

**ICE AGE TRAIL COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MINUTES  
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2022  
6:00 PM  
BOARD ROOM, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 210 COTTONWOOD AVE.**

Present: Jim Muenzenberger, Mark Miner, Jeff Romagna, Kelli Yogerst & Jake Zuehl (arrived at 6:08).

Absent: Christina Callies

Meeting was called to order at 6:05 pm by Jim Muenzenberger.

- 1. Consideration of a motion to approve the minutes for the meeting of 08-02-2022-**  
Motion (Miner/Romagna) to approve 8-02-22 minutes. Carried (4-0).
- 2. Discussion and consideration of the budget report balance.**  
Yogerst said \$25 were made from selling of pins in August. Current balance is \$489.
- 3. Discussion and consideration of:**
  - a. Standing hikes and events updates-  
Romagna said he has the fall hikes all set up and they are in the Program guide. He said he changed the October hike to a Friday October 14<sup>th</sup> instead of Wednesday October 12<sup>th</sup> because he will be out of town.  
Callies Wee Walker hikes are in the program guide as well.
  - b. Future co-promotional events-  
Muenzenberger mentioned that at the last meeting there was discussion on the stuffed Monty for the Mammoth challenge. Brief discussion on possible a unique signage for along the trail as a scavenger hunt. Miner will get signage from IATA and get to Muenzenberger who will make plaques.  
There will also be an October 8<sup>th</sup> Moon Light Hike and need to get information on the website regarding the hike. The hike will be at 7pm at the Cotton Wayside. Yogerst will get a Fire Dept permit, and she will have office staff post on the website. Yogerst said she will see if DPW has pallets that they can use for wood for the fire. Zuehl talked to Callies about getting it on social media and he will get apple cider for the event.  
  
Motion (Zuehl/Muenzenberger) to set aside up to \$100 for apple cider for the hike.  
Carried (5-0).  
Brief discussion on the Monster Bash Hike and it was decided to postpone that hike this year.  
Motion (Muenzenberger/Zuehl) to pass on Monster Bash Hike. Carried (5-0).
  - c. Marketing of events
    - i. Website, Apps-  
Already discussed on possible avenues.

ii. Social Media, other-

September 22<sup>nd</sup> there will be a Virtual Presentation produced by IATA. Information on it will be given to the IATC by Romagna. Yogerst said she will talk to staff about giving pins out for the Challenge. Brief discussion on getting Monty costume for the Night hike.

**4. Discussion and consideration of:**

a. Trail maintenance and enhancement.

Bridge at Hartbrook is closed for unknown amount of time. Library path is to be paved and story walk replaced and updated, completion date is unknown. Penbrook Park chips have been spread out.

b. Kiosk signage –

Yogerst said Georgson has been updating the kiosk.

c. Ecos –

No update.

d. Trail Crosswalk Safety-

The Crosswalk is on a County Road so the Village needs to work with them. It was stated that they would like to make a statement that they support it and that as a committee can endorse the effort.

Motion (Zuehl/Muenzenberger) to make a statement as an IAT Committee that they endorse the improvement of the crosswalk area the Maple Wayside as the County & Village deem appropriate. Carried (5-0).

**5. Other items for follow up as needed:**

a. Educational opportunities-

Romagna will work with Michelle Davis on educational efforts.

b. Connection with schools, library, and community-

No update.

**6. Announcements -**

Yogerst is resigning as Recreation Director, IATC wishes her good luck. Individuals responsible for the graffiti done at the boardwalk at the Leopold section have been identified by police and will pay restitution.

**7. Future meeting topics and meeting schedule –**

Next meeting will be held at the Library on October 4<sup>th</sup>.

**8. Adjourn -**

Motion (Zuehl/Romagna) to adjourn. Carried (5-0). Meeting adjourned at 6:44 pm.

Respectfully submitted By Recording Secretary,  
Deidre Bushey