**BVMBA Meeting Minutes - October 3rd 2016**

**Trail maintenance** will be held Saturday, October 8th at Lake Bryan

Meet at 9am at the boat ramp

See trail maintenance reminder e-mail for details

**Try to get access to weather station!**

Action item: contact BTU to ask about plan for drainage pipes

Action item: determine if riding on the gravel surface on top of the levee is permitted

**Pumpkinpalooza** will be held Sunday, October 16th at Millcan Reserve

We need volunteers in 2-hour shifts from 10am - 4pm

See Pumpkinpalooza e-mail for details

**Hensel Park Trail Work Day** - with New Republic Brewery and Bike Barn

Tentatively scheduled for Oct 29

May have to change date dT A&M home game - tailgate site

May need to have New Republic reach agreement with A&M to serve alcohol

John Flynn will be secondary liaison with Bike Barn to help organize the event

Action item: put John Flynn in touch with Joe Treanor

**Future trail maintenance at Millican Reserve**

For safety reasons, low branches on Phases I and IV will be removed

**Discussion of potential revisions to trail maintenance policies**

Action item: open an opinion/suggestion thread regarding trail maintenance policies

**Horse and bicycle interaction signs** have been made by Millican Reserve for club use

Travis P. will be able to get signs cut

We will then need volunteer crews to place signs out at the new trail

Related: no bicycles past the 1st cattleguard north of the new trail entrance on Kathy Fleming Rd.

Action item: send e-mail to mailing list explaining the above line

**Trailhead signs** - We should post signs at entrance to Lake Bryan and MIllican Reserve trails reminding riders that the trails are built and maintained by BVMBA and providing contact information for those interested in volunteering

**Time change/social rides** - We will not alter the 6:30 pm start time for social rides. All communication re: social rides should contain a reminder that riders should bring adequate lights or be prepared to find their own way back to the trailhead before dark.

**High school team donation - $500**

Passed unanimously by voice vote

Action item: find out to whom the check should be payable

**Mailing list port Yahoo 🡪 Google**

We are unsure of the status of this project

It does not seem like general members are receiving bv-mba messages

Action item: check in with Justin Flynn about this project

**Ride reports**

Dino Valley/Cleburne is a lot of fun

Paulo likes rocks better than roots!

Steve Z. is a terrific cook!

AMCT XC race

Small turnout, but competitors thought it was fun

Paulo raced in Cat C, and won the time trial that category

Riders from North Texas thought the trail was too twisty : )

In attendance: Beth Boudreau, Jason Foster, Mike Record, Travis Prochaska, James Munnerlyn, Joel Reyes, Terrell Miller, Lane Miller : ), Paulo Silva, John Flynn, Carolyn Hodo, Luke Schmidt