PLEASE JOIN US AT OUR SECOND SYMPOSIUM

Thursday, February 16, 2017 6:30 pm Bartram Trail High School 7399 Longleaf Pine Pkwy Saint Johns, FL 32259

Host: Wil Smith, St Johns County Parks & Recreation, Director

Some of the information to be provided

- River to Sea Loop
- Gollah Geechee FL Bike Tour Spring 2017 at the Fair Grounds
- Maintaining Trails
- Matanzas State Forest Trails
- Group Discussion Time for Issues and Concerns





St Johns County Greenway Trails Coalition





6:30 pm

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St Johns County, FL Greenway Trails Coalition Vision Statement

Our goal is to set aside land for nonmotorized, unpaved, multi-use greenway trails to benefit both the St Johns County economy and quality of life.

In addition to offering recreational space for equestrians, off-road cyclists, hikers and naturalists, the Greenway Trails balance corridors and green space preserving the unique ecology of NE Florida. These benefits create a healthier place to work and live throughout St. Johns County.

The Greenway Trails allow for smooth transitions between urban and rural environs; thus, providing connectivity between developed areas and natural preservation areas.

The Greenway Trails are an amenity that will create recreational and economic opportunities through tourism and appreciating land values, while ultimately enhancing the quality of life for St Johns County residents.

VOLUNTEER MEMBERSHIP

Mary Farr, Greenway Trails Committee of St Johns County Horse Council, Chairperson

Judy Simms, Greenway Trails Committee of St Johns County Horse Council, Member

Linda Matzke, Greenway Trails Committee of St Johns County Horse Council, Member

Deb Chapin, Ponte Vedra Greenway Alliance

Jean Rolke, St Johns County Audubon, President

Todd Cejka, Southern Off-Road Bicycle Association

COALITION HISTORY

A 2016 County Parks & Recreation survey indicated a need for more trails in St. Johns County.

The Greenway and Trails Committee of the St Johns County Horse Council met with Wil Smith and a volunteer partnership was formed.

Other members were asked to join and with their combined efforts the first symposium was held at Pedro Menendez High School.

We are now focusing on our second symposium at Bartram Trail High School.

The future is bright with opportunities for unpaved, non-motorized, multi-use trails in St. Johns County.