

The Goose Creek Scenic River Advisory Committee

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Minutes of the February 18, 2020 Meeting
Loudoun County Government Center
1 Harrison St. SE, Leesburg, VA 20175
Purcellville Room

Members Present: Chairman Phil Daley, Vice Chair Blake Netherwood, Dennis Kruse, Mark Peterson, John Isom, Ben Winn

Members Absent: Erin Smith, Jeff Millington

County Staff/Other Agencies Present: Jefferson Miller, PRCS (Recording Secretary), Erika Cuevas (Loudoun Water)

County Staff/Other Agencies Absent: Tracy Lind (PEC), Marie Genovese (Planning and Zoning), Pat McIlvaine (LSWCD), Karl Mohle (Nova Parks)

Catoctin Committee Members: Bruce Johnson

Guests: John Cox, Jack McNamee

Chairman's Business:

Chairman Phil Daley, officially called the meeting to order at 12:02 p.m.

Second order was to review and approve amended minutes of the November 19, 2019 meeting. Motion to approve John Isom, Seconded Bruce Netherwood. Motion passed.

Third order of business to schedule next meeting for March 17, 2020 at 12:00 p.m. at River Creek Club, Eagles Nest Room.
43800 Olympic Blvd, Leesburg, VA 20176
(Jack McNamee POC)

Discussion items:

- Introductions
- Review/summary of referral process
- Board of Supervisors (BOS) Resolution regarding 50th anniversary of Virginia's Scenic Rivers Program; Presented: Tuesday, February 18, 2020
- Virginia Scenic Rivers 50th Anniversary Celebration:
 - Kickoff Event Date changed - June 2020

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- River Management Society's 2020 Training Symposium 'Mountain Creeks to Metro Canals' – May 2020
- ID person for significant contribution recognition
- Possible local locations for celebrations:
 - Banshee Reeks (Ron Circe) - Potentially in August 2020 in conjunction with Friends of Banshee Reeks
 - River Creek Community Picnic - Jack McNamee (POC)
 - Function at the mouth of Goose Creek; tentatively September 2020
 - Nova Parks - include roving naturalist if possible; potential for May 2020
- Letter to BOS regarding bridge crossings/transportation plans
 - Proposed Comprehensive Plan Amendment (CPAM); sent to all Board of Supervisors members
 - Letter included in most recent Planning Commission meeting
 - GCSRAC is hopeful a potential Board Member Initiative regarding bridge crossing will be introduced
- Luck Stone/Hayden Properties/Loudoun Water development application discussion/summary
- Twin Creeks development application discussion/summary
 - Dennis Kruse/Ben Winn – proposed subcommittee for potential zoning ordinance development
 - View-shed analysis for development – Phil to discuss with Planning and Zoning
- Celebrate 50th Anniversary of Goose Creek Association
 - Date - September 20, 2020; Location - Aldie Mill
 - Looking for GCSRAC to be involved and provide information on the Virginia Scenic Rivers 50th Anniversary Celebration; potentially get elected representative attendance at celebration event or possibly presentation/speaker
- Loudoun County Preservation and Conservation Coalition symposium April 18 or 19, 2020
 - GCSRAC table display for 50th Anniversary celebration
 - Brochures and/or literature
- GCSRAC Chair; Need to identify potential candidates

There being no further Committee business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:30 PM.

Jefferson Miller
Assistant Park Planner
Loudoun County Department of Parks Recreation and Community Services
(Recording Secretary)