“Legacy Trail” Program

a partnership program linking the PTBA, the American Trails International Trails Symposium, and the local agency, establishing a sustainable trail that will serve generations to come.

The Professional TrailBuilders Association (PTBA) and the American Trails International Trails Symposium (AT ITS) are proud to announce an exciting new partnership program - the "Legacy Trail" program. Through this program, we are seeking partner agencies and organizations that are interested in hosting a Sustainable Trails Workshop Series, that will result in a local segment of sustainably and professionally built trail being left behind as a legacy of the partnership.

How would my agency/organization benefit?

- Agency staff and local attendees receive the best trail education available, including equipment operator certifications, contracting case studies and trainings.
- Approximately ½ mile of professionally built, sustainable natural surface trail (length varies greatly according to agency needs and soil, terrain and water challenges).
- Community involvement, improvement and education around sustainable trail construction techniques.

What should I expect from the “Legacy Trail?”

- Host agency or local donors provide all materials (bridge lumber and hardware, surface material, etc.)
- PTBA and AT ITS provide workshop logistics and instructors, and charges a fee for workshop attendees.
- Workshop examples might include:
  - Trail Survey, Design and Contracting
  - Turn Construction
  - Trail Dozer Training and Certification
  - Mini-excavator Training
  - Bridge/boardwalk Construction
  - Accessible Trail Design, Layout and Construction
  - Rigging for Trail Work
  - Stonework for Trails
  - Chainsaw Safety and Certification

- PTBA and AT ITS will develop a program appropriate to the setting, which completes the final “Legacy Trail.”
- Emphasis will be placed on the quality of the educational experience. To the greatest extent possible, local PTBA contractors will stay on after the workshops to come as close as possible to a completed project.

If your agency/organization is interested in partnering on this exciting program, please contact:
Michael J Passo, Executive Director, Professional TrailBuilders Association
PO Box 28514, Bellingham, WA 98228 ✆ 360-734-7270 ✆ mpasso@trailbuilders.org ✆ www.trailbuilders.org