

**Black Woods Byway Corridor Committee Meeting  
Monday, October 25 - 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM (approx.)**

**Down East RC&D  
Route 1 Cherryfield  
Minutes**

Introductions and Updates

Desktop Review of Corridor Projects (1 hour)

- Eastern Recreational Hub
  1. Long Pond
    1. Parking area
    2. Boat launch
  2. Spring River Lake Access Road
    1. Camping
  
- Tunk Lake – Center of Byway
  1. Boat Launch
    1. Privy
    2. Waste receptacles
    3. Interpretation
  2. Improve parking across 182
    1. Feature Tunk Stream
    2. Information about salmon
    3. Ring of boulders
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- Western Recreational Trail
  1. Hidden Ponds / Tunk Mountain – primary concern right now
  2. Parking would still be better closer to the road
    1. Security
    2. Winter use
    3. Visibility
  3. Dynamite Brook Road
    1. Parking area
    2. Caribou Mountain Trail
  
- Fox Pond – Myrick Road
  1. ATV Access
  2. Tunk Mountain Trail
  3. Scenic Pull Outs

BP&L Initiatives

- Caribou trail
- Hidden Ponds
- Long Pond

- Spring River Lake
- Tunk Mountain

#### Logging

- Spring River area
  - Big loop trail may not happen – calling attention through a logged area
  - What are their plans for the logging roads
    - Can we put any trails on the roads to connect other trails
    - Will any roads be conserved for fire protection?
- Roads that BP&L is likely to maintain
  - Spring River Lake Outlet
  - 1000 Road
  - Dynamite Brook Road

#### Byway Signage Plan

- Need to develop a signage plan for the entire byway
- Plan a byway road-trip
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#### State and National Byways Initiatives

- Strategic Planning between MaineDOT, MaineDOC and Maine Office of Tourism
- Grants and other funding possibilities

Field visit to the above (1+ hour)

# Hidden Ponds Parking Study

