Village of Hewitt and Town of Marshfield

Hewitt Area Trails Meeting Minutes September 20, 2010

The Trails meeting was called to order at 6:30 with the following members present: Jeff Binder, Joe Bores, Mike Draxler, Ken Eilers and Karen Tritz

Absent: Romelle Bymers, Randy Dragt, Jenny Hafermann, Steve Kluge and Renee Tolppi

August 16, 2010 meeting minutes: Approved.

Public Input: None

August Financial Report

Ending Balance	10,276.75
Expenses	.00
Incomes	39.44
Beginning Balance	10,237.31

Town Board meeting: The Board received one quote, but it did not include replacement of culverts. They asked the contractor to revise the quote to included culverts. Quote pending. **Development of west section of trail and meeting with Mr. Doine:** Joe, Ken, Mike, Jeff met with Ron Doine and Al Breu on 9/13. They walked the west section to determine the optimal locations for culverts and the route for the trail.

Gates for access points to the trail: Matt Strupp is making inquiries for material. Mike agreed to be the contact person for this project.

Picnic tables and benches: Jeff and Derek Binder placed the benches and tables along the trail. Jeff will also check with Scott for recognition name plates.

Plans for the future: Construction of the west section, installation of gates, maintenance. Mike is compiling a list of maintenance type projects that he will forward to Karen for distribution.

Extend Hewitt-Marsh trail to Mill Creek Trail along old Hwy 10: Topic tabled until this winter. **Items not anticipated in advance:**

- Joe met with a property owner and received verbal permission to cross his property. Our next steps are to have the property surveyed and to secure an easement.
- Joe and Al Breu conducted a site visit to the west section after a heavy rain and confirmed that ditching needs to be done on the south side of a culvert to improve drainage. Joe is making contacts with the property owner and renter.
- We discussed using the same crossing for equipment that the snowmobiles use.

Tasks completed during the month: 8/23 placement of benches and tables, 9/13 Site visit to the west section of trail. Spreadsheet updated.

Agenda items for the October 18, 2010 Trails Meeting (6:30 – 7:30)

Status of the West section of the trail

Gates

Easement

Drainage along south side of the trail

Maintenance list

Extend Hewitt-Marsh trail to Mill Creek Trail along old Hwy 10 (tabled until this winter)

Items not anticipated in advance

Tasks completed during the month (dates & time)

Adjourned at 7:30

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Hewitt Area Parks Meeting Minutes September 20, 2010

The Parks meeting was called to order at 7:30 with the following members present: Jeff Binder, Joe Bores, Mike Draxler, Ken Eilers and Karen Tritz

Absent: Romelle Bymers, Randy Dragt, Jenny Hafermann, Steve Kluge, Fran Lang and Renee Tolppi

August 16, 2010 meeting minutes: Approved.

Public Input: None

August Financial Report

Ending Balance	11,806.81
Expenses	.00
Incomes	41.06
Beginning Balance	11,765.75

Village Board meeting: The Board approved construction of a trail to the 7-9 diamond with funds from the HARD group. **2010 MACF grant application:** No update.

2010 DNR Stewardship grant application: No update.

Update the donation board: Tabled until this winter.

Trail construction to the pavilion and ditch work: Ken received an estimate to install four flared ends on culverts. Trail construction and ditch work is pending drier weather conditions. The trail construction needs to be completed by 6/2011 to comply with DNR grant requirements. **Landscaping:** A variety of trees will be planted along the road between the driveways in

conjunction with the ditch work.

Softball sales: One sold. Karen will update the letter for advertisers with goals for 2011 and forward to Joe.

Items not anticipated in advance: We discussed the route for the trail to the 7-9 ball diamond. It will begin at the parking lot and travel north past the West ball diamond.

Tasks completed during the month: None reported.

Agenda items for the October 18, 2010 Parks Meeting (7:30)

Trail construction & ditch work

Softball sales

DNR Grant application (curb installation)

MACF Grant application (spring riders)

HAPT plan update 9/23

Updating the donor board (tabled for a winter project)

Items not anticipated in advance

Tasks completed during the month (dates & time)

Adjourned at 8:30

Submitted by: Karen Tritz – HAPT Secretary