

**ENVIRONMENTAL CORRIDOR AND OPEN SPACE  
COMMITTEE MINUTES  
Thursday, April 20, 2023  
3:30 PM  
Village Board Room**

Roll Call: Present were Chip Schneeberger, Jim Muenzenberger, Dave Van Theil, Dave Felkner, Leo Jungbluth, Tom Jensen, Linda Hallquist guest Tim Hallquist

1. Motion to approve March minutes passed.
2. The current budget is \$7,336.01. Expenditures totaled \$663.99.
3. Discussion/Action on current projects:
  - a. Kiwanis cleared a dead tree blocking and presenting a hazard from the Bark River by the boardwalk. The pile of brush was created in the wrong location. In the future, the group and the village will complete a walk through to ensure everyone understands where any brush piles will be located.
  - b. Discussed using a Friends group to eradicate the buckthorn in the Penbrook Conservancy.
4. The committee began creating the 5 year plan, which is attached to the minutes.
5. The meeting adjourned at 4:30.