

Steven's notes from August 12, 2019
VASA meeting

1). Web Site:

- a) As of 8/12 we have sold 583 online memberships.
- b) VASA is currently out of stickers, awaiting delivery this week.

2). Membership:

- a) Membership forms need to be submitted each BOD meeting.
- b) Currently we have 3077 memberships including regular & online sales.

3) Events:

- a) Mt. Washington was a success. 110 tickets sold and 103 showed up, also sold \$320 worth of t-shirts. Lloyd Church to organize again next year (July 25, 2020)
- b) Mt. bike event went well thanks to VASA, s organized help. Thanks to Bennington Trail Cruisers, TOW & Northeast Kingdom Wheelers, the Mountain Bike folks made a donation to VASA. The donation was split three ways and given to the participating clubs listed above.
- c) VASA looking for a club to step up and host the annual 2020 meeting.

4). Grants:

- a) Safety grant \$20,000.00 is completed.
- b) Great Trails Workshop \$15,000.00 will be coming soon.
- c) Kiosk grant is nearly completed.

5). Trails:

- a) Please update all landowner permission slips and town ATV ordinances ASAP.
- b) Dave Guilderdale is working his way North to do work off Oregon Road.
- c) RTP project from Wheelock to Greensboro in the works.
- d) Future RTP grant for renting a second track loader.

6) Law Enforcement:

- a) Danny has been meeting with various law enforcement agencies setting up patrols.
- b) 100 hours of enforcement by Fish & Game from Dummerston to Island Pond.

7) Act 250/ Vt Trail Alliance:

a) Danny is attending weekly meetings to keep on top of this to make sure nothing will negatively affect ATV trails is going on without our knowledge. There have been some happenings that Danny will give a verbal update on at the meeting.

8) Maps:

- a) Time to start thinking about updating or adding trails to maps.
- b) Audit will be ongoing from now to September.

9) Act 250/VT Trail Alliance:

- a) Danny is attending weekly meetings. Mt. Bikes are the most under the gun at this time.

10) Finances:

- a) Audit and Annual report are finished.
- b) Registration fee has been increased to \$10.00.

11) COMMITTEES:

- a) Reviewed Joint Committee Conference Call and tasks per committee.
Financial & Policy Committee – contact Gary Nolan.
 - 1) No report this month.

Membership & Public Relations Committee – contact Adam Lane

- 1) No report this month.

Trails Committee – contact Lloyd Church

- 1) No report this month.

12) Old Business:

- a) Nothing at this time.

13) New Business:

- a) VASA is looking to hire a full time Trails Coordinator. (\$45,000.00)
- b) 21 clubs at this time.
- c) 2020 preliminary budget reviewed and approved by BOD>