



Wachusett Greenways

2014 Annual Report

Celebrating Twenty Years

In 2015 Wachusett Greenways celebrates two decades of connecting the Wachusett community with trails and greenways. What a journey we continue to share! Join us throughout the coming year as we raise a walking stick or grab a shovel in celebration.

We thank you and look forward to continuing our journey together. In 2014 a record total of 966 members or Mass Central Rail Trail donors contributed to Wachusett Greenways. For 2015 we will welcome each supporter as we continue the quest to reach 1,000 members. WG welcomes each volunteer and trail visitor.

Our primary partner, the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation, continues to share the vision for stewardship of the Mass Central Rail Trail. The towns of the Wachusett region and Worcester area foundations also help sustain this vital community partnership.

In 2014 we accepted two awards, the Holden Good Neighbor Award and the Massachusetts State Trail Award. Thank you for your role in 20 years of serving our communities. Whether you joined, contributed, volunteered or encouraged with a note...you are the fuel and foundation of our achievements together.

Gratefully!

Your Wachusett Greenways Directors,

Colleen Abrams, Chair

Christy Barnes

Steve Chanis

Gordo Elliot

Dave Fitzpatrick, Treasurer

Jeff Keay

Mike Peckar, Secretary



Welcome Center

During 2014 WG made more headway on developing the Welcome Center at 21 Miles Road in Rutland, reports director Christy Barnes. In the kitchen, Harold Boucher and Arthur Roberts cut and fit baseboard and window trim, followed by volunteer painting. At year end, Christy reports, “The interior is in good shape, and we are preparing the office for volunteers to use.”

Landscaper Doug Hagman continues to provide his most welcomed gift of mowing and leaf removal. We are also grateful for neighbors Dave Camarra, Seth Stidsen, Everett Reynolds, and director Jeff Keay, who continue to help out with plowing and oversight. Accessible ramp designs, including a possible natural, mowable mound, and the MCRT connection along Miles Rd. are being prepared for 2015 construction.

Grants from the DCR and Foundations Support MCRT Expansion

Grant support from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) and regional foundations are central to our partnership progress. Together we are tackling ambitious and high-impact projects on the Mass Central Rail Trail (MCRT).

2014 saw the completion of the MCRT from Coldbrook Rd. in Oakham, spanning the Ware River via the White Valley Bridge, and on to the Rte. 122 rest stop in Barre. The DCR made this work possible through two years of Recreational Trails Program grants and a Partnership Matching Funds Program grant.



For 2015, a DCR Recreational Trails Program grant is underway for MCRT upgrades in Rutland, Holden and Sterling. WG will “match” this grant by contributing at least 20% of the grant amount in additional funding and in-kind services.

Two DCR Partnership Matching Funds Program grants and a DCR Recreational Trails Program



Grant will support the engineering and design of the MCRT connection at the Rte. 140/Beaman St. causeway in West Boylston during 2015. Wachusett Greenways will provide the match for all three grants.

Wachusett Greenways completed a proposal for an exceptional grant from the 2015 DCR Recreational Trails Program to begin the first phase of construction on the Rte. 140/Beaman St. causeway connection.

Three foundations contributed grants in 2014. The George I. Alden Trust made an unexpected gift “in appreciation of the important service you provide to the

Worcester community,” and the Donna P.C. and John E. Sansoucy Fund of the Greater Worcester Community Foundation made a generous contribution. The Wal-Mart Foundation provided a thoughtful grant as well.

Grant funding is key to helping WG sustain trail construction and stewardship. If you or someone you know is involved with a grant-making organization — especially one with an interest in supporting trails and community connections, non-motorized transportation and recreation, or health and fitness — please let us know by contacting Colleen Abrams at 508-479-2125 or colleen.abrams@verizon.net.

We Took to the Woods!

WG events led many of us to explore our region. In April, 18 intrepid hikers shared a full-moon stroll along Thayer Pond and beyond in Rutland. Cookies and milk wrapped up a magical evening. The next day, Wachusett Meadows in Princeton was the scene of a stroll through trails just coming alive to spring, led by Joe Choiniere. A Mother's Day hike led by Christy Barnes featured ephemeral wildflowers on the High Meadow Trail at Wachusett Mountain.

Bike rides were the featured activity twice on the MCRT in



June and August, the latter including a picnic and rest stop in Barre on the Ware River – a 12-mile ride. We went farther afield in July, to Westboro for a Butterfly Walk led by Elise Barry and Wendy Miller, then to Sibley Farm in Spencer, to see the pasture wildflowers and learn the history of the farm's purchase by Mass

Audubon and The Greater Worcester Land Trust. We paddled around and swam in Comet Pond, Hubbardston, a summer treat, on July 19. On a fine October day we explored four miles of the Stillwater River Basin, and learned about the Wachusett Reservoir, led by Peder Pedersen. Rounding out a full year of events Jeff Keay led a December walk to Eagle Hill, and WG hosted ginger cookie and cider hospitality close by the MCRT in West Boylston at the Oakdale Methodist Church. Come join us in 2015!

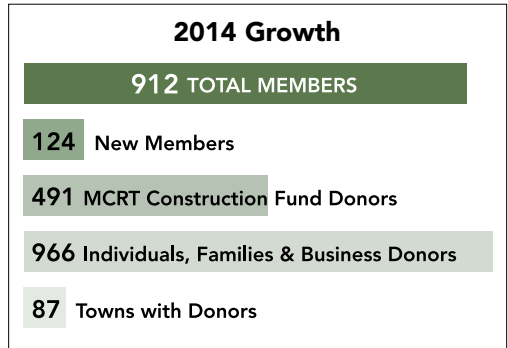
Christy Barnes, events coordinator, welcomes leaders for outdoor events in the Wachusett region. Whether you envision a natural history walk 'n talk, a restorative stroll, vigorous hike, bicycle riding on the MCRT or another rail trail, snowshoeing, cross-country skiing or canoeing, Christy invites you to lead or to suggest an event. Email her at bertinbarnes@verizon.net.

A Record-Breaking Year for Memberships!

Greenways endeavored to meet a special challenge of reaching the 1,000 member milestone. When the drive ended, a new record of 912 members had joined, increasing our ranks by 23%, but falling short of the 1,000 member challenge. The number of those who were brand-new members more than doubled to 124. A total of 491 donors contributed to the MCRT Construction Fund, up 22% from last year. Altogether 966 individuals, families and businesses donated to Wachusett Greenways as members or MCRT donors. Our donors hail from 87 towns — up from 81 last year.

Three Greenways donors had each offered \$1,000 challenge gifts if we met the 1,000-member goal in 2014. Though we did not quite reach the challenge goal, each challenge donor encouraged Wachusett Greenways to push on to reach the 1,000 member goal for next year. Two of the challenge donors joyfully gave their \$1,000 challenge gifts in 2014 in spite of our falling short of the goal, reflecting their appreciation for WG members' strong commitment. The third donor presented half of the gift for 2014 with commitment for the other half *when* we meet the 1000-member goal in 2015.

Members' unprecedented demonstration of support has truly raised the bar for 2015! If you're not already a WG member, join us! And if you are a member, please consider making an additional gift to help construct and preserve the Mass Central Rail Trail.



In Memoriam

John Rives' boundless energy was apparent at once on the day he and his wife, Linda Waldron, came out for a trail clearing with WG. He served as a director and volunteer with the Mass Central Rail Trail Task Force. Later he bought a side-bar mower and tractor so that he could mow the rail trail shoulders. Even as he engaged in a long battle living with cancer, he continued to serve when he could and was delighted to fire up his mower whenever possible. John was an enthusiastic ambassador spreading his enthusiasm for WG and the MCRT. On November 22, 2014, John died at age 63, having lived fully and generously sharing his many gifts of trail and outdoor appreciation, music, clock restoration, rail riding, running, swimming, teaching and devotion to family and friends.

We are grateful for John and will continue to miss him.



On Patrol for the MCRT and White Oak Trails

Each year loyal trail patrollers monitor their selected territories, checking that the trails are welcoming, free of debris, and plowed in every season. They do light clearing after a storm or notify the maintenance coordinators of more serious problems. Often trail users thank them, which makes up in small part for having to pick up any litter deposited by a few careless folks.

Additional patrollers are always needed, so if you enjoy particular sections of the MCRT often, please consider signing up. Anyone who wants to volunteer or who notices a problem on a trail can notify one of the following: **MCRT Maintenance Coordinators**, Colleen Abrams, 508-829-5954 or 508-479-2125 colleen.abrams@verizon.net, or Patroller Captain Paul Hennessey 508-886-6317 peh01543@charter.net.

With thanks to the 2014 MCRT Trail Patrollers:

Sterling Cub Scout Pack #54 (Dennis Trombley Co-Cubmaster), Sterling – Cider Mill to Gates Rd.

Bruce Baker, Sterling – Cider Mill to Gates Rd.

Mike and Rachel Peckar, West Boylston – Oakdale to Holden Line

Evan Schakenbach and Grace Blydenburgh, Holden and West Boylston – River St. to WB line and River St. to Manning St. to Rte. 31

Lorraine Stewart, Holden – River St. to Manning St. to Rte. 31

Sheila Dibb, Rutland – Glenwood Rd. to Rte. 56

Hank and Viv Ouellette, Jere and Rachel Bradley, Karin Glidden and Carol Moore, Rutland – Pommogussett Tunnel to Miles Rd. MCRT parking

Everett Reynolds, Rutland – Pommogussett Tunnel to Charnock Hill Tunnel

Bob Hill and Gail Hartman, Rutland – Miles Rd. to Charnock Hill Tunnel

Paul Hennessey, Rutland – Charnock/Barrack/Whitehall (at State Park entrance road)

Joe Sansoucy, Whitehall Rd., Rutland to Coldbrook Rd., Oakham

Robin Peters, Rutland – Whitehall at State Park entrance road to Midstate Trail

Ron Marsh, Rutland – Whitehall Rd. to Midstate Trail

Beth Hunt, Rutland – Rte. 122/Midstate to Muddy Pond outlet and ramp to Rte. 122 small parking lot

Joan Killough-Miller and Aria, Oakham – Muddy Pond outlet to Coldbrook

Walter “Jim” Potter II, Oakham/Barre – Rte. 122 crossing to Ware River crossing and rest stop

Jack Perreault and Mike Peckar, White Oak Trail, Holden



MCRT 2014 Construction and Improvement

In 2014 WG added the top coat to the MCRT between the rest stop on Rte. 122 in Barre, along the Ware River, and up to Coldbrook Rd., Oakham. Local contractor Bob Salvadore completed the stone-dust paving. Many visitors have expressed their appreciation for the new smooth finish.

The DCR completed a key parking lot improvement and expansion at the River St., Holden entrance to the MCRT. Increased parking capacity will benefit visitors year-round. WG installed new benches and added a second portable toilet at the West Boylston entrance to the MCRT.



Using DCR grant monies and WG match funds, design and engineering will be carried out in 2015 in preparation for the connection along the Rte. 140/Beaman St. causeway in West Boylston, where an 850-foot set of bridges and a connection to the West Boylston trailhead is needed.

A DCR Recreational Trails Grant with a WG match is underway for 2015 improvement of some MCRT sections in Sterling, Holden, and Rutland that need restoration or improved alignment.

In Rutland, WG anticipates constructing the MCRT connector along Miles Rd. near the future welcome center in 2015. The route will curve to make a grade of 5% accessible to all.

We're so fortunate to have a bit of Eden in the Mass Central Rail Trail close by. Thanks for your dedication and the many hours you devote to this wonderful resource.

Bob and Barbara Pezzini, Holden, October 2014

Hospitality

Greenways volunteers continued outreach to our neighbors. In April, for example, the Earth Day celebration held at the University of Massachusetts Medical School, Worcester, offered an ideal opportunity to talk one-to-one with folks who may not be familiar with Wachusett Greenways. Similarly, Greenways volunteers participated in the always-popular Holden Days in August.



*Thank you to all who
help make the rail trail
a wonderful place to
enjoy the outdoors.*

Kevin and Jeanne Depasse,
Jefferson, November 2014



Each year we perform “trail counts” at popular points along the rail trail. Knowing whom the trails serve is a vital statistic when we apply for grants. In 2014, we offered hospitality at trail heads in West Boylston, Holden and Rutland.

On June 7, River St. trailhead of the MCRT, Holden, on a sunny day in the 70s, a total of 263 visitors came from communities near and far. Noteworthy were trail users from Holden (103), Worcester (34), West Boylston (27), 2 from Maine and 1 all the way from Chile.

On October 18, Oakdale (West Boylston) trailhead with mixed sun and clouds, temps in the 50s to 60s, we greeted a total of 348 visitors, including West Boylston (54), Holden (45), Worcester, (101), Sterling (26), Rhode Island and New York (1 each), New Jersey, (2), Cleveland (4), San Francisco (3) and Seattle (1).

A Perfect Fall Day at the Springdale Mill Celebration

The annual Springdale Mill Celebration, held on the last Saturday in September, provided music, courtesy of the Paddock Brothers, delicious food, and engaging activities. WPI volunteers led children in bracelet making, face painting, scavenger hunts, hula hoops and building fairy gardens. DCR rangers led the Children's Journey to the Mill 1.5 miles to the mill site.

Ruth Spaulding, chair of the Springdale Mill Committee, welcomed all attendees and thanked the many volunteers for their generous commitment to this yearly event.





Thank you so much for helping make our lives so much the better.

Bill and Erika Higgins, Holden, November 2014

Let's Stay Connected!

As 2014 comes to an end, Wachusett Greenways is launching an all-new website, and social media presence on Facebook and Twitter! These long-overdue enhancements are designed to keep you better informed about the many ways Greenways is connecting our communities. Spearheading this project are volunteers Emily Carr and Rachel Peckar, whose expertise has been incalculable. Hank Ouellette continues his dedicated service with the website and wonderful photography.

WG publishes *The Connector* newsletter twice each year and the annual report to provide you with a full review. The fall 2014 issue broke new ground with color photography. Ongoing use of ConstantContact brings you up-to-the-minute email-based news. Volunteers are always welcome to help with this outreach as writers, designers and photographers. Please contact Ken McDonnell at klmcdonn@gmail.com or Viv Ouellette at vivoue30@charter.net.



Wachusett Greenways, Inc.

Statement of Revenue and Expenses Year Ended December 31, 2014

	Unrestricted Fund Trail Maintenance Member Services Management	Temporarily Restricted Fund Trail Construction	Permanently Restricted Fund	Total
REVENUE				
Membership Contributions	\$ 39,451.76	\$	\$	\$ 39,451.76
Individual and Corp. Contributions		50,347.28		50,347.28
Federal/State Grants		100,000.00		100,000.00
Foundation Grants		16,350.68		16,350.68
Product sales	1,210.00			1,210.00
Municipal Contributions	2,800.00			2,800.00
Contributions to MCRT Preserv. Endow.			810.00	810.00
Interest Income	466.67	0	0	466.67
Total Revenue	<u>\$ 45,928.43</u>	<u>\$ 166,697.96</u>	<u>\$ 810.00</u>	<u>\$ 211,436.39</u>
EXPENSES				
Trail Construction		24,059.99		24,059.99
Trail Maintenance	1,352.40			1,352.40
Portable Toilets	3,372.80			3,372.80
Financial Services and Accounting	1,096.54			1,096.54
Insurance	4,602.50			4,602.50
Outreach	751.13			751.13
Postage and Mail Services	3,018.51			3,018.51
21 Miles Rd. Utilities	1,892.68			1,892.68
Printing and Communications	9,477.34			9,477.34
Supplies	776.32			776.32
Bank Fee	150.00			150.00
New Benches and Engraving	760.25	2,770.00		3,530.25
Volunteer Devel. And Training	640.00			640.00
Donation for Facility Use	200.00			200.00
Total Expenses	<u>28,090.47</u>	<u>26,829.99</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>54,920.46</u>
Excess of Revenue Over Expenses	<u>\$ 15,837.96</u>	<u>\$ 139,867.97</u>	<u>\$ 810.00</u>	<u>\$ 156,515.93</u>

Wachusett Greenways, Inc.

Balance Sheet December 31, 2014

ASSETS

Current Assets	
Bank Accounts	\$ 146,938.11
Accounts Receivable	50,000.00
Prepaid Expenses	4,393.75
2015 Deposits Paid - DCR Partnership Grants	<u>100,000.00</u>
Total Current Assets	\$ 301,331.86
Fixed Assets	
Welcome Center Building - Rutland	106,550.87
Land - Rutland	<u>161,150.00</u>
Total Fixed Assets	<u>267,700.87</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 569,032.73</u>
LIABILITIES and EQUITY	
Current Liabilities - Accounts Payable	\$ 2,897.11
EQUITY	
Unrestricted Net Worth	\$ 302,616.65
Temporarily Restricted Net Worth	232,158.97
Permanently Restricted Net Worth	<u>31,360.00</u>
Total Equity	<u>566,135.62</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES and EQUITY	<u>\$ 569,032.73</u>

Statement of Net Current Assets as of December 31, 2014

PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED	
MCRT Endowment Funds	\$ 31,360
TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED	
Kaplan Development Fund	6,450
MCRT Construction Fund	256,491
UNRESTRICTED	
Maintenance, Membership, and Management	<u>\$ 4,134</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$ 298,435</u>

Special Delivery: Mailing Parties keep WG Members Connected

The WG mailing team had a banner year, led by coordinator S. Jane Arntz. A rotating group of 30 dedicated volunteers sent out mailings, reaching WG's 1,700 friends and members. A group of 10 volunteers can usually get the word out in three hours.

The team meets on weekday mornings in space kindly made available by the First Baptist Church in Holden. The mailing crew is a good way to catch up with old friends and make new. New volunteers are always welcome. To sign up contact S. Jane Arntz at 508-829-7396 or sjaj12@hotmail.com.



Young Volunteer Teams

Youth teams are enthusiastic, perennial Greenways volunteers. WPI's chapter of AΦΩ coed service fraternity celebrated its 50th anniversary in 2014. In the tradition they've kept for more than a dozen years with WG, they contributed several days of exemplary service in 2014. Our letter to WPI's President Laurie Leshin expressed our thanks, "Every one of the AΦΩ members who have served with us has demonstrated the highest level of character and service. From cutting



brush, hauling logs and clearing out ditches, to hula hooping and face painting with children, they serve with enthusiasm wherever needed."

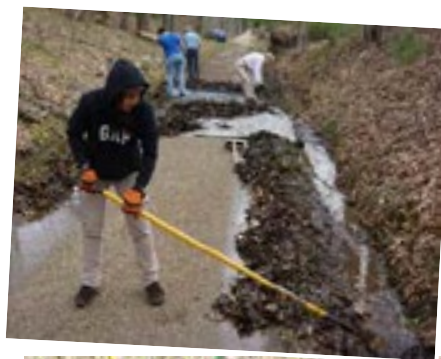
Volunteers from Bancroft School of Worcester have been with Wachusett Greenways almost from the beginning of our 20-year journey. The middle school students are full of determination to tackle any



project on three afternoon service days. Faculty advisor Jim Kamosky is an energized leader along with parent volunteers. Three years ago Bancroft fifth-grade classes initiated a service/learning day with WG. The students and their teachers Lisa Kunhardt and Betsy Rocha bring wide-eyed curiosity and wonderful energy each year.



St. John's School in Shrewsbury is a newcomer to youth service with Greenways. Its seniors tackled challenging maintenance with great vigor for a full day each of the past two summers. "We look forward to their arrival again next year," says Greenway volunteer Laura Beckwith. "They envision the job at hand and find creative ways to complete it as a team." Greenways hopes that the hard-working St. John's underclassmen and their family support teams will also return for another service day during the school year.



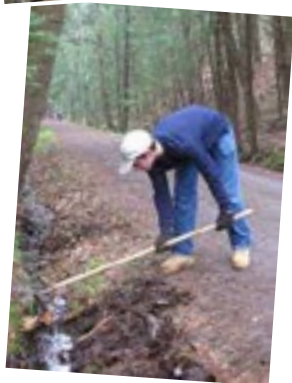
Rutland Junior Girl Scout Troop #30353 met with WG directors Colleen Abrams and Christy Barnes to learn about maintaining the MCRT, and trailside wildlife and plant life. During the year they continued with service projects clearing leaves and brush along the MCRT near Thayer Pond and in the Charnock Cut. The WPI students they worked

alongside were quite impressed with the young scouts!

Jon O'Brien of Holden Troop #182, who earlier completed his Eagle project by moving a steep section of the White Oak Trail and applying fresh blazes, awaits his Eagle Court of Honor. Jon remained steadfast as he faced snow drifts during his reconnaissance and dealt with ground nests of hornets during construction.

Sterling Cub Scout Pack #54 continues as patrollers for the Sterling section of the MCRT. And West Boylston Troop #151 provided a service day.

Many thanks to each and every one of these reliable, conscientious, dedicated young volunteers and their leaders! Greenways especially welcomes young people to serve on teams or individually.



New Benches in 2014

Just in time to greet 2014, WG installed a bench near the Quinapoxet River along the MCRT in Holden at the Springdale Mill historic site. So if you are enjoying a walk through time as you explore the remnants of another age, take a moment to rest on our new bench. The bench was engraved with Springdale Mill in honor of the Springdale Mill Team led by Ruth Spaulding.



Two new benches were added along the MCRT in West Boylston this year. The bench engraved for Gordie and Bonnie Shayler arrived in July. In October the family of Joe and Hilda Starkus placed a bench in their memory.



Keep watch for new bench and stele engravings on the rail trail. They offer places to rest, pause and ponder. Please thank friends and neighbors for their generous gifts to help build and care for the trail. Donors with cumulative gifts of \$5,000 or more can earn an engraved granite bench on the trail, or with \$1,000 or more can have an engraving added to a stele (pillar). To learn more about bench or stele engraving, please contact Colleen Abrams at colleen.abrams@verizon.net or 508-479-2123.

Planning WG's Community Garden

The summer of 2015 should welcome a group of raised beds full of growing vegetables behind the future WG Welcome Center at 21 Miles Rd. in Rutland. Starting with four 16-inch high, 4' x 8' raised beds, committee chair Jeff Keay hopes to expand next season. Jeff says, "Our committee is conferring with possible local partners such as the Rutland Council on Aging, food bank, and Scouts to build on WG's mission to connect communities to the outdoors." Questions yet to settle before planting include how to set up, maintain and distribute produce from the garden, recruiting volunteers, and construction of the beds.

Jeff invites anyone interested in helping with our community garden to contact him at jkeay23@gmail.com. Already signed on are WG volunteers, Colleen Abrams, Christy Barnes, Barbara Campbell, and Nancy Nichols from the Rutland Council on Aging.

Wachusett Greenways Volunteers 2014

Thank you to each of our AMAZING volunteers and donors of in-kind goods and services! *Please inform us of any errors or omissions.*

Volunteers (individuals)

Colleen Abrams

Jim Abrams

Larry Altobelli

Lori Altobelli

Doreen Amaral

S. Jane Arntz

Bruce Baker

Christy Barnes

Elise Barry

Karl Barry

Lydia Barter

Wes Barter

Laura Beckwith

Rob Bennett

Robert Bertin

Harold "Slugger" Black

Grace Blydenburgh

Harold Boucher

Jere Bradley

Rachel Bradley

Daeg Brenner

Gary Brigham

Dave Camarra

Barbara Campbell

Steve Chanis

Joe Choiniere

Ted Del Donno

Joanne Diaz

Sheila Dibb

Darrell Dorman

George Dresser

Gordo Elliott

Steve Fisk

Dave Fitzpatrick

Betty Fogg

Peter Garibotto

John Gau

Jamie Gilman

Karin Glidden

Zach Goodwin

Greta Gridley

Claire Gurney

Pat Hackett

Doug Hagman

Persis Hamilton

Joanne Harper

Gail Hartman

Howard Hastings

Paul Hennessey

Bob Hill

Charles Homan

Cameron Horton

Beth Hunt

Glenn Juchno

Bill Kadish

Jim Kamosky

Jeff Keay

Aria Killough-Miller

Joan Killough-Miller

Dee Kormeluk

Dotty Kormeluk

Jim Lafley

Lynda Lambert

Bobbie Lang

Peter Lindstrom

Margaret Lock

Kate Lombard

Ronaldo Lu

Ron Marsh

Barbara McCarthy

Gene McCarthy

Ken McDonnell

Wendy Miller

Troy Milliken

Sandy Moffett

Carol Moore

Carol Morin

Jonathan O'Brien

Janet Olson

Hank Ouellette

Viv Ouellette

Chas Paddock

Mike Peckar

Rachel Peckar

Peder Pedersen

Bruce Pennino

Jack Perreault

Robin Peters

Bob Pezzini

Tom Pitman

Joan Platt

Walter "Jim" Potter

Ann Puffer

Kevin Quinn

Everett Reynolds

John Rives

Linda Rives



David Rosenfield

Moira Rouse

Scott Royal

Bruce Ruderman

Brett Russ

Dave Ryan

Joe Sansoucy

Amanda Sayut

John Scannell

Evan Schakenbach

Jim Schakenbach

Mike Scott

Karen Shapiro

John Sherwin

Dave Simmerer

Michele Simoneau

Chuck Skillings

Ann Spaulding

Dick Spaulding

Maggie Spaulding

Roger Spaulding

Ruth Spaulding

Lorraine Stewart

Seth Stidsen

Andrea Stone

Bill Stuart

Ruth Sweeney

Dave Sweetman

Robin Van Liew

Phil Warbasse

Debbie Ward

Dick Williams

Jonathan Woodward

Ed Yaglou

Geoff Yaglou

Volunteers (groups)

Alpha Phi Omega of
Worcester Polytechnic
Institute
Bancroft School 5th Grade
Bancroft Middle School
Students
Holden Department of Public
Works
Holden Troop #182 Scouts
assisting Jon O'Brien
Holden Troop #180 Scouts
assisting Zach Goodwin
MA Department of
Conservation and
Recreation
Rutland Department of
Public Works
Rutland Junior Girl Scouts
Troop #3033
Saint John's School
Sterling Cub Scout Pack #54
Sterling Department of
Public Works
West Boylston Department of
Public Works
West Boylston Scout Troop
#151



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Dave Fitzpatrick
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Holden Senior Center
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MA Department of
Conservation and
Recreation
Carol Morin
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Oakdale Methodist Church
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Rehabilitation Center &
Skilled Nursing Care
The Paddock Brothers
Mike Peckar
Bruce Pennino, PE
Rutland DPW
Sentry Oil, Brian and Paula
Stidsen
Dick Spaulding
Sterling DPW
Ken Strom
Walmart of West Boylston
Ed Yaglou

2014 Greenways Members and Donors

\$5,000 or More

The Family of Joseph and
Hilda Starkus

\$1,000 or More

Jim and Colleen Abrams
Gordon E Elliott
Judith Green
Richard and Janice Helle
Stephen and Valerie Loring
Peder and Diane Pedersen
Hannah Shayler
Bonnie Shayler

\$500 to \$999

Steve Bennett and
Victoria Triolo
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John Sullivan
The Wal-Mart Foundation
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Terry, Debbie, Trevor, Derek
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Craig and Tracy Reynolds
Joe and Sarah Ribeiro
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Inc.
Donna Schlichting
Pauline Seuss
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Laurie Shayler
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Linda Waldron
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Christy Barnes and
Robert Bertin
Bicycle Alley
Grace Blydenburgh
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Landscape
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