EMTI Minutes 9-22-08, at Rick Hopkins.

Present were: Mary Stone, Rick Hopkins, Rick Brock, Sandy Woodbeck, Nona Estrin, guests John Hollar of MOMBA and Andrew Brewer of Onion River Sports.

Minutes were accepted.

Expenses on Ester Salmi Trail were discussed, particularly a discrepancy of, solved for the moment, regarding a grant contribution from us to XVt Trail of \$2, 500.00.

MOMBA (John and Andrew, above) presented the concept of the EMontTrails Mt. Bike Race. Issues to be dealt with include:

Landowners and Town Forest Committee Townspeople---presentation at town meeting? Repair if damage? Cancel if BAD mud/rain to prevent above damage? Other concerns may exist

Nona agreed to write a Thank You from EMTI and the town to Jennifer Boyer for her contribution in creating the new EMTrail Map, now available, and much appreciated.

Mary and Sandy discussed with us the new EMT PARKING signs, to be placed in full view on the road at trail heads with room to park. They are beautiful, and WOW what a change this will make in out presence in the region, not to mention ease of access for users. Sandy has offered to put these in, as doing so presents several problems, which to Sandy, seemed as nothing.

Discussion of the continuation of rises and falls of fortune in the County Road Trail was led by Sandy.

Discussed the new Grant application with Housing and Conservation Board on Clark section adjoining U_32 . To be announced in Jan.

The old fiscal books (checkbook) needs to be reconciled with the new, to knit together the 2 year gap which opened after Kim Kendal was ill. This is badly needed and Kim may be able to help. Nona to discuss with Kim helping Rick do this, and perhaps even becoming a co-treasurer with Rick.

NEXT MEETING MON. DEC, 8TH. Could someone please tell us what time and where.

Thanks, submitted, Nona Estrin