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Snowlands Policy on Support for Other Issues

Rev. 2

Given:

- Snowlands Network is focused.
- Snowlands Network has finite staff and volunteer time.
- There are many worthwhile environmental, land use and recreational issues that could benefit from Snowlands Network's support.
- Supporting other organizations' issues will benefit Snowlands Network when we need their support.

The Snowlands Network policy on support for other issues (not directly within the scope of Snowlands Network) is:

- Snowlands Network will give its support to issues that would likely be supported by a broad cross-section of its membership.
- The issue must be promoted by an organization that might reasonably be asked to support a Snowlands Network issue.
- Any director can propose that Snowlands Network support another organization's issue.
- A majority of the Executive Committee must commit to such support. One of the members of the Executive Committee will send an email to all directors when a decision is made to exercise such support.
- In the case of a "letter of support," a non-staff director or other volunteer will write the letter of support and get it reviewed by at least one additional director prior to sending it.
- In the case of "signing onto a petition," a minimum of two directors will review the petition and agree to our signing.
- No funds will be used or committed without a vote of the board of directors.