



**OGDEN TRAILS NETWORK
ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Ogden Trails Network Advisory Committee held Thursday, October 17, 2024, 4:30 p.m. Ogden City Public Works Building, 133 W 29th St, Training Room, Ogden, Weber County, Utah.

Present: Nic McMillan Nathan Silberman Dan Spark Michael Goodrick Benni Hanna Lavar Harris Jim Judeikis Joseph Sanchez Sarah Scott	Present EX-Officio: Kristin Johanson Erik Skabelund Stacey Olsen Lt. John Cox Gentri Osgood
Excused: Tara Warren Lyndsey Sorrentino Amanda Gentry	Excused Ex-Officio: Monte Stewart Jacob Chadwick Michelle Williams

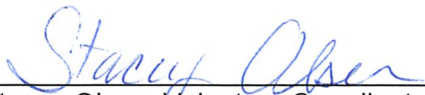
Minutes

Welcome, Call to Order & Roll Call	Chair Goodrick called the meeting to order at 4:35pm, conducted roll call, welcomed, and thanked everyone for attending.
Minutes	Chair Goodrick asked if everyone had a chance to read over the minutes from September 19, 2024. Member Spark motioned to approve the September 19, 2024, minutes. Seconded by Member Harris. Committee approved.
City Report	Golf Course Trails: Chair Goodrick, Aric Manning and Director Stewart have a meeting scheduled. They are going to tour the golf course and view the trails that are crossing the fairway. Gentri Osgood with Animal Control was at the meeting and shared that the Animal Control Team has been out on the trails every Saturday hiking. They write a ticket to every person then come in contact with whose dog is not on a leash. They have mostly been on Gib's Loop but have also visited 22nd Street and 9th Street. The first ticket is a fine of \$85.00. She stated that most of the people she speaks with are not aware that the leash law applies along the trails. Lots of users, live near the trails and are not accessing the trails from the main Trailheads, where the signs are posted. Lt. Cox

	explained how laws are implemented and that they can only enforce the laws, they can't create them or determine what the fine or punishment is. Fire Mitigation is happening along the Rainbow Trail area. The Ogden Fire Department is out with equipment and taking down invasive species, dead trees, overgrown, thick brush.
USFS Updates	USFS Representative Johanson would like to implement a volunteer agreement with the OTN. The agreement is a basic form that gives contact information, and you sign stating you agree to follow certain standards while on the USFS Trails. She would be trying to get any volunteer hours that were done on Forest Service Land. Staff Olsen will add a line on the volunteer reporting sheet for USFS, so each month the committee can report on their hours. Member Harris will send over the contact for Tara Frank.
Projects 2025	The committee discussed potential projects for the 2025 season. • Strong's Canyon – erosion • Upper Taylor Canyon Bridge – repair • Waterfall Canyon Bridge – repair • Overlook bench on 29th Street TH • 27th Street access to Boulder Field and Bike Trail • Bird Song reroute
Fundraising 2025	Member Judeikis presented some ideas for the Shindig next year. Ideas included: • silent auction and raffle, • vintage bicycle show, • trail film expose/competition (in conjunction with Weber State Film Dept.), films, video clips from local trails, hand out water along trails and film short interviews • Bike Shop competition – tire change race • High School Bike Team competition – Tug of War • Booth for a Veterinarian – education about rattlesnake vaccine, booties, cooling vests • Booth for pet shop – display various accessories for trail dogs • Trail art and photography show and sale • Bike events – park jam, whip off, skinny challenge, clinics, death rut race, Birdsong Hardline race, gravel race • Running events – 5k • Boulderling • Hiking events – scavenger hunt • Swag – shirts, stickers, koozies Staff Olsen stated our obstacle will be providing insurance for some of these events. She will try and get details.

	Vice Chair McMillan also has two electric bikes that he is going to give away. People will buy a sweepstake ticket, and all proceeds will go to the OTN. He will do one bike at a time.
GOAL Spoketacular	Chair Goodrick is planning to set up the OTN booth for this event on October 26 from 11am to 1pm at the Lorin Farr Park. He asked Staff Olsen to pick up some candy to pass out. Lots of committee members would like to join, they suggested getting swag to pass out.
Committee Updates	Member Scott – She asked for any recent projects and photos for our social media. She would also like to share the link for the bike giveaway. She reported that tonight TFNU is having a trail mixer at the Monarch. Member Sanchez – stated he would like to start working on the plans for the Shindig right away. Member Harris stated that the Bonneville Mtn Bike Team would like to also get involved with projects in the Ogden Foothills. Member Hanna – is planning a couple more projects before the end of the year. Member Silberman – Would like to learn the fate of the 9th Street Bike Park before he invests money into repairs. He is planning to do some handwork now that it has rained. Member Spark – He would like to purchase some electric trimmers, Chair Goodrick agreed to keep them stored and charged. Vice Chair McMillan motioned to approve \$1,000.00 for Ego trimmers and a spool of line. Seconded by Member Harris. All approved. Vice Chair McMillan motioned to approve \$350.00 for 5 McClouds. Seconded by Member Hanna. All approved. Chair Goodrick is planning to gather all the counters, get new batteries and put them back out. He asked if anyone had any locations they would like to know counts. It was suggested to put one at Birdsong Alternate. Staff Olsen asked everyone to please report homeless camps to her as soon as they see them.
Adjourn	Member Scott motioned to adjourn the meeting. Vice Chair McMillan seconded the motion. Committee approved. The Ogden Trails Committee adjourned at 5:45 pm.

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Stacey Olsen, Volunteer Coordinator

Date Approved: 1/16/25