

TRAIL MIX COMMITTEE AGENDA – Tuesday Apr.12, 2016

Noon- until we are done... (hopefully under 2 hours) at the Grand Center

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***Agenda items must be received by TM Chair on the Thurs. prior to a meeting.**

1. **Mar 8, 2016 minutes – vote to approve:** Kirstin Peterson for Mimi Trudeau
2. **Treasurers report:** Sharon Hogan
3. **County/City updates:** Chris Baird, Zacharia Levine. Sandy Freethey, Tif Miller
 - Lions Park Opens! Climbing Boulders arrive. Tif Miller article in the Time Indept.
 - Tom Adams – Director of Outdoor Rec. GOED, coming to May10th Trail Mix meeting.
 - **Introductions.....**
 - Paved Path problems fixed– Thank you to the County and City Crews! (Bridge not rising!)
 - Eagle, Colorado and Torrey, Utah inquiries about our TM organization.
 - Good News! Goat Heads officially declared “noxious weeds – to be contained”...
4. **Moab Active Transportation Committee update:** Zacharia Levine
5. **Forest Service updates:** Brian Murdock, Autumn Ela
 - Geyser Pass snow plowing....Agreement? Chris Baird, Bill Jackson & Brian Murdock
 - Utah Parks and Rec. grant application for V-blade and wing.
 - Award presentation to Kirstin Peterson and Matt Heberd - LUNA
6. **BLM info and Trail updates:** Katie Stevens, Sandy Freethey, Scott Escott and others.
 - **Two Equestrian Trailheads created!!! Ida Gulch & Professor CREEK near CFI.**
(Thank you to Bill the equip driver, and the BLM engineers, Matt and Dan.)
 - Other Equestrian updates: Richard Coffinberry
 - Back Country Horsemen/Trail Mix on KCYN Apr. 20, 8am
 - Big Burrito – “Stay” on building trail upheld while 1-2 year appeal continues
 - Longbow Arch Hiking Trail – slickrock repainted....camouflage sage green -Sandy
 - Dellenbaugh Tunnel Hiking Trail – Update on trail adjustment - Sandy
 - **Action Item: Authorize Trail Mix to submit proposal to the BLM for the West Horsethief Mt. Bike Trails Expansion.** The proposed trails will create connections to link the BLM Horsethief and Cowboy Camps to several notable trail systems, including the Magnificent 7, Seven Up, and Navajo Rock. A few stacked loops will provide additional trails south west of the Horsethief Campground which will delight the campers and others.
 - **Action Item: Possible Trail Mix or BLM proposals for grant application to Utah. Division of Parks and Recreation –** Maintenance of Trails with the emphasis on Climbing and Canyoneering access trails. Included would be signs, kiosks or other infrastructure items. Has time run out for this year?

7. **Scott Escott – Trails Coordinator report:**

- **South Dakota and Wyoming, Boulder, North Idaho Volunteers /Chisholm Trail**
- **Maintenance:**
- **Ice Cream Parlor project almost done!**
- Mill Creek Powerdam post and rail additions - Sara Melnicoff + Beaver sign installed.
- Jeep Arch Hiking Trail - sign down, (replaced?)
- Russ Von Koch – ideas about Bike Patrol.

8. **Climbing/Canyoneering Access update – Brett Sutteer**

9. **MMBA update - Tom Dillon**

10. **Hiking update – Marc Thomas**

11. **Trail Articles, bits, photos, Events:**

- Moab Happenings: Longbow Arch – Marc Thomas – Thank you! – **More Authors Needed!**
- Reports on lots of events including Thaw, Outerbike, Skinny Tire, Half Marathon celebrated. Gran Fondo coming.....something every weekend, and a variety of activities for everyone! Tourist season is in full swing.

12. **Citizens to be heard... (subjects not on the agenda), time limited.**