

**COLORADO RIVERFRONT COMMISSION
683-4333**

Urban Trails Committee

**Minutes
August 14, 2007**

Called to Order

Meeting was called to order at 5:30pm by co-chair, Tim Fry. Those present from the Committee were:

Tim Fry Paul Darr Denise McGinnis Joe Moreng

Also present were Jody Kliska, Mark Williams and Michele Rohrbach.

Approval of Minutes – Joe/Paul. Motion passed.

Announcements – David to attend RFC meeting.

New members are Julie Sabin, Bill Grant and Mark Williams. They will be attending the meetings starting in September.

Michele reminded everyone that the last concert is Thursday night (8/16).

Old Business – UTC Master Plan – invite Ken Simms and Dave Thornton to November meeting to review changes.

Joe showed group revised UTC Master Plan and reviewed study areas. Talked about how they will do presentation – believe need to do a verbal along with study areas on large map to make sure the dots are all connected. Jody said to prepare a description and mark up study areas and then mark up large map. (Michele to pick up clean maps from Jody tomorrow and get to Joe).

Meeting with Mayor – Tim hasn't been in contact with him recently. He will try and reach him to reschedule meeting.

Joe said he went on internet site to find out what other communities with canal trails have encountered. UTC (GJ) was the only one and Ashland, Oregon.

Jody stated that Trent Prahll has been appointed Deputy City Manager.

Committee Reports – No Thoroughfare Wash – Denise said having problem getting group together. Land easement issues not as bad as thought. Peggy has copy of deed for review.

LiveWell – Kickoff is Thursday, August 30th. Will be doing four challenges. UTC and RFC are hoping to do some events. Denise was thinking about doing something in each challenge. Talked about doing a geo-caching event and have the City GIS people there to show how to use a GPS.

There was no further old business.

New Business – Denise went to meeting with GOCO staff. RFC was not asked to apply for grant (had been informed earlier that they were). New grant program up to \$250,000. Only three to four grants per state wide. Still waiting to find out requirements on new applications.

There was no further new business.

Public Comment – There was no public comment.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 6:10pm.