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# ARIZONA STATE PARKS & TRAILS

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NOTICE OF MEETING  
of  
THE ARIZONA STATE COMMITTEE ON TRAILS (ASCOT)  
of  
THE ARIZONA STATE PARKS AND TRAILS

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Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to members of the Arizona State Committee on Trails (“ASCOT” or “Committee”) and the public that the Committee will hold a meeting on **Tuesday, May 25, 2021, beginning at 10:00 am.** ASCOT members may attend the meeting in person or participate telephonically. **The meeting will be held at the Arizona State Parks & Trails Office located at 23751 N. 23<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Suite 190, Phoenix, AZ 85085.** The meeting will be available via Google Meet: [meet.google.com/qkc-sgye-htb](https://meet.google.com/qkc-sgye-htb).

Members of the public wishing to attend the meeting via telephone may call in as follows:

- Dial **1.877.820.7831**
- Enter Participant Passcode: **613038**

**Please note: During a call to the public, persons who wish to make statements to the Committee will be asked to identify themselves each time they are speaking. Please ensure that phones are muted when not speaking.**

The meeting is open to the public; however, the Committee may elect to hold an Executive Session for any agenda items at any time during the meeting to discuss or consult with its legal counsel for legal advice on matters listed on this agenda pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3). Items on the agenda may be discussed out of order unless they have been specifically noted to be set for a certain time. Public comment will be taken.

## AGENDA

(The Chair reserves the right to set the order of the agenda.)

### A. CALL TO ORDER

### B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

### C. COMMITTEE MEMBER ROLL CALL

### D. AGENDA ITEMS

1. **Consideration of Action to Approve Minutes of the April 27, 2021, ASCOT Meeting** – The Committee will review and may consider action to approve the ASCOT meeting minutes from April 27, 2021.
2. **ASCOT Will Consider and May Take Action on A Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2021 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Application. (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)** The following grant application has been submitted for funding totaling \$150,000.00. ASCOT may recommend that the Board approve, modify, or deny funding for the following grant application:

<b>2021 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Fund Grant Application</b>				
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff Recommendations</b>	<b>Score</b>
Verde Valley Archaeology Center	Native American Heritage Trail Improvements	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00	19
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$150,000.00</b>	<b>\$150,000.00</b>	

3. **ASCOT Will Consider and May Take Action on A Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for the Submitted 2021 Recreational Trails Program Safety and Environmental Education (SEE) Grants. (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)**  
The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$10,683.00.

<b>2021 Recreational Trails Program Safety and Education Grant Applications</b>			
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff Recommendations</b>
Tucson Audubon Society	Cuckoo Corridor Trail Signage	\$3,185.00	\$3,185.00
Legends of Superior Trails	LOST Trailer, Tools and Training	\$7,498.00	\$7,498.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$10,683.00</b>	<b>\$10,683.00</b>

4. **Election of Arizona Premier Trail System Subcommittee 2021 Vice-Chair. (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)** The Committee will nominate and elect a Vice-Chair to the Arizona Premier Trails Subcommittee.
5. **Report on Recently Completed Non-Motorized, Trail Maintenance, And Safety and Environmental Education Projects.** Staff will update the Committee on non-motorized, trail maintenance, and safety and environmental education grant projects completed since April 27, 2021. This agenda item is for information only.
6. **State Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) Update: (Presenter, Dawn Collins, Office of Continuous Improvement)** Staff will update ASCOT on the progress of Arizona’s 2023-2027 SCORP. This agenda item is for information only.
7. **Discussion of The Coalition for Recreational Trails (CRT) Annual Achievement Awards: (Presenter, Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)** Staff will discuss The Coalition for Recreational Trails, and potential projects to submit on behalf of the State of Arizona. This agenda item is for information only.

**E. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Committee members may identify items or issues they wish to be considered for inclusion on a future agenda.

**F. CURRENT EVENTS**

Committee members may present a summary of current events and /or recent experiences of interest to the outdoor recreation community and/or the status of any projects with which they may be involved. The Committee will not discuss or take any action on any current event summary.

**G. CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

The Chair will recognize those wishing to address the Committee. It is probable that each presentation will be limited to one person per organization and the time allotted by the Chair. Action taken because of

acknowledgment of comments and suggestions from the public will be limited to directing staff to study or reschedule the matter for further consideration later.

## **H. FUTURE MEETING DATES**

TBD

## **I. ADJOURNMENT**

A copy of this agenda and any background material provided to Committee Members is available for public inspection at Arizona State Parks & Trails, 23751 N. 23<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Phoenix, Arizona 85085. For additional information, contact Mickey Rogers at (602) 542-6942.

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