

LPTC Goals and Planning					
MISSION – REPAIR, MAINTAIN, PROMOTE, ENHANCE, EXPAND					
TOPIC/IDEA/PROJECT	STATUS	MISSION	PROJECT CONTACT	NOTES	PROJECTED COST
Current Trail Benches, replace the wood & paint the metal	Done	Repair	Steve & Shelly Dennis	New wood, hardware and paint for 6 benches	Wood hardware & paint donated.
Reurbish and install 2 benches	Pending	Repair	Steve & Shelly Dennis	Taylorville Lake dept, donated 2 benches, pending refurbishment	Wood hardware & paint donated.
6 Tree Root Pushups between Pana and Owaneco	Done	Repair	Lori & Brian Lynch	Locations marked, pana Street & Alley Dept fixed.	
Repair Tree Root Pushups, Cracks, etc.	Pending	Repair	Lori & Brian Lynch	Identifying spots to be fixed, creating map & then prioritize	
Prevent weeds in trail pavement		Repair		Possible seal cracks	
Repaint sign posts	Pending	Repair	Lori & Brian Lynch	Repainting sign posts, cross road posts	
Develop maintence recomendations for mowing, trimming trees, bushes, weeding in the pavement		Maintain		Partner with Cities of Pana, Taylorville, etc	
Adopt A Trail by section trail for maintenance		Maintain	Lori Lynch		
Weeding, planting, mulching, watering @Taylorville Trail Head	Pending	Maintain			
Repaint Parking Lot @ Pana Trailhead		Maintain			
“Way Maps” Lake Taylorville and both trailheads		Enhance			
Arch at Lake Taylorville Bike Path Crossing Entrance		Enhance		Possible projects for trail heads	
Photo Op Idea at Taylorville Lake Entrance		Enhance	Steve	Close to trail, stick figure bike for 4 or 5.	

Bike repair station	Pending	Enhance	Bill Roseberry	Owaneco Fix it Station installed. Paw Paw St installed. Pana installed. Lake Taylorville pending site, donor	
Hydration Station	Pending	Enhance	Steve D	Pana installed. Taylorville pending. Owaneco set for Spring 2026. Lake Taylorville pending. Donated by Fur Love	
Bike Racks		Enhance	Steve Dennis	Paw Paw Street installed. other trailheads need sites and donors	Approx \$500, unless themed
Trail signs by benches	Pending	Enhance	Steve & Shelly Dennis	Sign design is a proof of concept. Sign frames are built, need to design the labels . Proposal given to Pana Cummunity Support Committee for review	
Mini Shelters on trail		Enhance		Define locations, design, donor	
Native Plant Garden @ Owaneco Trail Head		Enhance			
Native Plant Garden @ Pana Trail Head		Enhance	Pana Pride	Installed around Welcome Sign	
New trail mileage signs		Enhance	Ben Robinson	Mile Marker signs, options under review	
Doggie bags for pet owners to handle waste at trail heads	Pending	Enhance	Steve Dennis	Pet Waste Stations installed at Paw Paw st ^ Pana. Pending installation at Owaneco, Lake Taylorville trail heads. Fur Love provided a grant	

Plaques and signs placements including sponsors, mileage markers, welcome, plant I.D. signs (QR codes)		Enhance			
QR codes for "Way Maps" for bike routes for both cities		Enhance			
Safe Routes in both Pana and Taylorville routes to the Trail Heads		Enhance	Steve Dennis	Bud and Steve working on 1st draft	
Safe walking, hiking and biking accessibility such as gaps in the sidewalks in both Pana and Taylorville		Enhance	Steve Dennis		
Safer access from lake parking lot to trail and other access points	Pending	Enhance	Lori Lynch	Taylorville Ward 4, paying for paint & signage.	
Taylorville Trail Head Photo OP Bench etc.		Enhance			
Trail Gateways		Enhance			
Trail sign at Lake Taylorville		Enhance			
Visitor Log using QR Code @ Trail Heads	Pending	Enhance	Mike Choate, Steve Dennis	Draft idea in progress	
Trail User Countng Tech		Enhance	Steve Dennis		
Rest Room at Pana Trail Head	Done	Enhance	Steve Dennis	City of Pana providing restroom for 4 months, May - Aug, Wed Horton Plumbing donating 2 months. Need to raise funds for 6 months.	130.00 per month
Rest Room at Taylorville Trail Head	Done	Enhance	Bud Altman	City of Taylorville providing. Benton & Assoc, donating concrete pad cost	
Rest Room at Owaneco		Enhance			
Tree/Nature Walk @ Taylorville Paw Paw St Trail head	Pending	Enhance	Steve D, Geri N	Trail Head to Rt 48, approx .5M. Signs for trees, plants, other. Pilot, other trailheads pending.	

Memorial Benches	Pending	Enhance	Bud Altman	3 Benches have donors, pending finalizing. This will be an ongoing project	
Taylorville Chilifest 2025	Pending	PROMOTE	Diana Vocks, Steve Dennis	Application submitted, plans developed, working on action items	
Retired Trail Signs fundraiser	Pending	PROMOTE	Steve Dennis	Board approved selling retired signs for 25.00 donation. Engraving and labels in progress. To be sold at Chilifest 2025	
Trifold map of LPT	Pending	PROMOTE	Ben R., Steve D	Design and latest version pending approval. Digital & printed form.	
Bike training in schools (Bikes to schools to use for PE classes)	Pending	PROMOTE	Bud Altman, Steve D	All Kids Bike program, presented to Taylorville School Supt., pending review	
T-shirt Designs	Pending	PROMOTE	Ben R., Bill R, Steve D	Several design ideas fr sale at Chilifest in process	
Stickers	Pending	PROMOTE	Ben R	Design and stickers in process. Various sizes	
Logo design	Pending	PROMOTE	Debby J	Logo designed for use on various merchandise.	
Future Bike Rodeo events in both Pana and Taylorville		PROMOTE			
YMCA Healthy Kids Day		PROMOTE	Steve Dennis	2026 Pending	
Future cycling and hiking events (Rambles)		PROMOTE			
Support Bike Friendly Business and Bike Friendly Communities (American League of Bicyclists)		PROMOTE			
Bike (Traffic) Park for Kids		EXPAND	Steve Dennis		
Manners Midland Trail		EXPAND	Bud Altman		
Trail connection to Rochester		EXPAND	Bud Altman		

Trail to Edinburgh		EXPAND	Bud Altman		
Trail connection to YMCA		EXPAND			
Udated as of 9/1/2025					