

LMAC

(Land Management and Acquisitions Committee)

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Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, December 12, 2017 – 8:30-10:00 am Presumpscot Room, Mason-Motz Activity Center 190 Middle Road

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Approval of Minutes November 7, 2017
- 3. Adams- formal scoring
- 4. Autumn Way trail relocation
- 5. Nature Preserve encroachment
- 6. Signs giving ROW
- 7. Forestry Operation NFCF
- 8. Trail Closure Policy
- 9. New Member
- 10. Discussion of 2018 Goals continued discussion
- 11. Other business
- 12. Adjourn

2018 Goals Identified November 2017

- 1. Secure legal rights for all trails now located on private land, including licenses, easements, and outright ownership.
- 2. Continue outreach efforts with landowners with properties of significant open space value;
- 3. Continue participation in the development of version 2.0 of *The Greening of Falmouth*;
- 4. Reach out to establish and/or strengthen relationships various stakeholder / user groups, including snowmobilers, hunters, trail runners, mt. bikers, etc.
- 5. Formalize a property stewardship program;
- 6. Create a data base documenting all property trails, structures, or other improvements, including bridges, benches, kiosks, etc;
- 7. Be proactive in reaching out to neighboring towns and land trusts to stimulate regional conservation and trail building efforts;
- 8. Pursue outreach to the top five "jewel property" owners in hopes of securing easements on these properties;
- 9. Develop a plan for improving the safety of the trail crossing at the East Branch crossing area on Falmouth Road; and
- 10. Get National Historic Site designation for River Point