

## OMRT Comm. Mtg Sep 3,19

Mtg at Heritage Bank, 8:30-10:05

Attending: Time Dustrude, Louise Dustrude, Dave Zeretzke (notetaker), Todd Kaden, Jeffery Gillette, Lincoln Borman

**-Fair Booth Report** by Tim: 5 pgs of signatures and emails of supporters of the idea of OMRT. Tim added to email list (Excel on Google Docs) for OMRT updates/announcements incl. of mtgs. Will use 'Constant Contact' (same digital commo vendor as Trails Comm. so no cost to OMRT Comm.) to insure the privacy of all recipients is protected. Recipients can easily unsubscribe at any time.

Almost all interested folks supportive. Poster very magnetic for passerbys. Brochures work well. Staff of SJINHP very helpful and enthusiastic. Brochure needs proper website address and QR code for access by mobile devices so anyone reading brochure can scan QR code and go straight to website. Tim will develop revised brochure and communicate with Shaun Hubbard re changes before additional ones printed.

Discussion of where to display poster and print extras (11'x17" easier to display). Following locations considered. Labs, Kings, Library, Island Rec, SJC offices, tourist info ctr, private businesses, etc. Prinonyx has digital poster and can print more. DZ followup with Tim. Discussion included gaining more group supporters.

**Mtg dates/times discussion:** Need for time when working persons can attend. Decision to move to noon on 1st Tuesday of month to 1:30. Island Rec Conf. Rm first choice. Dave to followup.

**Potential OMRT Comm members:** Numerous names discussed of people likely to be supportive to be divided up for contact and followup by various OMRT Comm members. Potential members' names omitted from these minutes out of respect for persons involved except for those people previously contacted. Committee members will followup.

**Storage in Conf. Rm of Island Rec** - middle 2 drawers with posters stored beside cabinet.

### **Future Power Pt Presentations:**

Hist. Society - Sep 10th No Pwr Pt, 15 minutes, hardcopy only. Tim and Jefferey

Land Bank - Nov 15th. Time tba. Dave & ? to present - 20/25 minutes. Confirm w Lincoln

County Council - Dave to work w Mike Thomas to schedule

Lions - Boyd Pratt and ? to schedule thru Tom Starr for Lions

**Website development:** Tim presented work he's done to date. Discussion of what to include. Tim to develop template from existing info and circulate to Committee for suggestions.

**Grant followup:** Todd reviewed answers from 2-3 wks ago re clarification to 5 questions. He will contact NPS employee next wk, Alex Stone, re any other info needed.

**Ahead of Opposition:** Jeffery will present at Oct. mtg the various ways the Committee can counter arguments against the OMRT. We all have been discussing how to do so but not yet have taken the various steps possible this year.

**Mission:** Discussion about the final wording of the mission. Tim suggested it is what Robin and Shaun used for the 2st sentence of the poster which is, "To create a multi-use trail from English Camp to American Camp celebrating the historic Old Military Road by utilizing current trails, select conserved lands, lightly-traveled roads and granted easements on private land."

Pushed to Oct. Mtg agenda along with prior issues not id'd here:

Island Rec deadline for Spring/summer mailer

Trail consultants in NW

Old Is family supporters

public presentations: Library for public

Vouri presentation on Dec 2 re trail along Hadrian's Wall in northern England