Tuesday, April 16, 2019 1:00 pm Mountain Time (12pm PT, 2pm CT, 3pm ET)

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Participants Code: **3128645#**

- - - MEETING AGENDA   - - -

1. **Welcome & Introductions** (Ryan Cooper / Peter Bonsall/Kerry Shakarjian)   5 min.
    a. **Please use the WebEx chat to enter**:
        i. Your First/Last Name
        ii. Your Organization and/or National Trail Affiliation
        iii. Select send to: EVERYONE
        iv. Your Answer to: ***What should be our network focus for the upcoming meeting topics and presentations? Will you present or help locate presenters?*** *Are there any topics you'd like to see this group discuss or cover in 2019?*
    b. Meeting agendas, presentations, and notes are uploaded to the PNTS website. Please feel free to contact Ryan Cooper, Peter Bonsall, or Kerry Shakarjian and we would be happy to share these items with you.

2. **Announcements & Information from Audience**   5 min.
    a. Partnership for the National Trails System has a new address: 306 E Wilson, Suite 2E, Madison, WI 53703
    b. Other announcements?

3. **Discussion Topic**   45 min.
    Presenters: Don Owen, Partnership for the National Trails System; Mitchel Hannon and Kristen Weil, Trust for Public Lands

    A Corridor Protection Gap Analysis and Connectivity Assessment for National Trails.

    The Partnership for the National Trails System (PNTS), in collaboration with the Trust for Public Land, will utilize an integrated Geographic Information System (GIS) approach to identify, map, and prioritize trail protection projects throughout the National Trails System. This effort will dovetail with the Interactive Map of the National Trails System, which utilizes the ArcGIS Online platform to create a single online map for all 30 National Scenic and National Historic Trails and their publicly available data.

4. **Future Meeting Dates & Topics**   5 min.
    a. **May 21, 2019** – Matt Able, US Forest Service, Survey 123 app for trail maintenance
    b. **June 18, 2019** – Greg Matthews, USGS, increasing connectivity with the network of trails on public lands
    c. **July 16, 2019** – TBD

We always welcome suggestions for additional topics for discussion or presentations. Please contact Ryan Cooper, Peter Bonsall, and/or Kerry Shakarjian with your suggestions!

NTS GIS Email Address: ntsgis@nps.gov
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NTS GIS Network Website: http://pnts.org/new/national-trails-system-gis-network/

NTS GIS Network Mission:
We established the NTS GIS Network as a way to connect the diverse array of National Trails System staff and partners who use GIS systems and products in their work. One of our goals is to facilitate the sharing of information and tools that help us do our jobs more efficiently and innovatively. Because the national trails system is managed as a collaboration of agencies and partner organizations, the NTS GIS Network is open to anyone.