

Hawaiian Paradise Park Paths Committee Minutes- 2/18/14

The committee meeting started at 6:00 PM in the HPPOA Library

Committee members present: John Seastrom, Larry Brennan, Dean Silber, June Conant, Mary Cashman, Verne Presnall, and Terri Michels.

- Review of December's Minutes: Minutes for the 1/21/14 meeting were approved as read.
- Report on PATHS Hawaii Facilities Meeting - February: Dean S. reported that no meeting was held this month.
- Progress Report on HPP Trail Work: Dean S. made a motion to give Mary C. the authority to get two or more bids in a "three pin survey" of the back line of the Hui property, between 17th and 16 streets; seconded by John S. and passed unanimously

Dean S. made a second motion to have Larry B. arrange with Peter Houle the volunteer of his D-9 tractor along with the services and input of the HPPOA staff to create a path around the perimeter of the HPPOA Hui property; Terri M. seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

- Preparations for PATHS Hawaii Bike Safety Event for HPPOA February Membership Meeting: John S. reviewed the "To Do" list from the Bike Safety Event "status check" meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 11th at 6 PM, in the Hui library; everything appears to be on track and prepared for an estimated 16 participants... based on Mary's contacts, Dean's sign up list, and volunteers from the HPPOA PATHS committee members.
- Bike Trail in Puna: Jon Olson, a developer of the original Puna Development Plan, has reported that a number of citizens want a trail from "Red Road" to Hilo using the old railroad grade. It was discussed that Jon should be invited to a future HPPOA PATHS meeting to discuss this with our committee (March?)

Meeting was adjourned at 7:35 PM; and the next HPPOA PATHS Committee meeting was set for March 18, 2014, @ 6 PM.

Agenda Items for March 18th HPP PATHS Committee Meeting:

1. Progress report on HPP Hui Hiking Trail & walking trail/bike path... next steps (Operators Union volunteer support for trail development)
2. Dean's report from PATHS Hawaii Meeting
3. Coordination w/Jon Olsen on Puna to Hilo Bike Trail (Railroad Ave. ?)
4. Next direction for HPPOA PATHS Committee ...More "Park" trails, Paradise Blvd. restriping, etc.