

Tree Commission
Thursday, May 24, 2018
7:00 PM

Public Works Department – Conference Room Minutes

Attendees: Jerry Unroe; Dave Faiman; Harry South; Dan Szoch; Tom Munn, Arborist; Alex Kelemen, City Council Liaison, Marilyn Olzmann, Hudson Garden Club Liaison

Guest(s): None

Absent: Phil Butto

Minutes Approval: Minutes of the March 22, 2018 meeting were read and approved.

Public Comment: Ms. O’Neil extends her contact information to Tree Commission to help work on projects, and will work at Arbor Day April 27, 2018. She recommends walking city streets to inventory tree issues and attending Tree Commission Academy and attending educational events.

Reports/Presentations

City Council Liaison

- North Main trees planted in April according to plan
 - Resolution before Council regarding sustainability, Hudson UTC 41.4% and long-term Tree City USA participation
 - City Administration Building, 1140 Terex (Pasco)

Hudson Garden Club Liaison

- Owen Brown salt dome frontage, Garden club members may take all the daffodils they like. Come now and take them. SE Green a great place to plant them.
- All City gardens planted. Tour dates June 15 and 16, including Lake Forest CC.

Urban Forestry - City Arborist

- New downtown has twice as many baskets and went from 16 inch to 24 inch.
- Tree ID tags for Barlow CC trail?
- Large Microburst with Tree Damage in Village Area, cleaning up trees.

4. Commission Discussion

A. Old Business

- Brief discussion regarding drone tree video

B. New Business

- Tree Ordinance
- Nuisance Ordinance
- Chairman Election : Harry South
- Tree Commission Meetings: every fourth Thursday
- Phase 2 – check out drawings on Hudson.oh.us website
- September 22 is Green on the Green, please attend and support
- Asian Longhorned Beetle information and biological samples reviewed
- Dan Szoeh last meeting before moving to Nashville (Franklin), TN

Closure to meeting:

Next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 27 at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room of Public Works.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Minutes were submitted by Thomas Munn, City Arborist

Phil Butto, Tree Commission Chairman _____