

**AGENDA**  
**Nature Preserve Committee**  
Monday, November 14, 2016

**I. Unfinished Business**

- A. Work completed in Preserve since last meeting (including Nov. 12 work day):
  - 1. Installation of three screech owl boxes and cleaning out of three others
  - 2. Planting of prickly ash, elderberry, and raspberry
  - 3. Additional caging of tree seedlings
  - 4. Tagging and removal of invasive trees, shrubs, and vines
  - 5. Clean-up around main entrance sign
  - 6. Mulching of red cedars along Sunrise Trail
  - 7. Cleaning out of bluebird houses
  - 8. Spreading of wood chips on Beech Tree Trail
  
- B. Nov. 12 Work Day:
  - 1. Follow-up thank-yous to NHS students:
    - a. Announcements at both high schools
    - b. Letter to the Intelligencer
  - 2. Disposal of brush piles
  
- C. Message board for main entrance
  
- D. Tree identification tags
  
- E. Directional signage to Preserve
  
- F. Miller property purchase
  
- G. Orphans Court ruling on uses of Groner funds
  
- H. Groner Fund residual
  
- I. 2016 Budget
  - 1. Expenses to date:           \$22,231.18
  - 2. Remaining balance:       \$ 3,087.82
  - 3. Pending expenses
    - a. Removal of brush piles
  
- J. Preserve map

K. Bamboo / Weed ordinance

**II. Deferred Items**

- A. Incorporation of Chant tract into Preserve / installation of boundary signs
- B. Chant dedication stone
- C. Preserve brochure

**III. New Business**

- A. Consideration of committee vacancy applicant
- B. Preserve plant list compiled by Ann Rhoads
- C. Community awareness of Preserve happenings
  - 1. Newsletter article on habitat restoration efforts
  - 2. Council meeting presentation
  - 3. "Friends of the Nature Preserve"
  - 4. Facebook page
- D. Dog leash ordinance / Nature Preserve rules
- E. Purchase of brush mower
- F. Update of Preserve's Strategic Plan / Future habitat restoration plans (Early 2017)