

Hopkinton Land Trust

Notice of Meeting

Date: August 25, 2020

Time: 7:00 PM

NOTICE MEETING BEING HELD REMOTELY

Understanding the people have a vested interest in the operation of their town boards and commissions, the Hopkinton Land Trust (HLT) intends to include the public on August 25, 2020. However, due to the COVID-19 virus, the HLT wants to be sure participants will do so safely from their own homes.

To attend the meeting, please call in by **7:00 PM**. Toll free: **1-877-853-5247** or **1-888-788-0099**.
Enter the meeting ID and #: **708-780-5899#**

When asked for a participant ID press #
Unmute yourself by pressing *9

Please note: because of ever-changing regulations due to the pandemic, this meeting may be cancelled. Please check the Town of Hopkinton website www.hopkintonri.org for updates on meetings and other important COVID-19 updates.

Agenda

- A. Call to order
- B. Approval of Previous meeting minutes: July 28, 2020
- C. Accounting of funds: Citizen's \$18,816; Webster \$665,730
- D. Reports

Chair: Tom

Mtg schedule: Sept. 22, Oct. 27. November Annual mtg?

Rec'd 7/28 from State of RI revised Guide to Holding Meetings by Video Conference

Subcommittees:

Advocacy, Status of subcommittee with PB(Sarah/Cyndy)., update on plans before PB
PR – Annual report (Ed)

Policy: bicycles on LT property (Mary)

Friends/HLT: trail work, Crown Farm event Aug 30
DR trail machine purchased, legislative grant

Land Mgmt and Stewardship:

Crown Farm Preserve update: parking, trail work, gates (Harvey)

Depot Square/Brushy Brook Trail update: Trail crew to start last week of Sept. through end of Oct or beginning Nov.

Jensen to visit in next couple weeks.

Approve SRICD for supervising per wetland permit

Mtg with Hoxsie for plantings consultant (ed/Cyn)

Mechanic St. shed, security issues (Ed/Tom - motion sensor lights)

Grills Preserve: Forestry Mgmt project moving ahead.

Notification rec'd, project scheduled for 8/25 - 8/26

Invasive (Tree of Heaven) removal plan for interior field (Tom)

Grills Wildlife Sanctuary: tree on East Loop (Harvey)

Encroachment issue, Rhodes

Kenyon Crossroads: Beaver Flood trail

Funding and Grants: Open Space Grant

E. Old Business: N/A

F. New Business:

G. Public Forum

H. Executive Session: pursuant to RI Gen. Law Ch. 42-46-5a, (5)]

Discuss potential land acquisition

Reconvene in Open Session

Motion to Seal the minutes of Executive Session

I. Adjourn