



LMAC  
(Land Management and Acquisitions Committee)

Members: Ted Asherman, Chair; Audrey Farber, David Gagnon; Chris Kittredge; and Fred Masciangelo

Liaisons: Jennifer Grimm, FLT Executive Director; Michael Vance, FLT President and Karen Jacobsen, Conservation Commission

Staff: Amanda Stearns, Open Space Manager and Lucky D'Ascanio, Parks and Community Programs Director

**Meeting Agenda**  
Tuesday, February 13, 2018 – 8:30-10:00 am  
Falmouth Town Hall – Large Conference Room

1. Call to Order
2. Select a Chair
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Adam Property
5. NEMBA Trail Grant
6. FCC Work Plan
7. Open Space Manager Report
  - a. Nature Preserve
  - b. Unsecured Trails
  - c. Suckfish II
8. 9:15 – Paul Larrivee, Town Forester
9. Trails – Winter Grooming (Chris Carleton and Erik Mushial)
10. Other business
11. Adjourn

## 2018 LMAC Goals

1. High - Secure legal rights for all trails now located on private land, including licenses, easements, and outright ownership.
2. High - Trail Sustainability Policy
3. High - Assist Town Forester with application for Outstanding Tree Farmer of the Year.
4. Medium High - Continue outreach efforts with landowners with properties of significant open space value. Amanda to continue keeping in touch with key landowners.
5. Medium High - Continue participation in the development of version 2.0 of *The Greening of Falmouth*;
6. Medium - Reach out to establish and/or strengthen relationships various stakeholder / user groups, including snowmobilers, hunters, trail runners, mt. bikers, etc.
7. Medium - Formalize a property stewardship program. It was agreed that this is a goal that will benefit from coordination with FLT.
8. Medium - Create a data base documenting all property trails, structures, or other improvements, including bridges, benches, kiosks, etc. This project will benefit from coordination with FLT
9. Medium Low - Be proactive in reaching out to neighboring towns and land trusts to stimulate regional conservation and trail building efforts;
10. Medium Low - Pursue outreach to the top five “jewel property” owners in hopes of securing easements on these properties;
11. Low - Develop a plan for improving the safety of the trail crossing at the East Branch crossing area on Falmouth Road; and
12. Low - Get National Historic Site designation for River Point