

Richmond Rural Preservation Land Trust

March 7, 2022 - Agenda 5:30 P.M.

This meeting will be held in person.

2nd Floor Conference Room, Town Hall
5 Richmond Townhouse Rd
Richmond, RI 02898

Please note: Any matter listed on this agenda may be acted upon by RRPLT

Call to Order:

Roll Call:

Absent:

Approval of Minutes:

1. February 7, 2022 Minutes

Communications:

1. Discussion of "soliciting trust in the community."
2. Green Energy Bond Update.

Approval of Invoices for Payment:

1. January 2022 Invoice from Horsley Witten Group for \$450.00 re: Saila Parking Lot Design

Public Forum:

*Note: Comments during Public Forum will only be heard and not acted upon by the Trustees. Section 42-46-6 of the Open Meetings Act, and Department of the Attorney General Advisory Opinions relevant to this item on any public body meeting agenda specifically prohibits the Board of Trustees from discussing, considering or acting on any topic, statement or question presented. The Board of Trustees may, if warranted, refer such matters to an appropriate committee, to another body or official, or post the matter for consideration at a properly-noticed, future meeting.**

Standing Updates and Reports:

1. Member Reports
 - a. S. Paton to share results of the RI Land Trust Conservation & Stewardship Survey
2. Budget Update
 - a. Donation received - \$100
3. Town Planner Report

- a. Amended 2021 Comprehensive Community Plan adopted February 15, 2022
 - b. Review of the Comprehensive Community Plan Implementation Program
4. Stewardship Subcommittee Update
 - a. Naming of the stream at the Crawley Preserve
 - b. Reading and discussion of the draft letter to the abutting landowner at the Saila Preserve.
 - c. Update on the Saila Preserve Trail Grant
 - d. Coordination of property walks / annual monitoring reports
 - e. Coordination of trail mapping
5. Property Acquisition Subcommittee Update
6. Communications / Outreach Subcommittee Update
 - a. D. Poyer to share the idea of recording Crawley Preserve History via walks and video

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The trustees may move to executive session pursuant to Rhode Island General Law 42-46 5(5) Discussion of Potential Acquisition of Real Estate for Conservation.

1. Any discussions or considerations related to the acquisition or lease of real property for public purposes, or of the disposition of publicly held property wherein advanced public information would be detrimental to the interest of the public
2. Discussion regarding communications with land owners and the potential acquisition or conservation of properties in Richmond

Next Agenda:

1. Review Items for next agenda

Adjourn:

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