

SHADE TREE COMMISSION

MINUTES

FEBRUARY 17, 2016

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APR 29 2016
STANHOPE
BOROUGH

RE-ORGANIZATION MEETING

VIRGIL COLLIGAN APPOINTED CHAIRMAN

PAULA ZELIFF-MURPHY SECRETARY

MEETING OPENED 5:35PM

MINUTES OF OCTOBER 2015 MEETING APPROVED.

OLD BUSINESS

Cost of plaques from Monument place.

Tree inventory by Go Green club a possibility

Old Tree City plaques

NEW BUSINESS

Dues were paid, membership cards arrived.

Decision was made to change our meeting dates to the fourth Thursday of the month. We checked the town calendar and that day is clear and it is a better day for everyone's schedules. This eliminates the problem we had of not having a quorum. The legal notice was published with the new meeting dates.

Ellen also suggested we place a small card in the window of the meeting room with the new schedule.

The Mayor has asked that during our annual April tree inspection that we check the trees in Memorial Park. Stanhope is now responsible for the care of those trees.

Ron Farr needs an OK from the Mayor and Council to write our next 5 year plan. This is what the grant money is for and we also need to do in-kind service. Find out if leaf collection and/or clean up after a storm counts.

Tom Pershouse requested a copy our ordinance so Arlene could include it with her information for people that do not need to come before the LUB but might have to remove trees for what they want to do. He suggested adding a flyer to the water and sewer bill to let people know there is a permit process.

No bills.

Meeting adjourned 6:10