

Tree Commission
Thursday, May 26, 2011
7:00 PM
Public Works Department – Conference Room
Minutes

Attendees: Jerry Unroe, co-chair; John Logan; LouAnn Hanink and Tom Munn, city arborist

Guest(s): none

Absent: Linda O'Neil co- chair; Hal DeSaussure, council liaison; and Curt VanBlarcum

Minutes Approval: Minutes of the April 28, 2011 meeting were read and approved.

Public Comment: none

Reports/Presentations:

1. Plan Reviews/Comments from Community Development:
New Business – none
Old Business – Hudson High School Tinkers Creek Flood Plain restoration project discussed.

2. North Main Street Sub-committee:
Tree Commission sub-committee (Unroe, O'Neil, Logan) feels tree/landscape premise is no longer part of their decision. Downtown permanent hardscape/infrastructure design is beyond the expertise of the Tree Commission. They feel the streetscape design should be a discussion between adjacent merchants, engineer, public works and council.
Resolution: Tree Commission will vote on resolution at June meeting.

3. Urban Forestry – City Arborist
New Business - none
Old Business – Arbor Day comments – Thank you cards to be sent to Mayor (LouAnn), Six District Educational Compact (Jerry), and Davey Institute (Tom). Conneaut Tree City USA meeting was discussed.

4. Commission Discussion
New Business – Curt VanBlarcum term expires in July, discussion followed.
Old Business - none

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Next meeting is scheduled for June 30, 2011

Minutes were taken by:



Signature

Minutes were approved by:

Signature