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## MASON-DIXON TRAIL SYSTEM, Inc.

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Minutes of the Board of Director's Meeting      April 29, 1984

Present at the York Cabin after a hike from Lock 12 were: Dick Tobias, Ron Gray John Mott and Turner Darden.

Treasurer John Mott reported a balance in the Treasury of \$942, with no outstanding bills. The increase of almost \$300 since the January Meeting is due to the sale of maps and trail guides of the Western Section by Ron Gray.

It was decided that to save an extra mailing, 1985 membership cards will be sent out with the dues notices. The secretary is directed to send a thank you note to Ray Fadner for paying KTA dues for MDTS on March 24th.

Turner reported that a rather monotonous route along the railroad tracks from Norman Wood bridge to Perryville along the East bank of the Susquehanna is entirely feasible. With time, portions of the route could be moved up into the hills. Turner agreed, at the request of the President, to test the Route 40 crossing of the Susquehanna. If this is impossible, or prohibitively inconvenient, the incentive to use the Norman Wood crossing would be stronger.

Dick Tobias will incorporate the new route between Iron Hill and Elkton into the route map, which is nearing completion. Steps toward physical production of the maps can then be started. Ron Gray will enter the descriptive guide in his word processor, which will facilitate revisions when necessary.

NEXT MEETING      August 18, 1984

Meet at the Wrightsville Exit of Route 30 at 9 AM. A seven mile hike led by Ron Gray [REDACTED] will precede the meeting. Participants should bring a trail lunch and their own picnic suppers as well as bathing suits. There will be an opportunity to swim! All members are invited and urged to bring friends and families.

December 1 was selected as the date for the final 1984 meeting.

Many thanks to Turner Darden, acting secretary at the April meeting!