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1. Legislative Study Committee on Non-motorized Trails Has Been Approved

The proposed Legislative Study Committee on non-motorized trails was accepted by the Joint Legislative Council earlier this week. The committee will officially be called the "Special Committee on Enhancing Recreational Trails for Non-Motorized Use". [Senator Jim Sullivan](#) has been named Chair and [Representative Jim Ott](#) Vice-Chair. The scope of the committee is "to review safety issues regarding conflicts between motorized and non-motorized uses, ways to avoid conflicts among trail uses, education programs to provide information about how to avoid trail use conflicts, and increased enforcement by DNR wardens, regarding safety, noise, and operational issues." The committee "will also review the availability of private land for non-motorized recreation and address ways to increase that availability."

The committee website will be on the [Joint Legislative Council website](#) within in a couple of months.

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