

AGENDA**BELL ACRES ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL****4.16.24 at 6 PM**

The meeting will be held virtually via Microsoft Teams:

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Meeting Call to Order: 6 p.m.

Julie DiCenzo, EAC Chairperson

Public Comments

Approval of minutes: Julie DiCenzo emailed the minutes from the previous 3.19.24 meeting in advance to the EAC members for review.

Updates from the Bell Acres Planning Commission: John Walliser

Updates on trail activities : On March 30th, EAC members cleared and marked the trail in the Allegheny Land Trust's parcel of conservation land off Beadnell Road ; tires and other litter were also removed

Updates related to Big Sewickley Creek and the Big Sewickley Creek Watershed Association (BSCWA): Darci Saracco—Report on creek flooding in the area and storm water issues

Julie DiCenzo—Update on the BSCWA's appeal filed with the Environmental Hearing Board re. the DEP permit allowing water withdrawal from Big Sewickley Creek for fracking operations

Updates related to Little Sewickley Creek: Chris Popovic—Report on creek flooding

Upcoming grant and funding opportunities: Report on the Allegheny Land Trust project with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to study Big Sewickley Creek with placement of six stream gages for continuous flow monitoring

Other Old Business

New Business and any other discussion

Adjournment