

Trail Operations Report



January-March 2018

Bently Heritage Trail:

- 1) The entire trail system had a round of brushing performed.
- 2) The fiberglass trail marker at the start of the trail had been pulled from the ground. It was replaced with a shorter version screwed onto a new wooden post.



New trail start marker

Clear Creek Trail:

- 1) The upper section of the Clear Creek Trail is currently being built. Completion is estimated this fall.



Upper Clear Creek Trail Construction

- 2) Progress on the Clear Creek Trailhead stalled once more between Carson City and Nevada Division of State Lands. NDSL has recently told Carson City that they will not sell the property to Carson City, NDF, or others unless Carson City changes the zoning on the entire property, which has already been denied by the Board of Supervisors. A meeting with the NDSL director is scheduled in early April to discuss the impasse and any options to move forward on the trailhead.

Fay-Luther/Jobs Peak Ranch Trail System:

- 1) The large new spring that developed last year on the Fay-Luther/Jobs Peak Ranch Trail dried up and transitioned into a boggy seep nearby. Crushed rock was packed over the muddy sections and water diverted across the trail.



New spring sections

Rock crush filling

- 2) All revegetation signs on the old routes by the bridge and along the old Interpretive Trail route have been removed. Efforts to keep these areas closed for the reseeding efforts have been unsuccessful.
- 3) Two days were spent brushing out the Jobs Peak Ranch Trail from the trailhead to the bench.
- 4) A cost estimate of filling in potholes and potentially resurfacing the Fay-Luther Trailhead parking lot is forthcoming.

Genoa Trail System:

- 1) One fallen tree was removed from the trail.
- 2) The lower mile of trail in Genoa Canyon had rocks raked off in January.
- 3) The lower two miles of the Sierra Canyon Trail was all brushed out and rockbergs removed.
- 4) The rock causeway on the upper crossing of Sierra Canyon Creek was expanded several additional feet to cover an additional boggy area.



Rock causeway expanded

Pinyon Trail:

- 1) A walk-thru occurred removing any additional rockbergs and replacing slid support rocks.