



MAMMOTH TRAILS COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, August 11, 2016 @ 3pm

Mammoth Lakes Tourism and Recreation Conference Room
2520 Main Street, Mammoth Lakes, California

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NOTE: All comments will be limited by the Chair to a speaking time of five minutes.

ROLL CALL

Committee Members: Alan Jacoby, Mark Brownlie, Dan Holler, David Page, Danna Stroud

PUBLIC COMMENT (On items not on the Agenda)

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

1. Approval of the agenda
2. Approval of the meeting minutes for March 14, 2016, and July 14, 2016
(Attachment 1 and 2)
3. MLTS and Winter 2016/2017
 - a. Review and consider approving proposed Winter Recreation Summit implementation work plan (Attachment 3)
 - i. Phase 1 Reliable Information and Winter Recreation – “MLTS Website – Content Development” - 098_02_MT_WebCon_1617 (Attachment 4)
 - ii. Phase 1 Winter Recreation and Shady Rest – “MLTS Winter Grooming” 102_04_WintGroom1617 (Attachment 5)
 - iii. Phase 1 Winter Snowplay – “MLTS Trailhead Maintenance” - 107_01_MLTS_TH_Maint1617 (Attachment 6)
 - iv. Phase 2 Winter Recreation and Shady Rest – Winter 16/17 Opportunities (Hayes)



- v. Phase 2 Winter Recreation and Shady Rest – Winter 16/17 Fat Bike Demo (Hayes)
- vi. Phase 2 Winter Recreation in the Lakes Basin (Attachment 7)
- b. Previously Approved MLTS Winter Projects
 - i. “Sherwins – Winter Access/Egress” – MLTS 053_05_Shwegr1617 (Attachment 8)
 - ii. “MLTS - Winter Mobility” – MLTS 102_03_WintMob1617 (Attachment 9)
- 4. Shady Rest 2015-16 winter grooming report—Friends of the Inyo (Attachment 10)

COMMITTEE MEMBER REPORTS

REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

To the next meeting of the Mammoth Trails Committee which will occur on September 15, 2016, at 3pm. I hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing agenda was posted in the Mammoth Lakes Tourism & Recreation outside showcase not less than 72 hours prior to the meeting dated as August 4, 2016.

Rich Boccia, MLR Executive Director



March 24, 2016, Mammoth Trails Committee Meeting Minutes
Mammoth Lakes Tourism and Recreation Conference Room,
2520 Main St, Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546

ROLL CALL

Chair Stroud called the meeting to order at 3:05 p.m. at the Mammoth Lakes Tourism and Recreation Conference Room, 2520 Main St, Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546. Present: Mark Brownlie, Dan Holler, David Page and Danna Stroud

PUBLIC COMMENT

Sandy Hogan reported on the biathlon that happened this past weekend.

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

1. Approval of the Agenda: approved.
2. Approval of minutes from 3/14/2016: Motion to approve the minutes (M Brownlie, S Page, 3-0)
3. MTC FY 16/17 Budget:
 - a. Joel Rathje presented a Power Point regarding the recommendations being made to the committee.
 - i. It was suggested to keep projects that weren't initiated this past year to be put in a project "reserve" to be looked at in the future.
 - b. Question about TOML Activity code 200 (Town Staff time), needing clarification about what this entails.
 - c. Question about how the MLTS Winter Mobility Program falls along the TOML snow management program.
 - d. Rich Boccia asked about the reserves and where that money came from.
 - e. Inyo Craters, Shady Rest, question from Sandy Hogan, why did this "pop" back up and its priority: Holler and Rathje mentioned that they are looking at what they will bring to the Forest Service, and field work that will be done to consider whether this will eventually go to a NEPA process. Stroud mentioned this is the next area to look at.
 - f. Question about signs, maps and trail guides as being called "Capital,"
 - g. Questions about the project leads, which is the next part of the project initiation process.
 - h. Recommendation that we move this budget to MLR Board (M Page, S Brownlie, 4-0)
 - i. Will be presented to MLR Board on April 5.
 - ii. Discussion about how it should be presented to the MLR Board, in order to keep the presentation tight.
 1. Also what kind of allocation will MLR give the trails system, will it be another 3 year or 5 year allocation?



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- iii. Reserve budget examples of what might come up, and what the reserve may be used for.
- iv. Include all the information needed, with a note to please read the agenda and to contact Joel about questions.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- Mark Brownlie gave an update on MMSA, and the activities that happened this weekend.

REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- April 14, Adopt-A-Trail
- April 14, OSV subpart C
- April 14, Winter Recreation Summit Recap
- April 14, Senator Widen's bill (RNR Act) – draft letter for the packet
- April 14, National Trails day, what's happening?

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Mammoth Trails Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 4:24 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lesley-Anne Hoxie
Executive Assistant
Mammoth Lakes Recreation



July 14, 2016, Mammoth Trails Committee Meeting Minutes
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ROLL CALL

Chair Page called the meeting to order at 3:02 p.m. at the Mammoth Lakes Tourism and Recreation Conference Room, 2520 Main St, Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546. Present: Finley Torrance, Dan Holler, Alan Jacoby, and David Page.

PUBLIC COMMENT

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

1. Approval of the Agenda: approved.
 - a. Move Agenda item #5 to the end.
2. Introduction of Finley Torrance:
 - a. Rich Boccia gave a background on the reason for having a new member of the committee; Finley is replacing Mark Brownlie.
 - b. There was a discussion about if it will be possible to have “subs” for some of our Committee members. (Lesley will look into the Brown Act)
3. Approval of minutes from May 12, 2016: Motion to approve the minutes (M Page, 3-0)
 - a. Bring back March 24, 2016, minutes for approval
4. Trails Coordinator update:
 - a. Signage update given, Lake George signs will be put in “as soon as we get them,” (possibly 8 weeks); College Connector path will be going in this season; a little less than 90 new signs will be put in around Mammoth Lakes in total. MMSA is looking to match their signs with the rest of the trail system.
 - b. Trail Maintenance program update given: Mammoth Rock trail completed, currently working on Mammoth view trail. Data collection is occurring on trails where maintenance is or will occur, to update the trail maps. Horseshoe biking trail is one that is recommended as a beginner trail, but has some roots and other hazards that need to be fixed in order to be a true beginner/intermediate trail; that is happening later this season; there are areas where the trail should be realigned, but the current agreement with the Forest Service does not allow that at this time,
5. SHARP Environmental Update:
 - a. Draft letter from Dan Holler outlining the next steps and “Tasks” that need to be done.
 - b. FYI—Borrow Pit is now being called “Sherwins Access” Trailhead. Summer and winter trailhead. Town and FS have spoken about the parking design, etc.
 - c. Task One connects trails from Mammoth Rock Trail to the Sherwins Access, the goal is to begin work on these trails next summer.
6. SEMBA Fat Bike Winter Trails Proposal:
 - a. Alan Jacoby as president of SEMBA spoke about how they are proposing an modernized amendment to the Inyo National Forest order #04-92-11 which is 24



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- years old, to allow fat bikes on groomed trails. Other Forests have begun to adopt these types of amendments, which this one is based on.
- b. What trails are being considered for use? SEMBA is not making the decision on the specific trails, and hopes that this will lead to a dialogue, and it is up to the FS to decide what trails are the most suitable.
 - i. Not tied with a NEPA process, under the discretion of the Forest Service supervisor.
 - ii. The Committee discussed if this is appropriate for the MTC. Definitely should go to MLR. MTC supports the dialogue, but not the body to specifically write off on this letter.
 - iii. Motion to allow MLR Board to have a discussion about this the letter, and approve MLR being the one to sign off on the letter, (M Torrance, S Holler, 3-0, 1 abstain)
 - iv. Public Comment from Friends of the Inyo says that they support the dialogue with Forest Service on fat biking.
7. Consider formation of Winter Recreation Task Force:
- a. David Page gave summary of a desire for a winter recreation master plan—"travel plan."
 - b. Discussion included reminder that Winter Recreation Summit debrief happening next week, and will be discussing some of the issues mentioned. Holler mentioned not allowing this to be a Measure R funded, would not support another WRS-type project. This is different than WRS in terms of regional, there is a need for "buy-in" from groups.
 - c. Public Comment from Wentworth says he would like to see what the FS is going to do with some of the mentioned context, and "back fill" the decisions.
8. Lake George connector path:
- a. Hayes gave an update. Still on schedule to be done end of September.
 - b. Intersection that it ends at has been adjusted, with extra signage for safety.
 - c. Hayes also gave an update on the Main Street pedestrian pathway, which is out to bid, and other pedestrian projects that are happening.
9. Approval of Project Initiation Sheets for 2016/17:
- a. Joel Rathje gave a summary of the PI sheets:
 - i. Inyo Craters Shady Rest Planning: Holler brought up the point that the Forest Service needs to be involved with the planning on the front end, and not brought in later. To be added into the PI sheet: FS, MLR, TOML, "collaborative planning efforts,"
 - ii. New PI sheets were given an overview.
 - iii. Change Signage and Wayfinding-Map Updates & Repair (#052_03) to \$20k instead of \$10k



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- iv. Project Management Support was explained as efforts being provided support to Joel when he is out of the office. Efforts beyond administrative, work being completed on projects.
- v. Change project description to include "development," make more clear that this is the development of a digital map.
- vi. Motion to approve the PI sheets as presented and amended (M Holler, S Jacoby, 4-0)

REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- Winter Recreation Summit follow up

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Mammoth Trails Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lesley-Anne Hoxie
Executive Assistant
Mammoth Lakes Recreation

Mammoth Lakes Winter Recreation Summit Implementation Committee
2016-2017 Work Plans

	Project	Owner	Budget	Next Steps	Partners	Timeframe
1	The Eastern Sierra and Outdoor Recreation Movement	MLR	NA	Complete		Complete
2	Phase 1: Introducing Winter Fat Biking	SEMBA	NA	MTC Presentation on 07.14.16	USFS / TOML / MMSA	Fall 2016
3	Over Snow Vehicles and Sub Part C	USFS	TBD	90 day hold period	MLR / TOML / ESRC / MMSA	TBD
4	Phase 1: Reliable Information and Winter Recreation MLTS Project Code: 098_02 - MLTS Website - Content Development	MTC	\$10,000.	Identify snow play areas. Create web based content and have approved for publication	MLTS / MLTPA / TOML / MMSA	Winter 16-17
	Phase 2: Reliable Information	MLR TOML	TBD	Communication was identified as the largest gap in all of the project areas during the summit Create a scope of work with the focus on a comprehensive communication strategy, assessment and implementation plan. Research a professional firm to take the lead with the process. Engage stakeholders in the development of the scope of the work.	TOML / All of the Community Stakeholders	Winter 16-17 Completion in Spring of 2017
5	Phase 1: Winter Recreation and Shady Rest MLTS Project Code: 102_04 - MLTS Winter Mobility Program	TOML	\$2000.	Create area maps Support staging areas Funding	USFS / MLR / FOI / Sierra Club	Winter 16-17

	Phase 2: Winter Recreation and Shady Rest – Winter 16-17 Opportunities	TOML	TBD	Create the scope of work to include a holistic approach to signage, portals, staging areas, municipal parking and etiquette. MTC Presentation 08.11.16 Council Meeting TBD	MTC / MLR / USFS	Winter 16-17
	Phase 2: Create a Fat Bike Groomed Trail Snow Based Demonstration Project Winter 2016-2017 – move to 5	TOML		Aligned with Shady Rest FOI Grooming Project Develop a data collection system SEMBA to revise letter to MLR to include the this request 08.11.16 MTC Agenda Item	MTC / SEMBA / MLR / USFS	Winter 16-17
6	Phase 1: Winter Recreation Etiquette	MLR	TBD	Messaging 101 – create a hard brochure to be shared with MTC with the FS on 08.11.16	USFS / TOML / MMSA	Fall 2016
7	Phase 1: Snow Management	TOML	TBD	Inventory of snow storage Sidewalk clearing costs Who triggers this request?		Winter 16-17
	Phase 2: Snow Management	TOML	TBD	MLR is requesting that we revisit this area as an element of the TOML Mobility Plan and the concept of a “feet first” community.		
8	*Snow play in Mammoth Lakes MLTS Project Code: 107_01 - MLTS Trailhead Maintenance	MLTS	*\$2,500.	Identify opportunities. The role of the fire crews?	USFS / TOML / MMSA / MLR	Winter 16-17
9	Winter Transit	ESTA	TBD	Identify potential nodes Add Orange Line to Tamarack Village Parking Expansion Add MUPS to ESTA Map Rich to meet with John	TOML / MLR / MMSA	On-Going
10	Phase 1: *Winter Recreation in the Lakes Basin MLTS Project Code: 107_01 - MLTS Trailhead Maintenance	TOML	*\$2,500.	Articulate grooming MUPS Obtain MMSA Permit MMSA Key Agreements 07.21.16 Meeting	MLR / TOML / MMSA / ESAC / USFS	Winter 16-17

	Phase 2: *Winter Recreation in the Lakes Basin	TOML		Review of key agreements that were crafted at the 07.21.16 meeting and develop next steps at the 08.03.16 meeting	MLR / TOML / MMSA / ESAC / USFS	
11	Changing Climate and Opportunities for the Eastern Sierra	MLR	TBD	TOML Sierra Camp effort SNC "WIP" effort Fire / Smoke Awareness	TOML / USFS	TBD

*Same project codes with a total budget allocation of \$2500 as outlined on the MTC approved Project Initiation Sheets
07.22.16 / 08.02.16

** Targeting 09.07.16 Town Council Presentation

Project Information

Program: **Operations**

Program Category: **Website**

Project Name: **MLTS Website – Content Development**

TOML Activity Code: **235**

Contractor Code: **098_02_MT_WebCon_1617**

Project Detail

Project Description: New web content, including new web pages, for the MLTS website.

Efforts to Date: **12/08/08:** MLTPA delivers the MLTS Website with 126 pages of Trail, Destination, Activity and Experience web pages under contract to TOML using funds from a Measure R grant award.

14/01/13: MLTPA delivers an additional 193 pages of Trail, Destination, Activity and Experience web pages under contract to TOML using funds from a Measure R grant award.

2015/2016: Winter photography completed for a number of existing web pages. Candidate list of 100+ new pages reviewed by USFS.

2016: This is a new project for consideration by the MTC that has been informed and developed based on outcomes from the following "track" from the **2016 Winter Recreation Summit:** "Reliable Information".

Scope of Work 16/17: Identification, development and construction of new web pages and related content for the MLTS Website using protocols documented in the "MLTS Website Handbook".

TSMP Citation: **E1: Publish a Trail Guide for Mammoth Lakes**

Deliverables 16/17: Create inventory of new web page opportunities for MLTS Website across all seasons. Produce new web pages for the MLTS Website with oversight and input from MLTS Partner agencies (TOML, USFS). Produce new web pages for the MLTS Website and/or create links to external websites to provide reliable information to MLTS users as established by the 2016 Winter Recreation Summit.

Project Time Frame: **TOML Fiscal Year 16/17**

Project Lead: **MLTPA**

Funding Source: **Measure R Funds**

Council Approved Budget: **\$ 10,000.00**

Budget Recommendation: **\$ 10,000.00**

Leveraged Resources

Matching Funds (Cash): **TBD**

In Kind Services/Donations: **TBD**

Volunteer Hours: **TBD**

Initiation + Acceptance

Approved Project Name: **MLTS Website – Content Development**

TOML Activity Code: **235**

Contractor Code: **098_02_MT_WebCon_1617**

Project Initiation Date: **TBD**

**Project Initiation Attest by
MTC Committee + Project**

Lead/Contractor: _____

TOML

MLR

Project Lead/Contractor

Project Acceptance Date:

**Project Acceptance Attest
MTC Committee + Project**

Lead/Contractor: _____

TOML

MLR

Project Lead/Contractor

Project Information

Program: **Maintenance**

Program Category: **Nordic Trail Maintenance**

Project Name: **MLTS – Winter Grooming**

TOML Activity Code: **254**

Contractor Code: **102_04_WintGroom1617**

Project Detail

Project Description: Winter grooming efforts such as the “Shady Rest Winter Grooming Program” for winter facilities of the MLTS.

Efforts to Date: Contractual efforts have been in place for the last several seasons with Friends of the Inyo to provide grooming services, but low snowfall has made operations difficult and even problematic. USFS permitting and program update from previous years efforts will be necessary from the Trails Coordinator and TOML. The **2016 Winter Recreation Summit** track: "Winter Recreation in Shady Rest Park" identified the need to expand winter recreation opportunities in and around the Shady Rest Park area.

Scope of Work 16/17: Trails Coordinator to track opportunities, research and review efforts to date, and provide analysis and recommendations to MTC for next steps and potential expenditure of funds as appropriate keeping winter recreation opportunities in and around Shady Rest Park at the forefront as identified in the **2016 Winter Recreation Summit**.

TSMP Citation: SS3: Shady Rest Winter Trails: Explore options to improve winter trail and trailhead conditions at Shady Rest.

Deliverables 16/17: Trails Coordinator to provide analysis and recommendations to MTC for consideration for next steps and potential expenditure of funds.

Project Time Frame: **TOML Fiscal Year 16/17**

Project Lead: **TOML**

Funding Source: **Measure R Funds**

Council Approved Budget: **\$ 20,000.00**

Budget Recommendation: **\$ 20,000.00**

Leveraged Resources

Matching Funds (cash): **None**

In Kind Services/Donations: **None**

Volunteer Hours: **None**

Initiation + Acceptance

Approved Project Name: **MLTS – Winter Grooming**

TOML Activity Code: **254**

Contractor Code: **102_04_WintGroom1617**

Project Initiation Date: **TBD**

**Project Initiation Attest by
MTC Committee + Project**

Lead/Contractor: _____	_____	_____
TOML	MLR	Project Lead/Contractor

Project Acceptance Date:

**Project Acceptance Attest
MTC Committee + Project**

Lead/Contractor: _____	_____	_____
TOML	MLR	Project Lead/Contractor

Project Information

Program: **Maintenance**

Program Category: **Trailhead Maintenance**

Project Name: **MLTS Trailhead Maintenance**

TOML Activity Code: **256**

Contractor Code: **107_01_MLTS_TH_Maint1617**

Project Detail

Project Description: Recommendation M1 from the TSMP: Development of Coordinated Year-Round Maintenance Plan. "Maintenance efforts can be carried out both by TOML maintenance personnel, and as stewardship opportunities with volunteer organizations."

Efforts to Date: **2016:** This is a new project for consideration by the MTC that has been informed and developed based on outcomes from the following "tracks" from the **Winter Recreation Summit:** "Snowplay" and "Winter Recreation in the Mammoth Lakes Basin".

Scope of Work 16/17: Development and implementation of a MLTS Trailhead maintenance program to be coordinated with the MLTS Adopt A Trail Program, and based on outcomes from the **2016 Winter Recreation Summit**, snowplay areas and winter recreation in the Lakes Basin, which will be focused on litter and animal waste collection and removal.

TSMP Citation: **M1:** Development of Coordinated Year Round Maintenance Plan

Deliverables 16/17: To be reviewed and approved by the MTC based upon recommendations of the Trails Coordinator.

Project Time Frame: **TOML Fiscal Year 16/17**

Project Lead: **MLTPA**

Funding Source: **Measure R Funds**

Council Approved Budget: **\$ 2,500.00**

Budget Recommendation: **\$ 2,500.00**

Leveraged Resources

Matching Funds (cash): **None**

In Kind Services/Donations: **None**

Volunteer Hours: **None**

Initiation + Acceptance

Approved Project Name: **MLTS Trailhead Maintenance**

TOML Activity Code: **256**

Contractor Code: **107_01_MLTS_TH_Maint1617**

Project Initiation Date: **TBD**

**Project Initiation Attest by
MTC Committee + Project**

Lead/Contractor: _____

TOML

MLR

Project Lead/Contractor

Project Acceptance Date:

**Project Acceptance Attest
MTC Committee + Project**

Lead/Contractor: _____

TOML

MLR

Project Lead/Contractor



Lakes Basin Work Group Key Agreements

August 3, 2016

1. Signage to support avalanche awareness will be completed for the winter 16-17 season.
MLTS Project Code 053-05
2. MMSA purchased the four type 2 winter sign maps and is responsible for seasonal posting and storage of the maps.
3. MMSA, TOML, MLTS Staff meeting to review holistic signage program for Lakes Basin. Tentative meeting scheduled for August 16, 2016.
4. MMSA will continue to operate their public access corridor similar which will be similar to last year's operation.
 - a. MMSA will post signage about winter in the lakes basin that provides language about the public access corridor.
 - b. MMSA supports the snow play area but is concerned about the impact.
 - c. The TOML will be responsible for seasonal transitions of "other" signage. Funding source?
 - d. The TOML will provide support as needed during peak holiday periods to include trash receptacles and blue rooms. Funding source?
 - e. MMSA & TOML will meet to gather signage data – a GIS inventory. Funding source?
 - f. The TOML will place one large sign accessing the Sherwins on the access corridor. Funding source?
5. MMSA is exploring the idea of getting into the Biathlon business.
6. MMSA and TOML have agreed to create a Seasonal Transition Operations Plan that clearly outlines roles and responsibilities on 08.19.16 @ 10:30am.

Project Information

Program: **Implementation**

Program Category: **Easement / Access Neg.**

Project Name: **Sherwins – Winter Access/Egress**

TOML Activity Code: **222**

Contractor Code: **053_05_ShwEgr1617**

Project Detail

Project Description: Annual maintenance of winter signage and outreach campaign advising the public on legal access and egress routing to and from the Sherwins area and the Town of Mammoth Lakes.

Efforts to Date: **2010/2011 and 2011/2012:** A comprehensive “Sherwins Winter Egress” program was implemented and maintained, including public outreach and efforts undertaken with stakeholders.

Winter 2015/2016: Snow-centric signage designed and placed at Borrow Pit, Mill City, and Lakes Basin Public Access Corridor.

Scope of Work 16/17: Maintenance of winter signage and outreach campaign advising the public on legal access and egress routing from the Sherwins potentially including egress only across Snowcreek Golf Course to the Ranch Road public easement; Borrow Bit; Plum family public easement on Tamarack Street; and Mill City Winter node at winter closure on Old Mammoth Road.

TSMP Citation: Recommendation G3: Uniform Trail Signage

Deliverables 16/17: Winter signage and public outreach campaign advising the public on legal access and egress routing from the Sherwins to/from opportunities identified in scope of work consistent with direction from the Town and with input from interested stakeholders.

Project Time Frame: **TOML Fiscal Year 16/17**

Project Lead: **MLTPA**

Funding Source: **Measure R Funds**

Council Approved Budget: **\$ 1,500.00**

Budget Recommendation: **\$ 1,500.00**

Leveraged Resources

Matching Funds (Cash): **None**

In Kind Services/Donations: **None**

Volunteer Hours: **None**

Initiation + Acceptance

Approved Project Name: **Sherwins – Winter Access/Egress**

TOML Activity Code: **222**

Contractor Code: **053_05_ShwEgr1617**

Project Initiation Date: **TBD**

**Project Initiation Attest by
MTC Committee + Project**

Lead/Contractor: _____
TOML MLR Project Lead/Contractor

Project Acceptance Date:

**Project Acceptance Attest
MTC Committee + Project**

Lead/Contractor: _____
TOML MLR Project Lead/Contractor

Project Information

Program: **Maintenance**

Program Category: **MUP Maintenance**

Project Name: **MLTS Winter Mobility Program**

TOML Activity Code: **251**

Contractor Code: **102_03_WintMob1617**

Project Detail

Project Description: As described in Section 7.2.1. of the TSMP, "Paved Multi-Use Path Maintenance" provides specific and detailed recommendations for the enhanced maintenance of the Town's MUP system to better adapt to winter and snow covered conditions. The development of a Winter Mobility Program for the MLTS, for phased implementation starting in the winter of 2016/2017, will be the focus of this project, including "pilot" efforts that may be implemented in the winter of 2015/2016.

Efforts to Date: The Town has initiated efforts to maintain a variety of facilities for enhanced winter use, but most efforts do not appear to be part of a comprehensive "Winter Mobility Program" as detailed in the TSMP.

Scope of Work 16/17: Trails Coordinator to track opportunities, research and review efforts to date, and provide analysis and recommendations to MTC for next steps and potential expenditure of funds as appropriate.

TSMP Citation: 7.2.1. "Paved Multi-Use Path Maintenance"

Deliverables 16/17: Trails Coordinator to provide analysis and recommendations to MTC for consideration for next steps and potential expenditure of funds.

Project Time Frame: **TOML Fiscal Year 16/17**

Project Lead: **TOML**

Funding Source: **Measure R Funds**

Council Approved Budget: **\$ 2,000.00**

Budget Recommendation: **\$ 2,000.00**

Leveraged Resources

Matching Funds (cash): **TBD**

In Kind Services/Donations: **TBD**

Volunteer Hours: **TBD**

Initiation + Acceptance

Approved Project Name: **MLTS Winter Mobility Program**

TOML Activity Code: **251**

Contractor Code: **102_03_WintMob1617**

Project Initiation Date: **TBD**

**Project Initiation Attest by
MTC Committee + Project
Lead/Contractor:**

TOML	MLR	Project Lead/Contractor
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Project Acceptance Date:

**Project Acceptance Attest
MTC Committee + Project
Lead/Contractor:**

TOML	MLR	Project Lead/Contractor
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Mammoth Lakes Nordic Trail System 2015-2016 End of Season Report

Program Highlights:

- The Town of Mammoth Lakes in partnership with Friends of the Inyo provided a free Groomed Nordic Trail to the public
- Program started 12/21/2015
- Program ended 3/7/2016
- Grooming schedule ran Thursday through Monday (weather permitting)
- Groomed a total of 44 days:
 - December - 5 days
 - January - 19 days
 - February - 19 days
 - March - 1 day
- Grooming implement issues:
 - 1/22/2016 - massive failure lasting for 5 days
 - 2/18/2016 - massive failure lasting for 2 days
- Friends of the Inyo Leveraged Funds:
 - 14.5 hrs of staff time = \$485
 - 12 hrs of volunteer time = \$282

Mammoth Lakes Nordic Trail System



This winter recreation opportunity brought to you by the Town of Mammoth Lakes in partnership with Friends of the Inyo and the Inyo National Forest. Funding provided by Measure R and **people like you!**

#skishady



Our wonderful grooming staff: Brian Schuster, Chip Powell and Urmis Franosch



Welcome to the

Mammoth Lakes Nordic Trail System



*A free, public winter trail system open to skiers, snowshoers and walkers brought to you by the Town of Mammoth Lakes in partnership with Friends of the Inyo and the Inyo National Forest with funding from Measure R and **people like you!***

Please enjoy this free Nordic Trail System responsibly:

- **Respect other users** - maintain a safe speed and do not walk on parallel tracks
- **Yield right of way** to grooming machine and faster users
- **Keep your dog leashed** at all times
- **Pick up and dispose of any dog waste** on and off trails and at trailheads

Friends of the Inyo grooms five days a week - **Thursday through Monday** - from December through March, *depending on snow conditions.*

Trail Maps are posted at all major trail junctions.

For grooming updates follow Friends of the Inyo and Mammoth Lakes Recreation on Facebook and Instagram. #skishady



To support trail system and stewardship across the Eastern Sierra visit FriendsoftheInyo.org. Thanks for enjoying your winter public lands here in Mammoth Lakes on the Inyo National Forest.