

WELLSBORO SHADE TREE COMMISSION

JUNE 13, 2016

MINUTES

The meeting of the Wellsboro Shade Tree Commission was called to order by Chairman Howard Rutledge in the Council Room of the Wellsboro Municipal Building. The Pledge of Allegiance was said by all present. A letter of thanks to Peter Herres was passed around from Pa Dept of Conservation and Natural Resources for his participation in the conference in Allentown in May.

ROLL CALL: The members of the Shade Tree Commission present were Howard Rutledge, Peter Herres, Scott Nichols and Vicki Fox. Also present were the Borough Manager Daniel K Strausser and Water & Sewer Clerk Teresa Marshall.

MINUTES: The minutes from May 9, 2016 were approved by Peter Herres with one spelling correction on Kubota. Scott Nichols 2nd. Passed.

HAZARD TREE REMOVAL: Peter Herres still waiting on a call from Bob Davis on the hazard tree removals on Main and Queen Streets. The tree on Queen will be taken down that is dead and owner will be billed per our ordinance.

MCDONALD'S PARKING LOT: Peter Herres has sent an email to Dane Kurjewski on replacement trees and other nurseries that may have these trees for the parking lot at McDonalds. Dane was having trouble with his nursery on replacement trees.

GREENWOOD GARDENS: Borough Manager Daniel K Strausser is waiting on a return call from them. He did see there are 5-6 trees that are dead in the development.

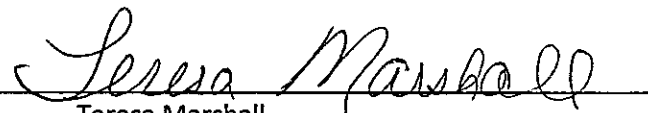
WATERING TREES: They have been watering trees one sometimes twice a week. Will be watering again about mid week.

Borough Manager Daniel K Strausser reported that the Borough will be removing some of the trees on Bodine Street across from Greenbriar Drive for the storm water project. He is also asking Bob Davis for a price to take down three dead trees on Kelsey Street by Kelsey Creek Dam.

Peter Herres also reported that they needed to take a serious look at the Sophora's on Main Street. Schichtels Nursery has three Emerald Sunshine Elms available in the fall that we could replace three of the Sophora's with. Need to make plans soon.

ADJOURN: A motion was made by Scott Nichols to adjourn meeting and it was 2nd by Vicki Fox. Meeting adjourned at 8:57 am.

The minutes were respectfully submitted by


Teresa Marshall