Harmony Trail Committee

Report 8/9/2017

Bridge permit – If DEP meets their 90 day service standard we will hear by end of September

Jason Singer has started work this week on the Brooktree retention pond. Bob is meeting with Jason at 1:00 on Thursday at the stream to go over the bank hardening work we want him to do.

Commonwealth Greenway Grant application selection committee has moved their review meeting to 11/14/17 so we won’t know if we were selected for a $60K grant until after that.

We are still waiting to hear on the ARAD and C2P2 grants

No update on the tax delinquent properties

We are still waiting for the MOU process to complete with Allegheny Parks

We finished blazing the extension through North Park. We had an inaugural hike on 9/10/17. Six attended. Hikes are scheduled with the Rangers on Friday 9/22/17 at 1:00 and Venture Outdoors on Sunday 9/24/17 at 9:30. We are working on scheduling a hike with LL Bean and are considering a Pittsburgh Hiking Meetup Group Hike.

We have received no update from Penn Power on parking lot

McCandless is going to fund building a trail near Wall Park. This would make a good target for us to link up to if we are able to extend the Harmony south. McCandless is also starting a Comprehensive Plan. We will work to get trails and connectivity in there.

We continued talking about hunting with a goal of having a policy in place before the deer hunting season

The PittServe Volunteer Day will be Saturday October 21, 2017 from 10:00 to 2:00. We can set up a project or 2 maintaining our new trail segment and get students to do the work. We need to identify projects, leaders and tools.