

Brookville Trail Hub

Minutes September 15, 2022

The meeting was called to order by president Paul Boboige at 6:30 PM at McFarland-Johnson in DuBois PA. Also attending were Terry Borden, Doug Hess and David Richards. There were no Microsoft Teams attendees.

Secretary's Report: Dave Richards read the minutes. Doug Hess motioned to accept the report. Terry Borden seconded. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Paul Boboige gave the treasurer's Report. There is \$878.75 in the checking account. We have one additional \$20.00 membership to be deposited. There is also \$740.00 in our Givebutter account. Dave Richards motioned to accept the report. Doug Hess seconded. Motion carried.

Dave Richards made a motion to change the meeting schedule to the first Thursday of the month. A meeting on the third Thursday of the month will take place only if necessary. Doug Hess Seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Old Business:

Doug Hess will work on setting up an email newsletter via Givebutter.

The JCHC poker run is September 18th. We will set up a booth in Summerville to sell memberships. We will give away a shot glass with each new membership.

Paul Boboige virtually attended the Jefferson County Commissioners meeting. He reminded them of our request for \$20,000 to help fund the trail Feasibility Study.

Paul Boboige reported that we are eligible for a Walmart grant. Other sources of funding are DCNR, PennDOT and PA Economic Development. The PA Economic Development grant request deadline is Mid November. North Central will help complete the grant applications.

We will target a meeting with Brookville Equipment in December.

Maintenance Report: Terry Borden mowed the entire Five Bridges Trail. Paul Boboige sprayed weeds. The culvert has been replaced. Cleanup still needs to be performed.

Doug Hess is still working on the "Business Certificate". Current plan is for a small plaque.

IMBNA declined our grant request.

New Business: Paul Boboige provided a quote for insurance on the trail. Further discussions will take place at our next meeting.

Doug Hess was appointed "Business Membership Coordinator"

Next Meeting October 6th 6:30 PM at the Brookville YMCA.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM