## FRIENDS OF THE

Musketawa Trail



## Millennium Trail 2000

National Recreation Trail 2008



## **MEETING AGENDA:**

Thursday, October 4, 2012 7:00 p.m. Ravenna Village Office 12090 Crockery Creek Drive

**September 19, 2012** 

- 1. Call meeting to order--President Ed Holovka
- 2. Secretary Report Sharon Davis
- 3. Treasure Report--Diana Holovka
- 4. Correspondence Membership
- 5. Trail Manager Reports:
  - a. Muskegon County George Czinder
  - b. Ottawa County Anne Engvall
  - c. Oceana County Joel Mikkelsen
- 6. Web Site Mark Fritsma
- 7. Grant proposal for TransCanada Pipeline submitted for \$4,000
  - a. Observation deck west of Marne
- 8. Trail projects completed/proposed this spring and summer
  - a. RR Switch with recognition plaque & post installed at Broadway
  - b. RR Post and sign installed at Conklin with brochure container on info kiosk
  - c. Memorial post and plaque placed by memorial tree, Ethel Drake, at Harold's request
  - d. Kiosk and 3 x 5 foot Musketawa sign and RR post and signage scheduled for installation within the week barring rain
  - e. Removed roof from Conklin trail sign should be replaced for protection of sign from elements
- 9. Two 20-foot rails were dropped off at Ravenna Trailhead, courtesy of Coopersville RR personnel. With ties at Ravenna, we have material for installation next spring/summer with Coopersville staff willing to help with tools and expertise.
- 10. Hopefully Oscar and Gary can get crew together to finish Ravenna water tower project, followed by installation of covered board and plaque recognizing donors and renovators.
- 11. Making effort to install plaques at various sites, recognizing project contributors, much delayed effort.
- 12. Trail cleanup request by 4-H group and Mr. Hartman with golf cart in Oakridge area
- 13. Looking into other metal workers who might do the four metal railroad art projects
- 14. Brochure distribution efforts
- 15. E-mail photos from Gary of the new east trail addition and Fred Meijer memorial park
- 16. Other issues . . . . .

Note: last meeting of the year, thanks for your engaged participation, helpful guidance, and support

## 17 years of trail work and still going! A non-profit organization of committed volunteers