

Corinth Conservation Commission
November 2, 2020 Meeting Minutes
7:00 PM Via free conference call
Call in Number 1 (602) 610-2091 access code 655653

Present: Glynn Pellagrino, Kevin Buchanan, Kevin Eaton, Ken Arkind, Lindle Lawton, Jon Spanier, Bradley Wheeler, Linda Tobin and Marion Cawley

Absent: None.

- 1) **Call to order @ 7:05.**
- 2) **Agenda 'Changes'** were incorporated into the items below.
- 3) **Public comment:** none
- 4) **Act 171 Forest blocks and wildlife corridors.** After much discussion revolving around 'high priority forest corridors' (which include more than half of Corinth), it was decided to draft non-challenging education pieces for the Corinth Newsletter and the Corinth Annual Report. Ken volunteered to draft the pieces and send them around to the rest of the Committee for comments. (Annual Report deadline is around 12/20.) Ken noted that there were hundreds of home owners in these corridors and that what they decided to do with their property was up to each of them. The Committee agreed that following up with individual owners was more appropriately done after the two educational mailings were received.
- 5) **Transfer station:** Glynn and Ken will build two 3-trash can holders over the weekend of November 13. Lindel and Marion will try to plant trees on the berm.
- 6) **Bottles:** The Green Up Day \$300 promise to the food shelf was finally fulfilled; and the CCC received a \$713 check from the Redemption Center. Discussion centered around whether the CCC wished to pass on bottle collection to the other CCC that stole our initials. It was decided that we should maintain bottle collection, but that Glynn - also a member of the other CCC - would ask them if they wished to share a minor part of the responsibility and receipts.
- 7) **Bottle Collection:** Lindel 11/7; Linda 11/14 & 11/21; Kevin E. 11/28; Jon 12/5.
- 8) **FX Shea Town forest:** Trail Day went well. Blue trail needs chain saw work; Orange trail was a mess but is now all cleaned up. Ginny submitted a grant on the CCC's behalf for ash tree removal; if we receive the grant, it might result in some money from logging, some or all of which could be donated to the other CCC. Kevin E was still working with the Highway Department to post needed signs; and Brad was working on posting hunting dates.
- 9) **Other business:** Budget. It was decided to request the same as last year: \$400 for Green Up Day and \$200 for the Committee; and it was noted that the \$200 for the Committee was denied last year.
- 10) **Adjournment @ 8:22.**

Note that October Minutes were not approved, so should be approved on 12/8.