

Path Planning met on October 16, 2023:

A site walk focused on the progressing erosion at Chela Mela. Assessment of other erosion areas and remedies that have been successful were discussed. Attention to fire fuel load and understory management was discussed. Ark Park/Way Back Way area was identified as a possible space for Native/Indigenous Crafters. Conversation about creating a Native/Indigenous crafter space is ongoing.

Festive Restive is working on coordinating crews for bus services for fair transport systems. The FoF, Pocket Parks, Memoria, and Smoking subcommittees will resume their work as soon as possible.

Amy Hand and Kirk Shultz were voted in to remain as Co-Chairs. Stephanie Head was voted in to remain as Secretary and Jennifer Gerrity will continue as Scribe. Two members were marked inactive. Dennis Todd announced that this would be his last meeting. Long time friends of the committee Corey Cliffe and Rosana Costello were nominated to become voting members and accepted the invitation (see letters of interest and support attached). They bring representation from two underrepresented groups; Camping and Cartography, both highly valued and applicable to Path Planning. Path Planning Committee requests that the Board put review and approval of the nominated committee members on new business.

A draft motion to recommend the BoD schedule a work session for fire fuel/duff management as recommended by local fire authority was explored. Due to concerns about the availability of time to schedule a work session, alternatives to a motion were discussed. A request was made to Site Manager Alexis Maddock to provide info on the issue to Executive Director Kirsten Bolton.

Next hybrid meeting Sunday November 19th 12:00 pm to 3:00 pm at Alice's and via Zoom. Site walk at 10:00 am meet at Main Camp.

I appreciate being nominated to formally join the Path Planning Committee. I am very interested in joining the committee.

In 2010 I began working on the Camping Crew that managed camping in Crafts Lot and South Miss Piggy's Lots. Over the years since, Craft's Lot was converted into part of the public fair, and I worked with John K and Phillip Guyette on creating new paths in the south woods and creating camping areas for many of those displaced from the closure of Crafts Lot. I continue to help Phillip with maps as new trails & camping continue expanding further west in South Woods. I have also been working closely with John K to create, manage, and stake South Miss Piggy's Lot for the many camps displaced from Crafts Lot with vehicles that cannot camp in the woods. Our crew has expanded to now also manage camping in SCOF Lot, and we are now exploring options for finding additional vehicle camping capacity as SCOF Lot filled and overflowed last year.

In the past few years I have also been volunteering with the Path Planning Committee (and Fair staff) with helping to create maps and helping facilitate stake-holder meetings for boundary changes in the Emergency Services Peninsula (ESP), as well as moving the Reefer Corral & docks.

In the fall of 2022, I was named a camping crew coordinator, and will continue working with John K on the Piggy & SCOF Lot crew, as well as working with other camping coordinators on camping issues around the property.

I feel that I can be an asset to the Path Planning Committee, and appreciate your consideration.

Thank you

-Corey Cliffe

-Corey / Coriander
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Hello,

I appreciate the nomination to become a committee member, and would like to accept and join the Path Planning committee.

I've been with the fair since 1996 as part of the vendor McKenzie Map Gallery (booth 491 on URL), and after that booth retired, I joined the Cartography Crew, and have been helping create a GIS database for the fair and map various fair features using different technologies. I also created and maintain the interactive fair web map, which helps connect vendors with customers year-round and offers educational information about the property. I recently became an elder.

I feel I could be a valuable asset to the Path Planning committee.

Thank you,

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Greetings Board Members,

We are writing to you to support the nominations of Rosana Costello and Corey Cliffe to the Path Planning Committee.

Rosana and Corey have been attending committee meetings consistently and bring expertise in areas currently underrepresented within the committee.

We look forward to their involvement as voting members of the committee, and hope you will support this nomination.

Sincerely,

Amy Hand and Kirk Shultz

Path Planning Chairs