Following communications with local medical and rescue services, the MWVTA hopes that everyone will consider limiting travel, and limiting outdoor recreation to your own local areas, within a half hour from home, and well under your ability level - until the threat of COVID-19 has passed. The rural medical and hospital services of the Mount Washington Valley, while excellent, are simply not equipped to handle visitors, or the potential spread of infection from visitors, during this time. Moreover, even for our local users, this is not a time to be taking any risks in our outdoor pursuits, with rescue and medical personnel focused on other tasks. The mountains, vistas, adventures, and trails of the Mt. Washington Valley will still be here waiting for you after the COVID-19 challenge passes – until then, please do your part and recreate locally, flatten the curve, and help allow our first responders to protect our most vulnerable. Thank you, and if you want more information, the Leave No Trace organization has some excellent thoughts on the subject. Please read here.

See you (hopefully soon) on the trails – Chris Meier, President

Chris Meier
President
MWV Trails Association