

Upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers (UMATR) Wild & Scenic Committee

Meeting Agenda

6:30pm Thursday, *May 11th*, 2023

IN-PERSON meeting (and potluck!) at the (still) NEW office space in East Berkshire!

- 1) Potluck – we’ll enjoy a meal together as we enjoy our first in-person meeting of 2023!
- 2) Call business portion of the meeting to order
- 3) Review of April meeting minutes
- 4) Any business from the April minutes?
- 5) Event overview: Timing did not work out to hold another Salamander Night Patrol.
- 6) Administrative: Jan-Mar financial report
- 7) Grants/Projects: Proposed change to our grant programs: “Town Infrastructure Grants” to be called “Municipal Grants”.
Videography Interns – priorities?
Exploring Our Cultural Waters videos
- 8) 2023 Upcoming Events – **Saturday, May 13**: FCNRCD Fishing Festival; also Montgomery tree planting for the Fruit and Nut Orchard. **May 20**: Richford BioBlitz. **June 17**: Flatwater Paddle Instruction. **June 24**: Nature Paddle with Jared Nunery. **July 9**: Swiftwater Paddle Instruction. **July 15**: Missisquoi River Paddle-Pedal. **September 9**: Swimming Hole Clean-Up. **September 30**: Paddle and Picnic. **October 14**: Wild and Scenic Film Festival.
- 9) Other/Public Comment
Orleans County Locally-led Conservation meeting Thurs May 18th 12:30-4:30 at Prouty Beach. Maple donuts and ice cream :)
- 10) Upcoming meetings:
June 15 – Westfield Community Center
July 20 – Franklin County – office?
- 11) Wrap up and adjourn.

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