

UAF North Campus Subcommittee Agenda September 8, 2010; 12 p.m. (noon) Facilities Services Conference Room, RM 122	No agenda available
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UAF North Campus Subcommittee Meeting

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Notes

Members present:

Peter Fix, Kellie Fritze, Jim Allen, Nicole Nordstrand (ex. of), Paul Dick (for Bear)
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Guest attending:

Dan Jordan, Rifle Coach, UAF

Bob Hunter, ADF&G

Matt Dunlap, Assistant Cross Country Coach, UAF

New Business

1. Review of the archery range proposal – presentation by Bob Hunter
 - a. Funding is through the Pittman Robertson Act
 - b. No public archery range in Fairbanks
 - c. ADF&G looking for archery venue
 - i. Looked at Creamer's Field, but access was an issue
 - ii. Looked at location off of Fideler Rd., but vandalism was an issue
 - d. The cleared area off of Range Road eliminates these two issues
 - e. Archery is safe

- i. Backdrop of trees at Range Road site
 - f. Growing interest in archery
 - g. Fish and Game coordinates archery programs in schools
 - i. West Valley is active with archery
 - ii. Ryan Middle School has had an archery program for 5 years
 - iii. Will be conducting training for North Pole High and Middle schools
 - iv. Over 40 schools in Alaska participate in the National Archery Program
 - h. The range would start small with removable targets, then expand if demand is there
 - i. The money can be used for infrastructure and other needs, and is available until June

Committee comments

- Signage would be needed, where would that money come from? Can it come from the 10k? (Response was yes)
 - Surprised at how many people do not know NC is there. Can we promote the archery range? Can Outdoor Adventures rent equipment?
 - The range would have to be mowed a couple of times per season
 - Is the range year round or just summer? (Response: Targets would be stored for winter, perhaps at rifle range.)
 - Is there a possibility of people shooting outside of range? (Response: Unlikely but cannot guarantee. Problems arise when there is no place to shoot.)
 - Dirt might be available from current UAF project to extend the backstop.
 - Budget is needed for targets, signage, etc.
2. Inner Big Whizzy loop – Moving forward with public involvement discussed by Matt Dunlap
 - a. Nicole would like to see budget of what it would cost before moving forward
 - b. Also needed are clear statements of why it is needed