

1 Minutes of the Centerville City Trails Committee meeting held Thursday, April 20, 2017 at 8:00
2 p.m. in the City Hall Business Office Conference Room, 250 North Main Street, Centerville, Utah.

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4 **MEMBERS PRESENT**

5 Mark Dimond
6 Matt Johnson
7 Mark Oligschlaeger
8 Blair Parrish
9 Mikael Remington, Chair
10 Rick Turner

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12 **MEMBERS ABSENT**

13 Brandon Federico

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15 **STAFF PRESENT**

16 Bruce Cox, Parks and Recreation Director
17 Robyn Mecham, City Council Liaison
18 Connie Larson, Recording Secretary

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20 **VISITOR**

21 Sunny Larson

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23 **WELCOME VISITOR**

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25 Sunny Larson has not been appointed to the Trails Committee, but has submitted an
26 application to be on the Committee. She grew up in Vancouver, British Columbia, and is an
27 assistant coach for the Ascent Academy Charter School Mountain Biking Team. She coaches cross
28 fit four times a week, and is a copy editor for Free Skier Magazine. Her husband, Doug Larson,
29 grew up in this area.

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31 **REPORT ON PROPOSED BIKE TRAIL – ON-SITE REVIEW**

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33 The Trails Committee attended a field trip to the proposed mountain bike trail route prior
34 to the meeting. Randy Randall, Public Works Director, also attended the field trip. Bruce Cox,
35 Parks and Recreation Director, reported Mayor Cutler met with officials from Davis County to
36 discuss a mountain bike trails project, and the County is in favor of doing a County wide mountain
37 bike trail system and a bike park. Mr. Cox met with Randy Cook & Jeff Oyler, From the Planning
38 Department at the County and Bob Radke, Sagebrush Trails & Services LLC, who designed and
39 built the 22-acre Trailside bike park in Snyderville that has several different trails, tracks and
40 facilities for all skill levels. His company also built the bike trail system at Corner Canyon in
41 Draper and a pump track in Provo, he is also building a bike park for Salt Lake County. Mr. Radke
42 said it would cost around \$300,000 to build a mountain bike park like the Trailside Park in
43 Snyderville. The County Representatives, Jeff Oyler and Randy Cook, said the County would
44 rather support a proposal for funding a master plan or a proposed project than try to come up with
45 a master plan or projects that they then have to try to get support from the cities and other stake
46 holders in order to move forward.

1 The County would like the Cities, or Trails Committees to take the lead and let the County
2 play a supporting role. County funding sources are available for Outdoor Recreation like
3 Proposition I, and the Tourism Tax. Robyn Mecham, City Council Liaison, reported she met with
4 Mayor Cutler who told her the ATV and motorized bike usage in the mountains must be addressed,
5 as this issue was discussed many years ago at a City Council meeting, and the City Council
6 chambers were filled with those who opposed restricting ATV use on the mountain.

7 **PLAN NEXT STEPS – MAKE ASSIGNMENTS**

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9 Mark Oligschlaeger will contact Bob Radke, and ask him to tour the proposed mountain
10 bike trail route to give ideas for a conceptual mountain bike master trail plan.

11 **UPDATE ON ANY NEW SERVICE PROJECTS**

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14 Mile markers have been installed on the Deuel Creek Trail every half mile, and two mile
15 markers were also placed on the Rockwood Trail. An Eagle Scout is going to replace the water
16 bars on the Freedom Hills Park trails to repair erosion and water runouts.

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18 Mayor Cutler and his LDS Stake Youth Group are planning to work at the Freedom Hills
19 Park on May 17th to do erosion repair on the trail. There will be 100 youth for one hour to work on
20 this project.

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22 Zan Robinson from the Police Department installed 28 fiberglass signs from the dike area
23 below the gun range, and along the Firebreak Road south to Bountiful and north to Farmington.
24 There were four places where the signs could not be placed, because the ground was too hard.

25 **OTHER BUSINESS**

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28 Rick Turner reported he has had four websites taken down that were advertising hiking on
29 George Haddad’s property.

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31 Mark Oligschlaeger reported he has talked with Tom Millar, Alta Planning & Design, and
32 Bountiful City has proposed a \$70,000 project with Bountiful City and Centerville for an active
33 Bike Master Transportation Plan throughout the two cities. A letter of intent for grant money would
34 be submitted in October. If funding is given, it would be one year before the work can be done. It
35 is hoped the County would also be willing to provide funding.

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37 Robyn Mecham, City Council Liaison, told the City Council about the pedestrian light on
38 the pedestrian bridge at the northbound freeway entrance. The Trails Committee would like to
39 have a light that says “no right turn” to stop traffic entering northbound I-15 when pedestrians and
40 cyclists cross at this area.

1 **NEXT MEETING**

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3 The next Trails Committee meeting will be held on Thursday, May 18, 2017 at 8:00 p.m.
4 at City Hall.

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6 **ADJOURN**

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8 At 9:30 p.m., Mikael Remington made a **motion** to adjourn. Blair Parrish seconded the
9 motion, which was passed by unanimous vote (6-0).

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14 Mike Remington, Chair

5-18-2017

Date Approved

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18 Connie Larson, Recording Secretary

