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FROM 1993-2019



1993 Feb. 27—Trails Head, OCTA, and HSNSF sponsored forum on Watts Mill site, at St. Joseph Health Center Community Auditorium

1993 Apr. 24—clean-up day at Watts Mill, and another clean-up day later in spring, as preparing for early June festival

1993 June 6—National Trail Day Festival at Watts Mill; on Sunday, not Saturday; co-sponsored by Trails Head, Historical Society of New Santa Fe, KC Parks Dept., & South Kansas City Chamber of Commerce

2006 & continuing—Trails Head began holding some of its meetings at Trailside Center, a meeting place owned by KCMO and managed by Historical Society of New Santa Fe

2019 Nov. & continuing—working toward restoration of Oregon Trail sign, originally placed at 123rd & State Line in 1985

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1997 to 1999—In 1996, Trails Head began considering placing a marker near the swales in Minor Park. Jim Budde checked on possibilities for a recessed bronze plaque, and Ross Marshall provided a possible text. By 1997, this project had morphed into the desire for a National Park Service-designed interpretive marker in Minor Park. Three organizations then worked together to provide ideas of pictures and of texts to the National Park Service. For this joint effort, Mary Conrad was Trails Head representative, Anne Mallinson was MRO rep, & Nancy Henning was HSNSF rep; interpretive marker was dedicated in April 2000

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2006 Apr. 20—Trails Head President Pat Traffas arranged meeting for informal sharing of plans and projects to encourage partnering on projects, at new Trailside Center in Kansas City, MO