

ECIA Conservation Committee
Meeting Agenda
March 1, 2016

1. Introduction of Guests
2. Approval of February minutes
3. Work Schedule for 2016 Jan Willem Jansens
4. Update on PNM easement agreement
5. Discussion of Greenbelt trail standards drafted by John – These standards apply to option C.

Here are our options for maintenance of the Greenbelts

- A.Mowing - fast done with minimal CC oversight
 - B.Blading with the Kubota followed by mowing
 - C.Repairing – minimizing erosion rerouting. Requires the maximal amount of effort and will take many years to achieve.
6. Set up dates up for work on projects discussed by Tom Brimacombe at last meeting
 - Trail 203: Reroute the upper half. (Priority 1).
 - Trail 105: Install a connector trail from 105 to 1D; Tom has marked a proposed trail with cairns that would break up the long run of the trail 105 and create a shorter loop. (Priority 2).
 - Trail 201: There is a large headcut that is creeping toward the trail; a relatively easy fix would be to put deadfall in. (Priority 3).
 - Trail 201: Picnic tables—move them to shady spots (Priority 3).
 - Trail 401: The long descent on the northern side is over 30% and has erosion issues. Perhaps a work party could begin to put in some switchbacks to alleviate the problem. (Priority 4).
 7. Survey Greenbelt Access Trailheads?
 8. Proposed projects in addition to those we will do with Jan-Willem—Tom Brimacombe
 9. Update on rail trail and Report on COLTPAC Meetings
 - 10.Status of YTD budget expenditures
 - 11.Other Business
 - 12.Adjournment

Next Meeting: March 1, 7:00 pm