

**Seminole County Parks and Preservation Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes
April 28, 2021**

Members Present: Pasha Baker, Robert Bowden, Mark Brandenburg, Nancy Dunn, Emily Hanna, Ed Ghiglieri, Bryce Gibson, J. Reid Hilliard, Joseph Humphreys, Daniel Roy, Jason Sutton, William Wills, Ashlee Woodard

Members Absent: Tom Boyko, L.A. Key, Rocky Harrelson

Staff Present: Rick Durr, Bill Pandos, Michael Wirsing, Corey Warner

Guests: Dale Allen and Jenna Taylor of the

Call to Order – Mark Brandenburg

Pledge of Allegiance

Welcome/Introductions – Mark Brandenburg

Approval of February 24, 2021 and March 24, 2021 Meeting Minutes

- Emily Hanna made a motion to accept the minutes as they were presented. This was seconded by William Wills and passed unanimously.

New Business:

- Florida National Scenic Trail in Seminole County – Dale Allen and Jenna Taylor
 - Jenna Taylor presented about the history of the National Scenic Trail System in Florida.
 - The Florida National Scenic Trail is one of only eleven National Scenic Trails.
 - The Florida National Scenic Trail started in the 1960's and it was congressionally designated a National Scenic Trail in 1983.
 - The trail continues to grow, but currently it is about 1,100 miles from top to bottom.
 - Dale Allen discussed updates on the Florida National Scenic Trail and how it runs through Seminole County.
 - Some of Seminole County's trail system follows the Florida National Scenic Trail.
 - Mr. Allen also discussed land bridges as there is one going in on the Florida National Scenic Trail just to the South of Seminole County, at the Beachline (SR 528).
 - In the presentation many examples of Land Bridges were given to help give PPAC Members an understanding of what is going to be done here in Florida.
- Trails Master Plan Discussion
 - Rick Durr discussed where Leisure Services is with the Trails Master Plan and what is to come. He noted that Leisure Services was recently granted additional funds to work on projects that are even outside of the current CIP.

Public Comment

Adjourn

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