It takes a village

Thank you to all our donors. A donation to MALT is a transfer of energy. Your gift represents the resources needed to conserve lands and connect people with them. Your gift is never finite because its energy continues to give as MALT brings more people to our mission. Thank you, so very much!

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185 Volunteers in 2019 2,750+ hours dedicated to MALT's mission



John Derick— Here's to 30 years on the TAM! You have given our community the most beautiful gift imaginable, thank you! Dave Hallam— You are our Sensi! You challenge us to think creatively and give us your undivided support. You are a steadfast source of love and inspiration, thank you for making our office a great place to work! Bill Roper— This year's conservation project is monumental for MALT. You guided us through thoughtful negotiations and MALT and OCAS are better for your leadership. Deep gratitude to you. Caleb Basa—Your spirit is infectious and you make MALT's mission come to life. This community is so fortunate to have you. We look forward to growing together. **Bill Hegman**—You've mentored MALT's GIS Interns for over a decade and this year's internship felt particularly impactful. Thank you for helping MALT plan our conservation future.

With gratitude to all our volunteers, Jamie

244 members strong in 2019!

Thanks to YOU, we surpassed our 2019 membership goal! We increased our membership from 2018 and MALT has more people than ever donating to our mission.



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2019 Impact Report



Our Vision... Thriving natural & productive lands sustaining vibrant communities.

Our Mission...

Working with our community to conserve natural and productive landscapes, and enhance scenic, recreation, and education opportunities.

A vision to guide us 2019-2021

Our goals...

Conservation-MALT is well-poised to protect lands that align with community needs and our conservation values.

Stewardship—MALT prioritizes responsible stewardship of our lands.

Recreation—MALT meets increasing demand for recreation with a sustainable operative plan, improving quality and accessibility of our trails.

Education—MALT reaches a widely diverse population with increased programming and prioritizes environmental education on MALT lands.

Hold on to your hiking boots!

MALT has two new team members and we look forward to all they will help us accomplish. Get ready!

Caleb Basa, Programs Coordinator

Caleb has been exploring the Vermont outdoors since he can remember. He graduated from UVM with a B.S. in Environmental Science and spent two seasons with the State managing aquatic invasives. Caleb served as MALT's Education AmeriCorps over the past 6 months and is now moving into our new fulltime position! Caleb is a lifelong learner of nature's wonders and in his free time he enjoys running up mountains, studying movement pat-



terns of white tailed deer, and practicing the art of Pizza Napoletana.

Katherine McCool, AmeriCorps Member

Katherine is this year's ECO AmeriCorps volunteer at MALT! She'll serve full-time, for 11 months and help us by splitting her time between education. land stewardship. and trails. Katherine is from Virginia and graduated from the University of Virginia with a B.S. in Environmental Engineering. She has worked at summer camps and science labs, and is excited to combine all her experiences and interests into one position!



Records Broken at 16th Annual **TAM Trek!**

A sunny, September morning with overwhelming support for the TAM. 203 Participants!! \$13,300 Raised

28 Local Sponsors





Have you seen the signs??

With over \$10,000 from the State of VT, MALT designed comprehensive, branded signs for every TAM kiosk. That's 17 signs at each TAM access point with updated maps, graphics, and info on volunteering!

Small footprints in the forest

MALT reached nearly 400 local youth with nature programs in 2019! We partnered with Mary Hogan 5th graders, homeschool families, afterschool kids from Cornwall, Weybridge, and Middlebury, and



Planning for Conservation

Our 2019 GIS Intern, Derrick Burt, dedicated his summer to helping MALT understand conservation priorities in Addison County. His project culminated in a mapping tool that will allow us to prioritize prospective projects.



around the world! Nearly all

our programs took place on

lands, bringing our mission

full circle and cultivating a

generations.

conservation ethic in future

MALT conserved or managed

Year to Year How we grow

Members

244 228

Acres to be conserved

52

New TAM Kiosk Signs

17

Volunteers Engaged

Youth in Programs

136 ----- 376

\$ from our Members

\$33.647

Hours Served

5 Interns & AmeriCorps 2,450 hours

