MASON-DIXON TRAIL SYSTEM, Inc.

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Minutes of the Board of Directors' Meeting November 9, 1982

Present at the home of the Tobiases in Rohrerstown were: Ron Gray, John Mott, Dick Tobias (presiding), Carl Reachard, Bob Epps, Turner Darden and Kay Way.

Correction of Last Minutes - Otter Creek Hike is February 27, not 25, 1983. Ron may combine our hike with Maryland Club, perhaps meal at J. Paul Jones cabin. Hike will be 10% miles.

In the absence of a Treasurer's Report, speculation was rampant. Was there to be a 2 color map in the next newsletter? Would it use up all the KTA grant? Turner will call Pat to see what bills are outstending.

Trail Building - Turner's report on Iron Hill to Elkton. John Wriston is making progress, has 6 people working with him and has found a better route. No blazes have yet been painted; it was suggested someone check with him on his unusual turning blazes. Hockessin - Carpenter; the October hike showed several blaze corrections and clarifications. It was strongly suggested that we include the PARK in the trail route. Ron Gray reported NO right of way allowed through Girl Scout property; however, he thinks the alternative is pretty though rocky. This will finish the whole section but Lock 12 and Wrightsville. In the "Boy Scout" section, Pinchot Park needs to be contacted for permission to use their land. It is hoped Dan Schaefer will do this.

NEW Business (after a Goodies Break) Dick Tobies wants our ideas in January for a 3 year program for MDTS. He wants to encourage wider membership participation in our meetings, making them combination board and general meetings. Dick suggests that the 4 mandated meetings per year could be day long ones held in different areas of the trail. Business and some kind of program would make an intersting day.

NEWSLETTER Action - The following resolution was moved, seconded and passed. Our future newsletters shall be combined with the minutes of meetings and sent to the general membership and any other interested organizations.

UPCOMING HIKES

2-27-83 - Meet at Otter Creek Recreation area at 9 AM for a 10% mile hike North toward Cuff's Run. Leader: Ron Gray - Other clubs most welcome.

4-16-83 - North East to Perryville, 10 miles with Turner...details to follow.

June date to be set by Ron Gray

Next Meeting: January 16, 1983 at the Piersols' at 2 PM.

Secretary Pro Tem Kay Way, who is NOT responsible for the typing!