kirkwood at Manitoba Conservation concerning the progress of the appeal made regarding the new proposed Alice Chambers Trail. Complete. No progress has been made.
04-Dec-14	G. Smith – Obtain a property ownership map to determine if the No Hunting

	<p>boundaries can be increased. Complete. There was much discussion regarding additional signage and the amendment of the current No Hunting by-law. It was agreed signage is the preferred method.</p> <p>RESOLUTION</p> <p>B. Henschell, P. Chambers</p> <p>Be It Resolved That signage be placed at pertinent trailheads stating “You Are Entering A Hunting Zone”.</p> <p>CARRIED</p>
<p>05-Dec-14</p>	<p>G. Smith – Forward a copy of M. Sheppard’s Trail Maintenance Protocol document to all members. Complete.</p>

5. Program Reports

5.1. Education

Discussed under action 01-Dec-14.

5.2. Alice Chambers Trail

Discussed under action 03-Dec-14.

5.3. Trail Maintenance

a) WCCSC Report

E. Greenfield reported the Manitoba Loppet was well organized and very successful despite the lack of snow.

b) TCT/Trails Manitoba Report

TCT: M. Sheppard requested input concerning an application for trail maintenance funding for the improvement of the section of trail beginning at Aberdeen Avenue and ending at Pioneer Bay. Those in attendance were in agreement with the proposal. It was also reported “No Motorized Vehicles” signs and the “By-law” signs have been removed from certain sections of the trail. This will be reported to the Public Works Committee and Council.

c) SnoPALS Report

M. Krupka reported all trails on the east side of the river are groomed.

d) ORV Report

No report.

5.4. Ironwood Trail Development

No report.

6. Old Business

6.1. Alice Chambers Trail (New) Crown Land Permit

Discussed under action 03-Dec-14. The existing trail will not change.

- 6.2. Proposed Off-Road Vehicle Trail to Seven Sisters**
No update.

7. New Business

Nil.

8. Correspondence.

Nil.

9. Next Meeting – March 5, 2015, at 6:00 p.m.

10. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.