

TOWN OF PORTOLA VALLEY Trails and Paths Committee Meeting **October 13th 2015** 8:15 AM Historic Schoolhouse 765 Portola Road, Portola Valley, CA

TRAILS AND PATHS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 8:20AM.

Roll Call: Present - J. Coleman, E. Ferrari, S. Gold, T. Lee, J. Shefren, H.

Young

Absent - S. Sweeney, B. Eckstein

Guest - J. Hansen

Approval of Minutes:

Minutes of September 8th, 2015 were approved with the following corrections: J. Paris was not in attendance and E.

Ferrari was absent.

Oral

Communications: J. Hansen asked if the cars parking along the fence by the Episcopal Church could be moved back so that equestrians could use the dirt trail without going onto the paved surface. H. Young explained that doing so would not give cars enough space to reverse out. This subject had been discussed before.

- S. Gold mentioned that Old Spanish is becoming overgrown. H. Young said that he could spray. Committee members were encouraged to take a look before the next meeting.
- J. Shefren mentioned that the Hillbrook bridge railing has collapsed. H. Young is already scheduled to repair. H. Young also reported that C. McAllister has been hired to assist S. Weber in the Public Works Department. He used to work with P. Garrett.

Old Business:

Community Hike Planning – 10:00AM Saturday, November 7, 2015. S. Gold will reconfirm notice with the town. J. Shefren will prepare informational notice for PV Forum, schools, etc. J. Shelfren, J. Coleman, S. Gold, T. Lee will be in town to help. J. Paris will contribute dessert beforehand. Decided to meet at and hike from Triangle Park

at intersection of Alpine / Portola. Will solicit donations and

use some committee budget as needed for light

refreshments.

New Business: Alpine Trail between Los Trancos and Indian Crossing – S.

Gold reported that the town had approached MROSD and told them we would pay for widening the trail from Portola Road to Los Trancos. There has been no further news but it was felt that the town should keep this on the Agenda with

MROSD.

Alpine Trail northeast of Ford Field – A bridge is being built for access via easement from Alpine to the Kelly property on the other side the creek for future development and/or sale.

Other Business: E. Ferrari asked if / when Eagle Trail will be repaired. H.

Young will address in Spring 2016.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned 9:30AM.

Date & Time of

Next Meeting: November 10th 8:15AM.