

BOROUGH OF WALLINGTON  
SHADE TREE COMMISSION

**Thursday – July 15, 2021**

**6:00 PM** AT THE WALLINGTON CIVIC CENTER, 24 UNION BLVD.

Minutes

**Flag Salute**

1. Meeting called to order by President Andrew Donaldson at 6:15pm with the following statement:

“This meeting is being held in compliance with the Open Public Meeting Law in that the requirements of the Law have been met by the Annual Meeting Notice being forwarded to The Record and posted in the Municipal Building of the Borough”

2. Roll Call: M.Chirlo, D.Chirlo, A.Donaldson, C. Palmer, R. Ferment , Karen Zupanovich- Present  
J.P. Germinario- Absent  
Liaison: Tomasz Sadecki

3. Hearing of Citizens

Motion to Open the Meeting to the Hearing of Citizens by M. Chirlo -Seconded by R Ferment  
D. Chirlo, M.Chirlo, A. Donaldson, C. Palmer, R. Ferment, K Zupanovich – Aye

I.Jarmark spoke and A Donaldson to follow up with him in regards to 59 Tuttle St.

K. Wilmont spoke and A. Donaldson explained to him regarding the removal of the tree at 73 Stein Ave.

Motion to Close the Meeting to the Hearing of Citizens by A.D. -Seconded by C.P,  
D. Chirlo, M.Chirlo, A. Donaldson, C. Palmer, R. Ferment, K Zupanovich- Aye

4. Approval of Minutes -  
5/20/2021

Motion by D.C - Seconded by M.C.

D. Chirlo, M.Chirlo, A. Donaldson, C. Palmer, R. Ferment, K Zupanovich - Aye

5. Communications

FROM: Agnieszka Brynczka  
RE: Budget Status Report

References from: Rutherford Shade Tree Committee General references  
References from: Ridgewood Shade Tree Committee General references

FROM: Wojciech Brzozowski

RE: Reservoir Ave & Reservoir Ct – 1 dead tree – 2 trees lifting sidewalk.

From: K. Wilmont

RE: 74 Stein Avenue – Hazardous condition – Looks Lopsided – PSE&G cut thru the comm lines.  
C Palmer talked to the resident.

From: Z. Walski

RE: 44 Hathaway St – Dry branches falling down, Roots uplifting.

From: J. Scotto

RE: 197 Maple Ave – Roots breaking up sidewalk – Dead branches falling.

From: D. Dolepski

18 Veterans Court – Tree roots destroying driveway & sidewalk – Branches hitting car.

From: J. Puchalski

30 Dankoff Ave & 34 – Tree limbs in telephone lines. Branches are falling and damaging passing cars.

From: K. Pisarczyk

Re: 33 Hayward Place – follow up on tree causing sewer line backup. A. Donaldson stated that only PSE&G can take this tree down due to transformer growing in tree.

6. Old Business

7. New Business

Discussion on complaint forms submitted and how to move forward. Will have some answers at the next meeting with **Rutherford Shade tree spokesperson**.

9-11 Memorial Brick will be purchased from the Shade Tree Commission.

8. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn at 7:00 pm by D.C. , Seconded by A. D.

D. Chirlo, M.Chirlo, A. Donaldson, C. Palmer, R. Ferment, K Zupanovich- Aye