

New Business

Betsy reports that Matt Garrison is interested in helping with construction management for portions of trail. Al suggested that the boardwalk along Alden Nash could be used as a volunteer project (revive the LIVE) separate from the trail construction and that someone of Matt's experience would be needed to manage that project.

Easements

Foreman Road

Perry, Theresa and Al met with John Gratz's daughter to discuss easement options. She will discuss with farmer who rents the land to see if he thinks trail would impact his operation.

Lowell Area Schools

No action.

Alden Nash West

No action.

Wege property

Waiting for response from Pete Gustofson on draft easement presented September 28.
(Received e-mail October 9 with questions on exhibit).

Other

Meeting ended @ 6:__. (Al had to leave at 6:20)

The foregoing constitutes my understanding of matters discussed and conclusions reached. Please review and share your additions or corrections at our next board meeting on **Wednesday November 12, 2008 at 6:00 pm, Lowell City Hall.**

Respectfully submitted,
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For more information refer to the website

www.lowellareatrailway.org

Commonly used acronyms;

Lowell Area Recreation Authority (LARA)

Lowell Area Community Fund (LACF)

Lowell Community Fund (LCF)

Lowell Institute for Volunteer Excellence (LIVE 5)

Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR)

Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT)

Trail Resources Enrichment and Development (TREAD)

Safe Routes to School (SRTS)