



Linn County Trails Association

Executive Board Meeting

Friday July 25, 2008



The regular meeting of the Linn County Trail Association's Executive Board of Directors was held on Friday July 25, 2008 at the offices of Anderson-Bogert Engineers and Surveyors Inc. A quorum was present that included the following:

LCTA Board Members:

Jon Bogert (President) Jim Healy Brad Mullin (Secretary) John Helbling

Call to Order:

Jon Bogert called the meeting to order at 12:00 p.m.

Vice Presidency Vacancy

Geoff Eastburn has agreed to serve as vice president.

CEMAR Trail

The city of Cedar Rapids is progressing into the design stage of Phase I and Phase II of the CEMAR trail.

Flood Recovery and Redevelopment Committee

The board discussed the creation of an ad hoc committee to address trail issues as a result of the June flood. Its main focus will be advocating the inclusion of trails in flood redevelopment. Committee members will attend meetings and open houses and voice the value of trails. The issue of identifying and reporting trail damage will be a short term goal. It would supplement the city's assessment. Jon Bogert reported that Saski and JLG have plans to include trails as part of the river redevelopment in Cedar Rapids.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:20 pm.

Brad Mullin

Secretary

Addendum: River Corridor Redevelopment Plan

Open House 1:

Tuesday, July 29

Noon-2 p.m. at Metro High School 1212 Seventh Street SE

5-7p.m. at Madison Elementary School, 1341 Woodside Drive NW

8-10 p.m. at Washington High School, 2205 Forest Drive S.E.

Open House 2:

Tuesday, September 9: will provide further refinements and details for a plan based on public feedback to the options in July.

Open House 3:

Tuesday, October 14 will provide a final draft plan for a framework and reinvestment and revitalization.