

RFVHC SUMMARY

TRAILS & PARKING DESCRIPTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

4/10/2022

Q6 NANCY'S PATH (DEDICATED HORSES & HIKER ONLY)

Low Demand Permanent Horse Trail • Scenic Trail

No nearby parking for trucks and trailers, must use Glassier Parking Lot

Can be a difficult trail and its use is weather permitting

NANCY'S PATH - What the RFVHC learned

- Desire for safer trail if able
- Desire for better signage
- Desire for seasonal maintenance
- Desire for potential access for trucks and trailers
- The RFVHC is very happy to have this dedicated horse trail in the RFV. It is also used by the Cattleman's groups to move their cows to summer pasture.

In the works solutions with Pitkin County Open Space and Trails

- The "Glassier Community Family Horse & Hiker Trail" is a new RFVHC recommended trail. The flat trail is intended for intermediate and beginner riders. A gentle meandering path travels around the Glassier farmland pasture area. This trail is accessed from the Glassier/Hooks Spur parking area, which will also serve as access to Nancy's Path. We ask for support to make this trail a reality. Discussions are ongoing.
- Introduce the Pitkin County Open Space & Trails (PC OST) and Mid Valley Trails Committee (MVTC) to the Kentucky's Equine Land Conservation Resource (ELCR) Safe Passing Action Plan and RFVHC's Yield signage, which is gaining national attention.
- Funding is being sought for 2022-23 projects and working grants with the Pitkin County OST and MVTC to continue work on Nancy's Path.