

## MAMBA MEETING MINUTES

**Date:** August 15, 2019 at Mikey's  
Called to Order by Wenz at 19:02

**Board Present:** Colin Priebe, Matt Pollard, John Wenz, Donald Schmit, Sandra Townsend

**Guests:** see photo below

**Consent Agenda Items** (approved without motion and voting unless board member wants to move to a regular discussion item)

Treasurer's Report

- As of 8/2/2019 the balance is \$9,602.30

Minutes from meeting on 10 July 2019

### **Appointment of new board members**

- Motion by Wenz to appoint new board members: Suzanne Kaplan and Kyle French. 2nd. Priebe. Passes.
- Motion by Wenz to appoint French as the Treasure. 2nd by Pollard. Passes
- Motion to remove Matson and Barker as signers from the bank account. Add Pollard, Wenz, French. Second by Priebe. Passes.

### **OLD Business**

#### Idler's Rest Trail Update (Colin)

- "Beginner" trail option?
- Some updates: Parking lot is being built this week. Goal: Connect IR to the Eastern end of Jacks.
- Likely too steep for a kid's trail.
- Trail corridor has been determined to avoid a pond and houses etc.

#### Palouse Bike Week Activities

- September Social Tuesday 17 Sept 2019 at Hunga Dunga Planning (John)
  - 6-9pm
  - Lead organizer: Andrew Pratt and Justin Miller (? will ask them)
  - Buy beer
    - About \$500 last year. Can we get donors for this year? Ideas
  - Agenda/Activities
    - Meet the board
    - Comment box
    - Trail Adoption poster
    - History of the club
    - Landowner Recognition
    - This year's work, with pictures

- Strategic Goals
    - Pictures from Mambaship→ solicit photos from ALL trail users
      - Roadrunners? Moscow Mtn Madness
    - Promotional Video- Jamie Seckington
  - Same Poster as last year
    - Sanda will design the poster
- Trail Building 101 at Bike Park (John)
  - City Bike Park is not a good match to the mtn- consider/find a different place
  - Tabled for now!

### Signs:

- Trail landing parking sign (Colin)
  - Nearly Done. Colin is on it.
- Trail signs (Matt/John)
  - Carsonite + stickers = ~\$25/sign
  - West to Paradise Point will cost about \$625
  - Other options include 4x4 posts (about \$5 each)
  - Several Landowners are on board. Need to query all
  - Kayden Scott offered to provide help with signs. Wood. Wife a graphic designer and would be willing to help with stickers...
  - Motion to start signs on Carpenter Land by Wenz. Second Schmit. Passes
    - Pollard will order posts + stickers ASAP
  - Wenz will contact landowners

### **NEW Business**

Palousafest. Saturday afternoon 8/24

<https://www.uidaho.edu/current-students/student-involvement/events/signature-events/palousafest> UI Welcome back event

- MAMBA Table? Or have something/someone at Vandal Cycling table?
- Disseminate Propaganda
- Show Trail Map
- Pollard will try to be there

### New Trail Requests (John)

- New Trail "Flow Trail" with TTF (jumps, drops, berms, gaps)
  - Identify MAMBA member to spearhead (Seckington?)
  - Get "expert" help on design and building
  - Spring 2020?
  - Somalia and Sentinel?
  - Look at Tamarack parking lot access (state land)
  - Look at City of Moscow land (near Alt Rock)
- Addition of TTF to existing trails with option to hit or avoid. Build a list of possibilities, approve and get members working on them...

- Table and log ride at 'bottom' of Southside
- Rock at top of Flipside



- Beginner trails with easy access and true easy trail: No grunt
  - Idler's rest?
  - Publicize Beginner friendly options in area
    - Routes in Trail Forks
    - FB post
- Look at Philips Farm and Bike Park on Palouse River rd
- Common Request is "where to ride as a beginner"
  - Looking at former city ball fields
    - Pump track (north side) and south side (requires bridge)
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Motion to adjourn at 20:18 by Wenz. Second Pollard

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Jamie Seckington

Henk/ Seckington

Caleb Matson

Tomy Matson

Orin Prube

Kayden Scott

T-Jay Cluesee

Kate Lee

Mike Brazell

Suzanne Kaplan

Shaz Townsend

KYLE FRENCH

MATT POLLARD

John Wenz

Colin Pruebe

Luke Grant

Donald Schmit