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Fwd: Reporting on trail work completed for now at BMU

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Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 9:35 AM

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For the BMU Board as an FYI

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Change is the law of life. And those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future. —John Fitzgerald Kennedy

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From: **Todd Powers** <todd.powers@oesu.org>

Date: Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 8:45 AM

Subject: Fwd: Reporting on trail work completed for now at BMU

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Just an FYI of the work that has been completed by Greg at the Cross Vermont Trail Association and a few workgroups this summer especially. We have been extremely grateful!

-Todd

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From: **Greg Western** <greg@crossvermont.org>

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Subject: Reporting on trail work completed for now at BMU

To: Todd Powers <todd.powers@oesu.org>

Hello Todd,

Happy to report the trail work that has been in progress for a while is complete. Took some photos, attached. Thanks again for your support of this! While I was out there a number of days in a row, it was great to observe how many people are using the trails, including pretty much every day I was there I saw a class or student group of some kind going down into the woods, as well as general community members.

Here is the tally of work done (starting a couple years ago, and finishing up this fall): surfaced with gravel 1,040 feet of trail, excavated to make trail wider and more gradual 675 feet, built 84 feet of boardwalk, installed 9 culverts with 170 feet of ditching.

I dream of doing a little more work to make the initial drop off from the parking lot at least somewhat more gradual, and surfacing that part with gravel. I don't know when the time would come for that, but it's something I think is possible to do.

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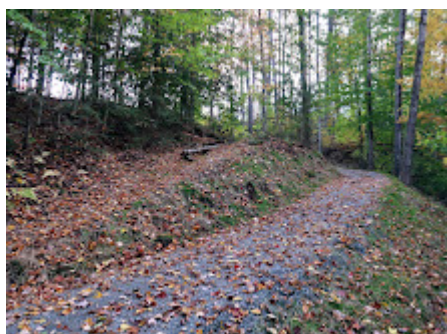
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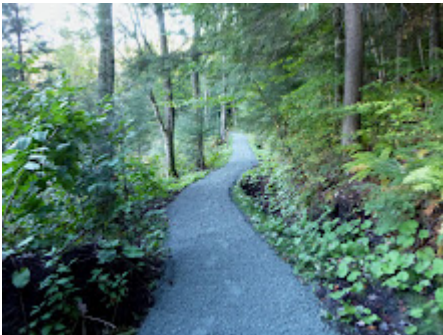
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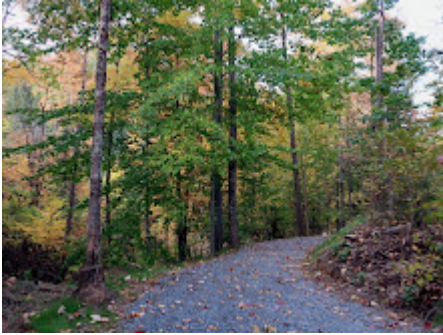


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