

Hopkinton Land Trust

Notice of Meeting

Date: December 15, 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 December 15, 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: November 17, 2020

C. Accounting of funds: Citizen's \$ 29,141; Webster \$665,903

D. Reports

Chair: Welcome Robert Marvel as Town Council liaison to HLT
Mtg schedule: January 12 and 26?
Trustee vacancy

Subcommittees:

Advocacy, update on plans before PB,
Comolli plan
Fairview Ave

Policy: Need policy/procedure for reporting encroachments, vandalism, etc. (Tom, Mary)

Friends/HLT: update on fundraising for Brushy Brook Trail
Developing list for late winter/spring projects

Land Mgmt and Stewardship:

Depot Square/Brushy Brook Trail update: Work complete, boardwalk and deck
Building permit fee (\$1020) waiver granted
Contractor recommends closing access until spring
Major erosion problem, spur trail.

Grills Preserve: ROW along solar, clearing done to allow for trail development
connecting to established trail. (early 2021 project)

Grills Wildlife Sanctuary:
Encroachment Trespass issues, Rhodes; Ashaway Rd
Riverbank damage reported to DEM, Office of Compliance and Inspection

Kenyon Crossroads: Beaver Flood Trail
Possible Trail Grant application.

Pelloni Preserve: Vandalism to signage reported by visitor (early 2021 Project)

Funding and Grants:

Applications due Jan. 28 for funding under new grant round announced by DEM
Relocation of spur trail Brushy Brook
Repair Beaver Flood trail, KC Been on our list for 3 years.

E. Old Business: N/A

F. New Business: N/A

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