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# FRIENDS OF WHITEHALL

*Preserving the Past, Protecting the Future*

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Dear Friends,

Friends of Whitehall (FOW) looks forward to our 20th year in 2025, with the mission of preserving, protecting, conserving, and enhancing Whitehall State Park and Whitehall Conservation Area.

FOW continues our efforts on ongoing projects, including monitoring lake water quality with annual water testing, surveying the Whitehall Conservation Area (WCA), and maintenance of the WCA entrance. In addition, FOW monitors the Whitehall trails, and reports issues, such as trail obstruction by flooding or fallen trees, to DCR. We identify trail sections in need of new bridges or bridge repair. We have a tradition of sponsoring and funding Eagle Projects and welcome Eagle Scout candidates to contact us.

In April and October, FOW coordinated volunteer cleanups of Lake Whitehall and the surrounding trails and areas. Both events were well-attended, and a significant amount of trash was collected and disposed of.

FOW invites you to join us on Wednesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, for our Annual Meeting which will be at the Sanctuary at Woodville, 249 Wood St. Hopkinton (formerly the Woodville Baptist Church) at 7 p.m.

FOW monthly board meetings are held via Zoom on the first Wednesday of each month. If you are interested in attending, please email us at [friendsofwhitehall@yahoo.com](mailto:friendsofwhitehall@yahoo.com). Please continue to check our website <http://www.friendsofwhitehall.org> and our Facebook page for the latest updates.

We hope that you will join FOW or renew your membership using the enclosed membership form. If you are also interested in volunteering for future projects, you can indicate your interest on the membership form.

Yours truly,

Ken Loderick, President