

## Meeting Agenda

### **Open Space and Recreation Management Plan Committee**

Thursday, January 19, 2017 (7:00pm – 9:00pm)

BOS Room at Town Hall (100 Peck St; Seekonk, MA 02771)

1. Introductions
2. Review of Original OSRP & Purpose of Updating OSRP
3. Committee Structure & Timeline
4. Discussion of Current Facilities
  - a. Developing uniform standards for user-friendly experience
    - i. Online & print media (brochures, maps, signs, and kiosks)
    - ii. Trail maintenance standards (ADA-accessible, trail width, maintenance frequency, patrols, blazing standards)
    - iii. Staging area/trailhead maintenance standards
  - b. Factors to consider
    - i. deed restrictions and/or pre-existing defined uses and conservation priorities
    - ii. goals & vision for use
    - iii. existing and needed infrastructure, etc.
  - c. SLCT properties & easements
  - d. Town conservation properties
  - e. Town recreation properties & facilities
5. Discussion of Future Acquisitions
  - a. Priorities (open space, trails—ADA accessibility vs hiking vs multi-use, community gardens, active recreation fields, skate parks, etc)
  - b. Community needs assessment (survey and/or public inquiry meetings)
  - c. ADA accessibility self-evaluation

#### **Proposed Next Meeting Date & Additional Agenda Items:**

- Thursday, Feb 23, 2017
- Recreation Services & Programs (current, future, needs assessment, ADA compliance)

The Seekonk Open Space and Recreation Management Plan Committee is an ad-hoc committee comprised of town staff and other agency representatives responsible for preparing a Seekonk Open Space and Recreation Management Plan. The meeting is posted and conducted as a public meeting. Public comment will not be taken but written comments submitted in advance to the Town Planner, Conservation Agent or Recreation Director will be considered. Public input and comments are a critical part of the process and will be solicited separately via formal and informal methods and future meetings held for that purpose.