

**Town of
SNOWMASS Village**
Environmental Advisory Board
Regular Environmental Advisory Board Minutes
Tuesday, May 2, 2023
3:30 pm
130 Kearns Road
Small Conference Room

1. ROLL CALL

Members Present: Kirby Jacobs, Andrew Wickes, Mike Steiner, Chris Tullar, Tara Stitzlein for CORE

Members Absent: Morgan Fixel, Joseph Goodman

Staff Present: Greg LeBlanc

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

2.a March and April 2023 E.A.B. Meeting Minutes

Unanimous approval for March and April Minutes

3. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

3.a Town Council Presentation Debrief and what moving forward looks like

Andrew and Ryland from CORE presented to the Council Members the E.A.B. matrix outlining ideas of what needs to be addressed, pointing out that to meet the Town's Climate Action goals by 2030, action needs to be taken now. Council understands the gravity of the situation and is ready to see budgeted dollars and obtainable projects to get started for 2023. After the meeting, Greg spoke with Ryland to discuss what role CORE could have in managing and implementing energy efficiency programs. CORE working with Block Power to benefit Snowmass would be one option. The Town would contract with CORE to manage Snowmass's initiatives. CORE is prepared to start Benchmarking for Snowmass Village when the Town is ready. With CORE being a regional resource, what they develop for Snowmass Village could also be utilized throughout the Roaring Fork Valley.

4. C.O.R.E. UPDATE

5. HCE UPDATE

- Going through a rate structure change scheduled for September 1
- Rifle/Parachute large solar battery project
- Hoping to be at 92% renewable energy by the end of next year

6. NON-AGENDA ITEMS

Chris works with Block Power, and if anyone has questions, please get in touch with him.

7. Next Meeting notes

- June meeting, Greg will have more information on the contract with CORE
- Moving forward, E.A.B. will review and analyze what CORE is doing each month and make recommendations.

8. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 4:05 pm