

BMTA Annual Walk-thru Report

Section(s) Evaluated: _____ Sections 12a-12b US 64 to Kimsey Highway _____

Direction walked (circle one): -northbound- -southbound-

Evaluator(s) Name(s) ____Bill Kamm_____

Evaluation Date: __May 30, 2009_____

Work hours: __5_____ Travel Hours: _____2_____

Reporting Evaluator's phone #: _____423-790-4123_____

Please see the reverse side (or below, if online) for evaluator suggestions and for a quick review of BMTA standards to use as a basis for your evaluation.

Overall assessments: Rate each category 1-5, with 3 being "ok" and 5 being "excellent."

Treadway (1-5) __5__

Corridor Clearance (1-5) __3__

Blazes, Signs and Trailmarkers (1-5) __1__

Overall rating for the section (1-5) __3__

Comments on problem areas (be as specific as you can on location):

- Trail markings were too widely spaced
- At approximately 1/3 mile the switchback needs a blaze (we wandered for a time)
- Timber across path at 1/2 mile (5" diameter)
- Timber across path at 4 3/4 miles (fallen trees 6" in diameter)
- At approximately 1 3/4 mile came out onto road beneath powerlines. Very confusing, not clearly marked. The trail had overgrown.
- From about 1 3/4 to 2 1/2 miles no blazes at all. We were afraid we were not on the right trail. The path was clear. Some blazes would have eased our alarm considerably.
- Once we came to the Little Frog Wilderness sign, the path was well maintained. Saw wild turkeys.