

**COLORADO RIVERFRONT COMMISSION  
683-4333**

**Urban Trails Committee**

**Minutes  
November 11, 2008**

**Called to Order**

Meeting was called to order at 5:35pm by co-chair, Paul Darr. Those present from the Committee were:

Paul Darr	Elizabeth Collins	Steven Bliss	Bill Grant
Joe Moreng	Julie Sabin	Mark Williams	

Also present was Michele Rohrbach.

**Approval of Minutes** – Bill/Julie. Minutes approved.

**Announcements** – Julie to attend RFC meeting on November 18<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**Old Business** – Bike/Hike Swap – Mark said his wife is really sick and has asked to table for now – will reschedule later.

Paul reminded group that Julie was nominated co-chair at last meeting.

Letter for database – there was a flurry of emails regarding the letter. Everyone will try and open to see if it works. If there is a problem, get back to Steve.

There was no further old business.

**New Business** – Paul talked about response from Laurie – City Council is still working on other issues. She has directed City staff to collect ownership of easements.

Paul has spoken with Steve Smith at the City GIS. Steve S. is revising UTC Master Plan because it's not really helpful. Developers not happy with easements given to City because nothing being done with them. Canal Companies have once again said NO CANAL TRAILS. Steve S. will attend December 9<sup>th</sup> meeting.

There is a City meeting next week that Laurie will see what's been done by staff. There are problems by not getting UTC Master Plan updated on regular basis. Steve S. wants to get all info together so there is a current snapshot of what's been done, what's available and who will take ownership. Michele suggested Steve S. contact MC GIS for info about what's been put into their system from work done on the Regional Master Trail Plan.

Mark asked about test strip – Paul told him it has been tabled until get direction from the City. Mark thinks UTC should pursue. Motion made for UTC to send email to Laurie saying UTC

wants to move forward with trail along GVIC on easement at Moon Ridge Fall. Mark stated he didn't want to move forward with motion. Mark will call Shawn in morning to check status on design.

Talked about \$50,000 pledge by RFF and time line of when it must be used by.

Went back to Steve's draft letter. Several members to go back and play with it. Still need some legal language. Will want to run by John Shaver to make sure it's okay.

Discussed how to word when there is not trail in area – Michele said past members would say “the UTC Master Plans shows.....”.

Steve said really need to make sure that the letter is the way UTC wants, can't change once it's ready.

There was no further new business.

**Public Comment** – There was no public comment.

**Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned at 6:25pm.