

**COLORADO RIVERFRONT COMMISSION  
245-0045**

**Urban Trails Committee  
Minutes  
August 10, 2004**

**Call to Order**

Meeting was called to order at 5:35pm. Those present from the Committee were:

Robert Traylor	Kent Leinbach	Bob Tallarico
Paul Darr	Lydia Reynolds	Denise McGinnis
Craig Parker		

Also present were George Miller, Shawn Cooper, Dusty Dunbar and Michele Rohrbach.

**Approval of Minutes**

**Announcements**

September meeting will be at Robert's house.

There were no further announcements.

**New Business**

There was no new business.

**Old Business**

There was no old business.

**Committee Updates**

Canal Banks – Robert/Tim and Bob met and discussed canal issues. Discussion evolved how the trails were put on the UTC Master Plan. Bob said trails have to go somewhere. Be safe, connect and preferable loop – not just one long line. Northglenn took a map and just drew lines on it that was not tied into streets/sidewalks and other infrastructure. Bob explained how they determined what was a safe trail, “Would you let your kid use the trail?” UTC will need to do politicking with City Planning and County Planning to work on grassroot efforts. Paul asked who on City Council would listen; Bruce Hill, Dennis Kirtland and Jim Spehar were given.

Problem with map is line is from east to west all through valley – rural area landowners get up in arms about trails running through their fields. Shawn thinks most of GVIC Board is more

suburban owners. Talked about getting proxies from City, Clifton Water Board and HOA Boards.

Redlands – Nothing to report.

Property Trade – Nothing to report.

Outreach/Public Awareness – Judy unable to attend but will email everyone regarding Tour of the Valley.

No Thoroughfare Wash – Letter sent to County Commissioner Tillie Bishop. Jennifer Ely called Robert about “County” people looking at site. Bill Taylor with the County thought \$100,000 as a possible \$ for trail and bridge. CDOT said they would need an Intergovernmental Agreement between County, City and CDOT. Question of who will own and maintain trail. Kent needs to talk with Joe Stevens. Discussed how best to approach getting City to maintain trail.

Michele reminded group that if they can get everything together they could go for spring GOCO grant.

### **Public Comment**

George and Dusty passed out maps.

There was no further public comment.

**Adjournment** - Meeting adjourned at 6:50pm.