



Parks and Trails Advisory Board
DRAFT Meeting Minutes
March 4, 2019
6:00 p.m.

Mr. Stribick called the meeting to order at 6:10 PM.

Char Steelman, Vice Chair	Absent
Frank Korth, Secretary	Absent
George Stribick, Chair	Present
Bill Resch, Member	Present
Abbey Brooks	Present
Chip Fellows	Present

Others Present: Mr. Stephen Mayer, City of New Albany; Ms. Jackie Russell, City of New Albany, and Chris Christian, City of New Albany.

Action of minutes:

Mr. Resch made a motion to approve the minutes from June 18, 2018 and September 18, 2018, and Ms. Brooks made the second. Motion passed, 3-0.

Addition to agenda:

None from Staff.

Cases:

No Cases

Other business:

Annual Organizational Meeting.

Mr. Stribick noted the meeting dates and times are the same as the years before, 1st Monday of the month at 6:00PM at Village Hall.

Mr. Resch moved to maintain the same roles from the previous year: George Stribick as Chair, Frank Korth as Secretary, and Ms. Steelman as Vice Chair; Ms. Brooks seconded. Motion passed, 3-0.

Trail Gap Updates.

Mr. Christian gave the update to the trail construction projects of 2018.

Highlights of the presentation:

- Project Updates:

- State Route 605 from Epcon Development to Central College Road is under construction.
- Loop 6: Morse Road and Reynoldsburg-New Albany Road segments has been fully designed.
- Has had good conversations with owners of Prairie House for trail in front of their property, may be able to complete by 2019.
- U.S. 62 from Windsor to Walton is under construction and going to undergo bidding soon. Beautification process, on street bike lane, and leisure trail on both sides. Expecting to be completed by 2020.
- Ealy Crossing Bridge fully designed and will be completed this year, 2019.
- Pharmaforce installing leisure trail from New Albany Road East to the end of the property.
- Trail connection over 605 bridge on the side of Feazel Roofing, through the length of their property and duplicate the treatment that is existing on the bridge.
- Bevelhymer Road from Central College to Millbrook Farms.

Mr. Mayer, Mr. Fellows, and the Board Members discussed the Middle Harlem Rd Trail and discussed the update, which includes: not receiving communication from all neighbors, the trail could be built within the right-of-way with a guardrail, and that money has been allocated for this connection.

New Albany Schools-Rose Run Project Video.

Mr. Christian played the video.

Other Business

Leisure Trial Master Plan

Mr. Mayer discussed that MKSK will be sending out the draft plan of the Leisure Trail Master Plan for review of the steering members. We will be having a meeting for the endorsement of the Parks and Trails Advisory Board, then it will go to Planning Commission, and finally to City Council for approval.

Mr. Stribick mentioned the desire to coordinate zones of trails with Emergency Responders, as a part of the Leisure Trail Master Plan.

Mr. Stribick updated staff and the Board Members in regards to some neighborhood problems within the Links.

Meetings adjourned at 7:20pm.