Rattlesnake Gutter Trust Monitoring - RGT-Owned Property Form

Date: 2016

1. Property Name: Laurel Hill Common Lands

2. Date of Monitoring: December 29, 2016
Recommendations from last year's monitoring:
1. RGT Common Lands document followup with Laurel Hill Association.
3. Monitors:
Chug Holmes (Laurel Hill resident)
Mary Barnett (Laurel Hill representative)
Eva Gibavic
4. Describe the monitoring route briefly (also draw on map):
Walked up from Mary's house to the house at the top of the hill that has recently been sold; struggled to
find pin and discussed how we could better mark it without making it visually disturbing. The walked to
the southeast near the trail/boundary to the pin with Richardson Road neighbor (G6): no sign of use of
trail by motorized vehicles as in the past. Walked the south edge of property; didn't go down to the road:
viewed that by car. Walked out the lower trail and back up hill to area near Chris Carlisle, Mary's house
and new neighbor; markings gone their and need reconfirming. The old hangning CD's on a string marking
a bound are gone.
5. Action Items:
Inform Laurel Hill Association about:
1. A tree is still down blocking easy access along the "fire road".
6. List any problems with monitoring map or photos:
None.

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Natural	Human Made
None Observed: 🔀	None Observed: 🔀
Just trees.	

8. Monitoring recommendations for next year:

- 1. Requires a full day to do or two half days.
- 2. Monitoring pictures need updating.
- 3. Reaquaint ourselves with all of the pins

Stewardship Plan for Upcoming Year:

9. Last Year's Stewardship Plan / Goals / Accomplishments:

- 1. Informational Flier: discussed by LHA executive committee and is now being handed out.
- 2. Agreement of Conservancy Practices: Clarify status.
- 3. Continue to search for 12 unfound corners (37 found/documented). See the excel and photo file. (Not done, focused on newly missing bound at G21.)
- 4. Completion of mapping of stone structures and stone walls. (Mapping of E complete; awaiting Agreement of Conservancy Practices before approaching private landowners.)

10. Last Year's Actual Costs \$0.00

11. Goals, planned activities to meet those Stewardship goals and timeline for the coming year:

- 1. The Agreement of Conservancy Practices between the Laurel Hill Association and the Rattlesnake Gutter Trust needs to be signed.
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None	

igned: Date Signed: 12/31/16

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Still to do:
Ask to present this report at the next RGT Board Meeting
Print out and sign 3 copies:
1. Put one in the Green Field Notebook
2. Give one to the person who puts the reports in the Blue Archive Notebook at the Leverett Family Museum.
3. Mail (or give) a copy to the land owner(s)
Send an electronic copy of this report to the person who puts it on the Board-only section of the RGT website.

