Meeting Minutes
First Part of Sanford Trails Committee Regular Meeting
September 21, 2026
7:00PM

Members Present: Sam Parady, Megan Titcomb, Dave Parent, Al Pollard, Dereck Bourque, Thom Gagne, Steven Schneider, Melanie Taylor Coombs, Brady Lloyd

Guest: Jadon Winchell

Meeting began at 7:02

Approval of the minutes from the August 17, 2026 meeting. Motion by Forrest and seconded by Dave to approve the minutes as presented. Unanimously approved.

Financial Report: Brady reports $46,843.58 in the CIP account while the special revenue totals $21,489.79.

Committee Reports:

a) Volunteer hours: 68 since last meeting
b) Communication/Outreach: Megan created an online survey to record public feedback for the trails and the results were reviewed. Hazards like needles and trash were by far the most maligned part of the trail, however users by plurality still rate the condition of the trails as good. The feedback encourages the committee to continue trail cleanups, find better ways for the public to report an issue on the trail, and to convey the findings from the survey to the City Council.

ATVs on Mousam Way South: Brady reviewed the need for additional boulders/ATV protection on Breton Ave. A neighboring lawn to the trailhead has been scuffed by ATV wheels repeatedly. Brady will look to Public Works/Parks and Rec for boulders. Other committee members suggested a small chain/fence. Others noted dirtbikes being spotted near the Y/Middle School.

Signage on Stanley Rd CMP Infrastructure: Brady reached out to CMP who gave the go-ahead to install “under-surveillance” signs on the fence surrounding the transmission line. The power company highlighted the potentially charged nature of the fence and will install the signs.