BOROUGH OF WALLINGTON SHADE TREE COMMISSION

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2020

7:30 PM. AT THE WALLINGTON CIVIC CENTER, 24 UNION BLVD.

MINUTES

- Meeting called to order by President Michael Chirlo 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 News and posted in the Municipal Building of the Borough"
- Roll Call: D.Chirlo, A.Donaldson, C Palmer-Present Councilman: Tomasz Orzechowski – Present Secretary: Karen Zupanovich- Present
- 3. <u>Hearing of Citizens</u>

Motion to Open the Meeting to the Hearing of Citizens - D. Chirlo - Seconded by A. Donaldson

M.Chirlo, J.P. Germinario, K Zupanovich, C Palmer, A Donaldson, D Chirlo

T. Orzechowski

No One Wished to be Heard

Motion to Close the Meeting to the Hearing of Citizens by D.Chirlo Seconded by M. Chirlo,

J.P. Germinario Aye, K Zupanovich Aye, C Palmer Aye, A Donaldson Aye,

T. Orzechowski Aye

4. <u>Approval of Minutes</u> 01/21/2020

Motion by A. Donaldson Seconded by C. Palmer

5. <u>Communications</u>

FROM: Agnieszka Brynczka RE: Budget Status Report

6. Old Business

KC Landscaping has 50-60 treees left for us on their property – we need to get permission and further discuss on getting a plan together to have someone plant and water them.

Four massive trees were removed on Crescent Road and tree stumps still need to be grinded.

Dominic will discuss with R Dynes from the DPW what trees were already trimmed in the past. We will then need to update the spreadsheet to close out the complaint forms.

Dominic will talk to R Dynes at DPW on the below 2 residents complaint forms and will respond back to them.

- 1.) Arthur Mustardo 220 Hathaway Street tree roots damaging his sewer line.
- 2.) Cornetta & Nadatowski 94B Park Row (Greenway Park) dead tree branches falling and causing her to lose electricity when there are rain storms and heavy winds.

7. New Business

Dominic to reach out to PSE&G to get a contact person whom we can deal with in regards to getting tree and branches cut down that are on or near transformers/telephone lines. Also, on county roads that branches are overhanging into the streets.

Monthly meeting time changed FROM 7:30 to 7:00 pm.

A letter was sent to M. Farag and J. Kornafel on 2/19/2020 in response to their complaint forms that were sent in. Tree root trimmings will begin in the Spring & Fall. It will be based on the list of received applications. A letter will be sent out with the dates in the near future. Residents will be responsible for lifting and putting back the sidewalk in place for us to perform the process.

Sending a letter to Downes Tree Service, Hawthorne, NJ requesting a survey in regards to having 30 trees planted along Mt. Pleasant Ave.

8. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn at 9:00 pm by A. Donaldson, Seconded by D. Chirlo - Aye

J.P. Germinario, C. Palmer, T. Orzechowski, K Zupanovich

R. Dynes

Respectfully submitted,

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Karen Zupanovich

Shade Tree Commission Secretary