Krause Basin Collaborative Meeting #3 2022.04.13

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[5:08 PM] Meeting started

[5:21 PM]

Deborah Schatz (Guest) and 2 others have temporarily joined the chat.

[5:22 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Hello Everyone! We will get started here at 5:30. Please be sure to mute yourselves as you join. Thank you.

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Davis, Cory has temporarily joined the chat.

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Theresa Simmons (Guest) has temporarily joined the chat.

[5:24 PM]

Chris Gotschalk (Guest) has temporarily joined the chat.

[5:41 PM] Keith Hammer (Guest)

People wanting to clear identified system trails should sign a Volunteer Agreement with the Forest Service so their work is authorized, guided and monitored by the FS.

[5:42 PM] Trevino, Marilyn

Suggestion for later: Great opportunity to get buy-in from community members and help clear trails - perhaps we can get a 1 pager for communication and awareness of the Forest Service policy about this subject

[5:42 PM] Deborah Schatz (Guest)

Your sound is cutting in and out, can't hear the questions

[5:42 PM]

Mike and Jody White (Guest) has temporarily joined the chat.

[5:42 PM] Trevino, Marilyn

The microphones within the meeting room, keep cutting out.

[5:43 PM] Keith Hammer (Guest)

Some groups, like Swan View Coalition, Flathead Area Mountain Bikers, and others have such Volunteer Agreements, at least in past years.

[5:43 PM] Bill McCabe (Guest)

Is there a penalty for illegal trail cutting?

[5:44 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Paul n Laurette: We do not know your user preference during random assignment of breakout rooms.

[5:45 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Bill McCabe: There is a fine for illegal trail cutting. I will have Chuck follow-up with you on this question for specifics.

[5:46 PM] Paul n Laurette (Guest)

thankyou Mavor, Michele - FS

[5:48 PM] Keith Hammer (Guest)

How many non-FS people are there in the room at FVCC for this?

[5:51 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

We apologize for this inconvenience.

[5:54 PM] Keith Hammer (Guest)

If people don't provide their name, how can we trust that the person isn't just telling fibs on the map. And how can the agency or other members of the Collaborative follow up with the map commenter if they don't provide their name? Not requiring the commenter to provide their name is a bad idea and will compromise the reliability of the mapping tool process.

[5:56 PM] Paul n Laurette (Guest)

will the tool be available also after this meeting

[5:58 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Paul n Laurette (Guest) Cory will send a link to the tool after the meeting with instructions. The output from your breakout groups will be input into this tool. The tool will be made public thereafter.

[5:59 PM] Paul n Laurette (Guest)

thanks

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[6:01 PM] Paul n Laurette (Guest)

I agree

[6:02 PM] Paul n Laurette (Guest)

very hard to understand

[6:02 PM] Paul n Laurette (Guest)

ty for repeating

[6:02 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Did restating the question make it more clear?

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[6:02 PM] Chris Gotschalk (Guest)

I'm concerned about the breakout groups not being recorded. One of my points last session was the elimination of fossil fuels AS recreation. I don't see that concern listed.?

[6:03 PM] Paul n Laurette (Guest)

yes it did Michele

[6:05 PM] Anna McCabe (Guest)

I don't understand why we should come up with any plan when the FS can't even maintain KB the way it is.

[6:05 PM] Mike and Jody White (Guest)

we would prefer no action but if trails are going to be closed to motorized use we are interested in an alternative

[6:05 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Chris Gotschalk (Guest) Thank you for providing this additional.

[6:05 PM] Keith Hammer (Guest)

An alternative with no bikes or motor vehicles still allows all forest users to use Krause Basin. It is the type of mechanized vehicle that is being restricted, not the person or their right to use the National f

[6:06 PM] Keith Hammer (Guest)

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[6:07 PM] Trevino, Marilyn

can you tell me again what the 5385 is??

[6:07 PM] Trevino, Marilyn

grey trail is that a trail or is it user created?

[6:07 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Mike and Jody White (Guest) The No Action would retain the current existing management Cory discussed at the beginning of the meeting. 13 miles designated <50" motorized use also allowing all non-motorized users

[6:10 PM] Chris Gotschalk (Guest)

I wasn't captured apparently

[6:15 PM]

Tyler Imig (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

[6:15 PM] Britt Kanter (Guest)

Chris... How is it different than hiking and horseback riding?

[6:16 PM] Chris Gotschalk (Guest)

So we're back to 1 recommendation now?

[6:17 PM] Chris Gotschalk (Guest)

Hight speed = dangerous. Waste of fossil fuels. Enforcement is non-existent. More impactful to wildlife. Noise pollution..... how much do you want?

[6:17 PM] Chris Gotschalk (Guest)

Still waiting for the FOR argument

[6:17 PM] Britt Kanter (Guest)

Mountain bikes and motorcycles are way different

[6:18 PM] Paul n Laurette (Guest)

are the zoom people being put together or the email response only

[6:18 PM] Trevino, Marilyn

Hi! Ready for the Break out!

[6:18 PM] Chris Gotschalk (Guest)

High speed is a problem in itself

[6:18 PM] Britt Kanter (Guest)

What makes one user group more important than another user group?

[6:19 PM] Chris Gotschalk (Guest)

What is your argument FOR motorized recreation.... still waiting

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Grady Bennett (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

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Anna McCabe (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

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John & Cindy (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

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Ruth Quist (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

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[6:49 PM] Anna McCabe (Guest)

yes

[6:55 PM] Anna McCabe (Guest)

Yes, almost getting hitting by a mountain biker bombing down a trail & almost hitting me. Disturbance from motorized users, noise & illegal motorized use during "off" months.

[6:57 PM] Anna McCabe (Guest)

The FS cannot maintain KB now. There is a lot of illegal trail building going on & the FS does nothing about it. So for the FS to try & maintain signs, trailheads & multiple users groups is a joke!

[6:57 PM] Mackenzie, Tamara -FS

1-202-6500123 pass code 636615663#

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GG (Guest) has temporarily joined the chat.

[6:58 PM] Dawn Brennan Back Country Horsemen/Flathead (Guest)

how do we share our recommendation

[7:00 PM] Dawn Brennan Back Country Horsemen/Flathead (Guest)

I'll be emailing our small groups recommendation

[7:04 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

If you completed your breakout room session, you do not need to come back to the main room.

[7:04 PM] Dawn Brennan Back Country Horsemen/Flathead (Guest)

and one final clarification . . .as a horseback rider and a member of back country horsemen of the flathead. We have a volunteer agreement with the Flathead National Forest to do trail clearing. If we are riding at Krause, can we remove trees that have fallen across the trail?

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Velva Kanter (Guest) has temporarily joined the chat.

[7:05 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Please mail any recommendations to Cory in the next couple of days.

[7:06 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

@ Dawn Brennan: Yes you can clear trails in KB under your groups agreement. During this collaborative process, we request you please notify the FS prior to any work in KB.

[7:06 PM] Mackenzie, Tamara -FS

Our group has also completed our discussion, should we wait for a close out or can folks leave?

[7:06 PM] Dawn Brennan Back Country Horsemen/Flathead (Guest)

Michelle thank you for that clarification!

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[7:07 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Cory said if you were complete with your discussions, feel free to email the groups recommendation to him and Have a lovely evening! Thank you for your participation.

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Mike and Jody White (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

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Kara Neal (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

[7:08 PM] Theresa Simmons

Thank you

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[7:19 PM] mike and jody white (Guest)

You are welcome. Will we be added to the email group since we participated tonight?

[7:21 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

@ Mike and Jody - We will add yo to the email group. Would you please send your email to facilitator4kb@gmail.com?

[7:22 PM]

mike and jody white (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

[7:23 PM] Keith Hammer (Guest)

To answer Britt's question, it is not about one user group being more important than another. It is about which types of uses are least impactive to wildlife and other users. Based on scientific research regarding elk, moose and grizzly bear, horseback riding and hiking have the least impact and bikes and motorized ATVs have the most. So, as we have more and more people going into the woods, it is important to have people traveling by the least impactive means possible.

[7:23 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

Thank you all for your participation this evening! Please be sure to send Cory your recommendations in the next couple of days. Cory is not bringing folks back to the main room - Enjoy a wonderful evening!

[7:24 PM] Keith Hammer (Guest)

Our newsletter has some links to some of the research papers I'm referring to: http://www.swanview.org/newsletters/Winter-Spring_2021.pdf

[7:28 PM] Mavor, Michele - FS

We will be closing the meeting in 2minutes,

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Britt Kanter (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

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Keith Hammer (Guest) no longer has access to the chat.

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