

Shade Tree Advisory Commission

May 11, 2011

Meeting called at 6:10 PM

Mrs. Van Orden Showed everyone the proclamation for Arbor Day.

Minutes approved-yes

Mrs. Van Orden Talked about Arbor Day Ceremony, talked about the planting of the Cherry Trees, talked about tying in with Neighbors Helping Neighbors Day next year.

Mr. Hardmeyer Tree down at Merriam Avenue School is in distress. Also at overflow basin

Discussion Tree removal and replacement of tree at Merriam Avenue School

Dr. Craddock Discussed Tree City Application. Went over information needed for plan-\$2 per capita person and asked for ate Shade Tree Advisory was created. Wanted to know date tree ordinance was adopted.

Talk to Terri about when Tree Ordinance was adopted.

Mr. Sheehan Asked about what Tree City USA was all about.

Dr. Craddock Explained everything about the program.

Discussion Getting Gators

Tree Ordinance-

Mr. Hardmeyer Will get update from Tom on Tree Ordinance

Mrs. Van Orden Discussed someone taking over as chairperson. She has been doing it for two years.

Mr. Hardmeyer Nominated for new chairperson- Unanimous vote.

Mrs. Van Orden Discussed getting new members and talked about putting flyers in different locations in Town Hall. She talked about posting on website for new members.

Mr. Hardmeyer Asked if we could put electronic version of Forest Plan on Website.

Nothing will be done for Newton Day

Mrs. Van Orden

Asked Mr. Hardmeyer to talk to Town Manager about ways to get more people involved in Shade Tree.

Discussion

Recommended planting of trees.

Mr. Hardmeyer

Talked about if anybody had time to help input Tree Survey information.

Adjourned

7:20 PM