

Allentown Shade Tree Commission
May 27, 2021 7:00 pm
Zoom <https://zoom.us/j/92252581473> Meeting ID 922 5258 1473
Phone in 1-646-558-8656

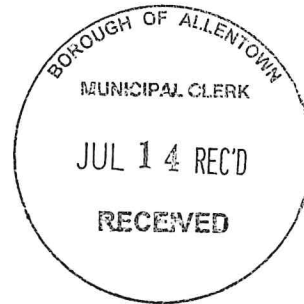
Minutes

Call to Order The meeting was called to order at 7:06 PM by Terry Brown via zoom and phone.

Salute to the Flag

Roll Call

Terry Brown - present
Kathy Fidler - present
Kristine Hyer
Bob Mayer - present
Lisa Strovinsky - present
Michael Sullivan - present
Suzanne Valpreda - present
Rob Strovinsky



Kyle Hyer

Compliance Statement was read by Suzanne Valpreda

Approval of Minutes Mike Sullivan made a motion to accept the minutes from the April 22, 2021 meeting. Bob Mayer seconded to motion which passed by a voice vote.

Announcements and Information There were no announcements or new information.

STC Volunteer Hours Total volunteer hours for May from members present are 46.

Public Participation There was no public participation

Old Business

Scheduling the Pruning Basics class will be put off until the June meeting or the fall. STC is waiting for a reply from DPW about attending the class.

Lisa made a motion to purchase trees for planting on Allentown Borough streets this fall. The amount of the purchase will be \$3,600. Bob seconded the motion which passed by voice vote. Also the Ash tree in the Lakeview Drive cemetery will be treated for EAB this year, which cost about \$400.

New Business

It was decided to replace trees that were removed on South Main Street with 4 new trees. Kathy made a motion to purchase 2 Nayssa for \$200 to be planted near the corner of South Main and High streets. This motion was seconded by Lisa. Kathy also made a motion to purchase 2 trees including 1 Acer rubrum to be planted on South

Main near Lakeview Drive for \$200. Suzanne seconded this motion. Both motions passed by a voice vote. We hope to receive donations of shrubs, grasses and/or evergreens to be planted this fall at the Church Street parking lot.

We also discussed the problem of maintaining the Street Lawns on South Main Street. Plans were made for members to weed and add new plants to the Street Lawns in front of the library. Kathy has some extra Hellebores she will donate for the shady garden in front of the library.

Adjournment A motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:02 PM was made by Bob Mayer and seconded by Mike Sullivan. The motion passed by a voice vote.