

**Foster Land Trust  
Agenda  
April 6, 2021 7:00 PM  
Ben Eddy Building, 6 So. Killingly Rd, Foster, RI  
Also as a Zoom meeting**

**Update:** Due to Covid-19 this meeting will be held in-person and virtually. State and local guidelines for social distancing, face coverings, and room capacity apply. The public is welcome to any meeting of the Foster Land Trust. If communication assistance (readers/interpreters/captions) or any other accommodation is needed to ensure equal participation, please contact the Town Clerk's Office (392-9200) at least two (2) business days prior to the meeting.

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1. **7:00 PM Open Meeting, Call to order /roll call**
2. **Minutes:** *discussion/actions*
3. **Public Comments**
4. **Correspondence:** *discussions/actions*
5. **New Business:** *discussions/actions*
  - Land Trust Alliance Standards and Practices
  - Simmons Crossing/D. Rathbun and G. Brayton
  - Conservation Easements on TNC donations pending
  - April 2020 minutes correction
6. **Old Business:** *discussions/actions*
  - Tod Damon leasing field request for Specialty Crop Orchard
  - Management Plan Hayfield2 on Winsor Rd (TNC donation pending)
  - Management Plan, Colwell on Winsor Rd (TNC donation pending)
  - Stewardship mapping survey
7. **Stewardship Updates:** *discussion/actions*
  - Witch Hazel and cedar post harvest at Spencer
  - Newsome timber project
  - North-South trail relocation project (So Killingly Rd to North Rd)
  - Equipment
  - 2020-2021 Archery Hunting reports
  - Maps and notebooks
8. **Stewardship – all properties:** *discussion/actions*
9. **Reports:** *discussions/actions*
  - Financial:
    - Reimbursements
    - Conveyance tax transfers
    - Investments
    - Capital Budget/Operational Budget/Hearings/Town Financial meeting
  - Grants:
    - Appraisal for NRCS Agricultural Land Easement (ALE), Rotondo Farm
    - DEM large trails grant application
  - Liaison Reports:
    - Planning Board
    - Conservation Commission
10. **Professional Development:** *discussion/actions*
  - Virtual trenching/excavation training (Interlocal Trust training)
11. **Public relations:** *discussion/actions*
  - RILTC Nature Character Sculpture game for Land Trust trails
  - Recreation Department "Egg Hunt"

12. Next meeting date – May 4/Future agenda items - Hayfield/Spencer connector trail
13. Adjournment

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR VIRTUAL MEETING:**

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**Topic:** Foster Land Trust's Zoom Meeting

**Time:** Apr 6, 2021 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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