

Minutes for Greenway Committee Meeting August 26, 2021

Attendees: Lynn Leopold, Larry Bieri, Gerry Monaghan, Ronny Hardaway

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 PM. Meeting recording was turned on late.

Minutes from 07/28/2021 were approved.

- Discuss Future Park Survey: Hardaway reported that we have received about 28 responses. The survey will be ended before next meeting.
- The committee is waiting for Tree Law to be approved so that it can be included in the next Greenway Plan update
- Hardaway discussed coordinating the CSC Task Force's "Natural Resources Inventory" that will need to be reviewed by the Greenway Committee. Hardaway will send a sample NRI to committee members.
 - This led to a discussion about the Horowitz property and its environmental impact on Cayuga Lake.
- Discuss future Zoom meetings
 - Due to latest variant of COVID-19, the committee can continue to meet by videoconference if we so choose.
 - Hardaway proposes a hybrid meeting but video attendees would need to provide the address from which they will be viewing.
 - Monaghan wants to remain a non-voting liaison for the meetings so that he can avoid taking all of the annual training required by NYS.
 - Voting members must allow notification of the address where they will join remotely.
 - Public must be given access to Village Office conference room so at least one person must be present in person.
 - Videos must be made available online.
- Monaghan discussed a future Global Village Park project.
- Leopold asked about a special trustees meeting on August 30th for the planned ECCR document for the Ithaca Mall.
- Bieri asked that the committee members be notified of any chance to visit Ken Horowitz's barn.

The meeting adjourned at 3:55 PM.