Friends of the Blue Hills

Trail Volunteer Work Report

Work date (mm/dd/yy): 8/14/10 Report date: 8/15/10

Your name: Robert Romeri

List Volunteers working with you:

Trail Name: Sawcut Notch

Section Name/Description:

St. Moritz

Work Completed (Please be specific with location of work. Note hazards & potential hazards addressed if applicable):

Walked Sawcut Notch from Shea Rink to the notch. Cut out small blowdown blocking side ditch and path about half way between Old Furnace Brook path (4145) and Short Path. Picked up rubbish at Wampatuck trail head parking area, not bad pretty clean.

Total Hours (# of people x hours worked): 2.00

Work Remaining:

Path in good shape. Some small sections almost look like a footpath due to vegetation growing up, they need brushing. The erosion at Wampatuck road going down to the pond needs to be fixed before someone gets hurt. The rut is about a foot deep. A swale at the small side foot path (Green Dot trail) may be enough, depends on how much run off is coming from the road. I know that the small footpath runs like a stream during heavy rains. May have to do some thing further up on it.

Other comments (areas of concern, wildlife sightings, trail markings and signage condition, need for re-route, possible encroachment):

The trail is in good shape. Furnace Brook and Pine Tree Brook are completely dry. Haven't seen that in a long time. The whole section is bone dry and like a tinder box, surprised there hasn't been a fire (fingers crossed).

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