Greenway & Trail Users Advisory Group (GTUAG) Meeting Notes Tuesday, February 8, 2011 - 7:00 PM Grand Forks Park District Office - 1210-7th Ave. S. Grand Forks, ND

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I. Previous discussion items

a. Cross country ski report: There was great attendance at Greenway Ski Days. The grooming of the overall trail has been good when weather and snow conditions have been good but the snow is getting thin in some areas and grooming has been discontinued on the trail that goes from Riverside Dam to 47th Avenue South. Kim has received requests from the ND Department of Tourism for a weekly ski report. She has also begun to send these reports to the media and local convention and visitor bureau. As the trail system is expanded and user information is more readily available these outlets will be helpful in marketing Greater Grand Forks as a destination for skiing.

II. New discussion items

a. 2011 paved trail plans (GF): Matt updated the group on the 2011 trail installations and repairs for Grand Forks. Last year Matt field reviewed all the paved trails in Grand Forks and developed a roster of necessary repairs. There are plans for two major projects in 2011: install a trail along south Washington Street from 47th Avenue South to 55th Avenue South and repair of the trail along 24th Avenue south behind Columbia Mall to 32nd Avenue South (map attached). Minor repairs will be done as need and funds warrant.

III. Next meeting date: 7:00 pm, Tuesday, March 8, 2011 at the Grand Forks Park District, 1210 7th Avenue South

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