

Open Space Meeting March 26

Attending:

Cynthia Boettner, David Schochet, Doug Finn, Paul Cohen, Larry Flaccus, Linda Herrera

Old Business covered:

Landowner packets mailed out 3/16, no responses have been received as of this date.

New Business covered:

FRCOG grant for the Open Space and Recreation Plan (5year action plan)-Larry addressed the previously asked questions regarding the NEED to have one.....he and Kimberly McFee note the advantage when applying for future funding. Discussion on reaching out to the citizens for their views and desire for both Open Space and Recreation in our area. Cynthia noted that 9 years ago, a survey was sent to residents. Further discussion on possible computer use or places that a handout survey could be placed. Perhaps the Scouts, the Senior Ctr, Recreation Dept, Snowmobile Club, Grange, Business Committee, and other organizations should be contacted for their input.

FRCOG will sharing other town's results, and will help with the mandatory items as an example updating the maps. A committee was suggested to follow through with both the survey and working with FRCOG.

Maps- extra copies supplied by Rita for distribution, if anyone desires them, just let David or other members know.

Doug reported the Planning Board reviewing the by-laws and would let Open Space if any input was requested from Open Space.

Joel and Linda will begin putting out the Trail Signs, David and Joel walked the Loop Trail, it needs more signage. David will rewalk it and add some markings.....he will need some volunteers to go along. John Payne will help with identifying the trees for future signage later this spring.

Meeting adjourned at 8:50