Upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers (UMATR) Wild & Scenic Committee Meeting Agenda

6:30pm Thursday, February 16th, 2023

Zoom meeting: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84128958382?pwd=cnpsSndnMUtwTWVYTFlaUXV5TVBLQT09

- 1) Pee-cycling Julia Cavicchi, Education Director at Rich Earth Institute will join us to present "Urine My Garden: Why & How to Peecycle at Home". Join us to learn how reclaiming urine as a fertilizer is a safe and simple practice that enables gardeners to reclaim waste, access free fertilizer, and prevent downstream pollution.
- 2) Call business portion of the meeting to order
- 3) Welcome guests; introductions as needed
- 4) Review of January meeting minutes
- 5) Administrative: Committee Officers

Staffing

ECO AmeriCorps member for 2023-2024?

- Host site applications are due Feb 21; cost increase from \$7,400 to \$8,000; MRBA will not host
- 6) 2024 Budget
- 7) Grants/Projects: Access point for NFCT crew this year?

Bank stabilization location? - MRBA project

Newsletter - out

8) 2023 Upcoming Events – **Feb 25**: Snowshoe in Orleans County – 10am-12 in North Troy; **Mar 4**: Snowshoe in Franklin Co – 10am-12 in Montgomery. **Mar 19**: New Office Open House – 9-11am. **Mar 21**: Amphibian Road Crossing Training – 7-8pm via Zoom.

Winter Speaker Series (Mar – beavers; options for April?)

- 9) Other/Public Comment
- 10) Upcoming meetings
 March 16 via Zoom (Speaker Series)
- 11) Wrap up and adjourn.