



# Town of Topsfield

TOPSFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

## Rail Trail Committee

**TRTC Committee Meeting  
Monday, September 24, 2012**

**8:30 PM – Town Hall**

**Members Present:** Joe Geller (Chair), Dave Read, Roy Baessler, Gregg Demers  
**Guests:** Dick Gandt (Selectman), Pete Hayes

1. Minutes from last meeting – July 30, 2012. Prior meeting minutes approved without changes.
2. Old business – Officer Ahead flashing beacon installed (\$6,880). Pedestrian crossing flashing beacons being completed this week. Change order requested for color of crossing signs. Currently being negotiated.
3. Trail maintenance – Discussion regarding options for trimming sides of trail.
4. Ft. 97 culvert finishing – Planned for Fall after fair.
5. Signage – No update on littering signs.
6. Rt. 1 crossing – Vote taken to post a small sign that indicates button needs to be pushed to activate the signal (one on each side of road). Gates require reflective coating – tape currently being used.
7. Rapid Rectangular Flashing Beacon for Rt. 97 crossing vs. Main St. curb cut – Vote taken to purchase and install flashing beacon for Rt. 97 crossing with budget up to \$8,000.
8. Topsfield Fair table – Sept. 28, 1 – 10 pm – volunteers welcome.
9. New business

Meeting adjourned – 10:15pm