

**SEMINOLE COUNTY
PARKS AND PRESERVATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
TRAILS, BLUEWAYS AND BIKE PATHS SUBCOMMITTEE
MINUTES OF MEETING October 8, 2014**

ATTENDANCE:

Members Present: Pete Brewer, Tom Boyko, Robert Bowden, Jeff Ebbers, Mike Martin, Lee Ricci (Visitors – James Kennedy, Bryan Kirby)

Members Absent: John May, Barbara Whittier

Staff Present: Grant Wenrick, Trails and Parks Coordinator
Sherry Williams, Park Ranger

LOCATION: Softball Complex **TIME:** 7:40 a.m.
2200 North Street
Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Previous Minutes – September meeting minutes approved by Tom Boyko and Pete Brewer.

OLD BUSINESS:

- **Dog Waste Stations / Bike Repair Stations** – R. Bowden gave info out. Most likely will put up (5) stations with “Available to sponsor signs.” (2) More bike repair to go in at Big Tree and Markham Trailhead soon.
- **(3) Boat Ramps out to Bid** – Staff gave update about current flooding conditions. (4) Out of (5) St Johns boat ramps currently closed.
- **Other Volunteer Projects** – Possible boardwalk repairs recommended by group.
- **SWT Rec. Grant** – Getting ready to start this fall. (3) Miles of repaving from 434 to Jones.
- **Trails Update from Engineering** – Tabled to next meeting.

New Business:

- **Counter Updates** – Staff gave a brief update about counter deployment. Will give more detailed update towards the end of the year.
- **Coast to Coast Trail** – Staff gave a brief update about the statewide trail network. About (150) attendees met at Winter Garden City Hall last week. State office of Greenways hopes to have most gaps completed in the next 5+ years.
- **Visit Seminole Website** – Tabled to next meeting.
- **Mountain Bike MOU** – General discussion ensued about future advancement of MOU. (2) Primary representative from SORBA Orlando in attendance.
- **Boars Nest Property** – Referred to bring up in the Natural Lands meeting.
- **Blueways Master Plan** – Seek to bring in representative(s) from Wild and Scenic Wekiva group for future meeting.

Mr. Boyko adjourned the meeting at 9:15 a.m.