

WELLSBORO SHADE TREE COMMISSION

AUGUST 9, 2021

MINUTES

The meeting of the Wellsboro Shade Tree Commission was called to order by Howard Rutledge in the council room of the Wellsboro Municipal Building on August 9, 2021 at 8:30 am. The Pledge of Allegiance was said by all present.

ATTENDANCE: Members of the Shade Tree Commission present: Howard Rutledge, Peter Herres, Scott Nichols and Brian Kennedy. Also present were Borough Manager Scot Boyce Jr. and water & sewer clerk Teresa Marshall.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

MINUTES FROM JULY 12, 2021: Peter Herres made the motion to approve the minutes from July 12, 2021 as written and Brian Kennedy 2nd. Passed.

JAFLO LETTER: Brian Kennedy presented a draft of the letter to be sent to Tri County Electric concerning Jaflo's pruning methods not being up to standards. There was discussion of having only a certified arborist doing the pruning and not to cut way below their lines. These are street trees. Brian will make the corrections and submit the letter to Borough Manager Scot Boyce Jr. to send out on Borough letterhead.

PERMITS: Scott Keck – 12 Riberolle Street – remove a dead maple in front of 10 ½ Riberolle St.
Kate Johnson – 25 West Ave – remove large sugar maple
A motion to accept the permits was made by Scott Nichols and 2nd by Brian Kennedy. Put into record.

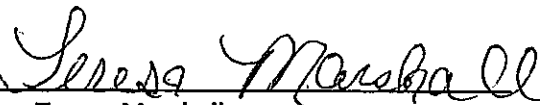
WATERING: We haven't had to water in 2 -3 weeks but may have to the end of this week.

FALL PLANTING: We have an application for tree planting from Tree Vitalize with a deadline of August 20, 2021 to complete. We will ask for twenty trees with Woodland Park in mind along with a few other streets. Howard Rutledge and Peter Herres will have the locations for tree planting before the 20th of August.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

ADJOURN: Scott Nichols made the motion to adjourn the meeting and Peter Herres 2nd. Meeting was adjourned at 8:55 am.

The minutes were respectfully submitted by


Teresa Marshall