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RECREATIONAL TRAMWAY BOARD

Public Meeting Minutes

November 29th, 2023 @ 11:00 a.m. until approximately 3:30 p.m.

Division of Occupational Licensure

Virtual Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 11:00 AM.

Roll Call:

Jeff Crowley, *Chairman, Owner of a rope tow*

Daniel Kilburn, *Designee to the Commissioner*

Paul Maloney, *Owner of a Tramway*

Rep. of Tramway liability insurance company

Representative of Ski Clubs or Others who Patronize Recreational Tramways

☐ present ☐ absent

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1. Discussion/Vote of Meeting Minutes for:

- i. January 12, 2023
- ii. May 26, 2023
- iii. June 28, 2023
- iv. September 18, 2023
- v. September 26, 2023
- vi. November 17, 2023

Paul Maloney made a **Motion** to approve the above meeting minutes. Dan Kilburn **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

2. Discussion/Vote of Renewal Applications for:

- i. Nashoba Valley

Paul Maloney made a **Motion** to approve the application for Nashoba Valley pending staff receipt of a corrected Tramway Inspection Report. Dan Kilburn **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

- i. Berkshire East

Paul Maloney made a **Motion** to approve the application for Bradford Ski Area except for lifts #53 and #54 with a condition that the lifts approved have a renewal date of when the application fee is received by staff. Dan Kilburn **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.



ii. Catamount Ski Area

Paul Maloney made a **Motion** to approve the application for Catamount Ski Area. Dan Kilburn **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

Dan Kilburn made a **Motion** to approve the carpet relocation for license #48. Paul Maloney **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

Dan Kilburn made a **Motion** to approve the application for Catamount Ski Area license #48 pending staff receipt of application fee. Paul Maloney **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

iii. Blue Hills Ski Area

Paul Maloney made a **Motion** to approve the application for Blue Hills Ski Area except for the Hall Double lift, with acceptable documentation needing to be submitted to staff prior to future review by the board. Dan Kilburn **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

iv. Wachusett Mountain

Jeff Crowley recused himself from this vote. Paul Maloney made a **Motion** to approve the application for Wachusett Mountain pending staff receipt of the application fee. Dan Kilburn **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

v. Otis Ridge Ski Area

Dan Kilburn made a **Motion** to approve the Construction permit application for Otis Ridge Ski Area. Paul Maloney **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

Paul Maloney made a **Motion** to approve the application for MA #114 for Otis Ridge Ski Area's license. Dan Kilburn **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

3. Discuss Matters not reasonably anticipated 48 hours in advance of meeting.

No matters were brought before the board that were not reasonably anticipated 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

4. Adjourn

Paul Maloney made a **Motion** to adjourn the meeting and Dan Kilburn **Seconded** the motion. The motion passed **Unanimously**.

The meeting adjourned at 12:31 PM