

VOREC Steering Committee Meeting Agenda

Friday, October 13, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

In Person

Chandler Center for the Arts (71 North Main St, Randolph, VT 05060)

Park in any municipal parking area and there is also plenty of street parking – Check out the parking map below for municipal parking area locations. Please carpool with others if possible.

Teams meeting

[Join through Teams app](#)

Join by phone: +1 802-828-7667; Conference ID: 322 351 638#

This meeting will be primarily in-person with the option to join virtually during the Business Meeting only.

Objectives

- Spend time together!
- Share and discuss updates on Vermont’s outdoor recreation economy.
- Learn about work in progress in the Town of Randolph to boost the Town’s outdoor recreation economy including what’s been accomplished with VOREC grant funding.
- Learn about Move Forward Together Vermont and take next steps to refine 2018 action assessment information.

Agenda

Time	Topic	Lead
10:00 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coffee and snacks will be provided 	Jackie Dagger, VOREC Program Manager
10:05 a.m.	Business meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approve August minutes • Program Manager updates • Sector updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ FPR (Becca Washburn) ○ ACCD (Heather Pelham) ○ VTGC (Abby Long) ○ VOBA (Kelly Ault) • Public comment • Other business • Adjourn 	Becca Washburn, Chair Jackie
11:00 a.m.	Town of Randolph: VOREC Grant & Outdoor Recreation Economy Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation • Community Tour • Lunch – see Lunch Logistics below 	Mark Rosalbo, Town of Randolph Economic Development Director Morgan Easton, Ridgeline Outdoor Collective Marketing and Program Coordinator and Randolph Recreation Coordinator Zack Freeman, Owner/Operator Apex Trailworks

Time	Topic	Lead
1:00 p.m.	Move Forward Together Vermont Activity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation • Discussion activity 	Jackie Jennifer Waite, Rivers, Trails, and Conservation Assistance Program
3:00 p.m.	Adjourn meeting	
3:30 p.m.	Optional Meetup: The Back 40 Bike or Hike <i>Langevin House (593 Furnace Rd. Randolph, VT)</i> Bring your bike or hiking shoes and spend time with the Town of Randolph and Ridgeline Outdoor Collective exploring this 2-mile trail loop built with funding from the VOREC Community Grant Program. Non-alcoholic beverages and snacks will be provided.	Town of Randolph Ridgeline Outdoor Collective

Lunch Logistics

- We will break at 11 a.m. and people will be able to place lunch orders if they don't bring lunch.
- Lunch can be ordered from: [Kuya's On Main](#), [Wee Bird Bagel Café](#), [Wit & Grit](#), [Village Pizza](#) or [Chefs Market](#)
- At 11:30 a.m. we'll meet at The Gear House (16 Pleasant St. Randolph, VT 05060) and take a walking tour of Randolph.
- During the walking tour people who ordered lunch can pick up and re-join the group or meet back at the Chandler at 12:30 p.m.
- We will eat lunch while participating in a presentation from the Town of Randolph.

Questions for VOREC funded communities

- What has worked well and/or what hasn't worked well for you in the delivery of the VOREC Community Grant Program?
- How have the financial expectations laid out in your grant agreement met up with the reality of completing the work? What challenges have you faced?
- What have been the benefits of strengthening the outdoor recreation assets in your community with VOREC Community Grant dollars? Have you observed increased participation / use? Higher sales for local businesses? Etc.
- What, if any, challenges are you facing with overuse? How are you planning for those challenges?
- What priorities do you have that are not currently met by the VOREC grant program?
- Have you been faced with any permitting, regulatory or opposition in implementing your VOREC funded project?

Randolph Municipal Parking

