

Seminole County Leisure Services Advisory Committee Trails, Blueways & Bike Paths SubCommittee Meeting December 8, 2009 Meeting Minutes

Attendees:

- Members: Robert Bowden, Bob Goff, Barbara Whittier, Mark Brandenburg, Wes Borgman and Mike Williams
- Staff: Bryan Nipe
- City of Sanford Staff Present: Robert Bealle, Marc Hultin and Christine Dalton

Location:

City of Sanford City Hall
300 N. Park Avenue
Sanford, FL 32771

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made to approve all prior meeting minutes. The motion passed unanimously.

Old Business:

County Trail Discussion and updates

- Repaving of Lake Mary Blvd. covering the area where tunnel will be constructed – Is this necessary as the pavement will be ripped up? Bryan Nipe will follow up
- Bryan gave an update regarding the mapping process.
- Question concerning power line easement in Winter Springs. Possible trail corridor. Bryan will look into this.

New Business:

City of Sanford Trail Discussion

- Main trail focus for the City at this point - The City is looking at Phase II design of the Goldsboro Trail going down the CSX railway to existing Riverwalk.
- Question from Mr. Goff concerning wide sidewalks and if they would be used in connections within City and gave Fern Creek as an example.
- Question regarding status of Riverwalk. City stated that issues regarding completion revolve around funding and FDOT agreements.
- Committee discussed educating the public and City Council of importance of trails.
- Mr. Goff suggested finding a legislative trail champion at the State level, ie. Constantine.
- Christine Dalton gave overview of future trail plans and the coordination with the CRA and Paw Park.

- How does the City get usage numbers in Parks? Through wear and visual counts. County has counter boxes.
- Mr. Williams mentioned that the Committee has noted the importance of connecting the riverwalk and that it is high on the priority list of the Committee.
- Mr. Hultin stated that their next step will be to bring the County interest level to the Public Works director who will then bring as briefing to Council Members.

Other Business:

Future Agenda Items & Unfinished Business

Adjourn