



Meeting Date: February 23, 2021
Meeting Time: 6:30 P.M.
Meeting Location: City Hall Committee Room
118 Hillsboro Avenue
Zoom Meeting

EDWARDSVILLE BEAUTIFICATION AND TREE COMMISSION MINUTES

Meeting called by: Benna Denué
Type of meeting: Monthly
Note taker: Sarah Cundiff

Roll Call:

Present: Benna Denué, Clint Solden, Susan Bautsch, Carol Peterson, Barbara Kinsella, Sarah Cundiff, Nate Tingley, Rebecca Sievers, Kim Schoenfeld, Scott Weber, Rebecca Sievers

Absent: Chris Farrar

Approved Signature:

Approved Date:

Public Comments

None submitted

Announcements & Communications

Membership and Appointments

Agenda Items

- January minutes approved with motion from Sarah Cundiff , second by Susan Bautsch. All approved.
- Potential new member, Camille Bourisaw, waiting for council approval.
- Becky Sievers presented the budget report for February. No funds were spent this period.

Continuing Business:

- Cost Share Tree Program: Barb Kinsella plans to update this program for next year.
- Cole's Monument: Scott Weber will take the lead on the maintenance and care of Cole's Monument. There is an issue with the irrigation that needs to be addressed. Nate will follow up.
- Parks and Recreation: Glik Park and Leclair Park trees have been trimmed and mulched by Parks staff. ~~Lusk Park trees have been trimmed by Arbor Management. TreeKeeper~~ tree inventory has been updated for these parks.
- Tree City USA: Edwardsville has been awarded the 2020 Tree City award from Arbor Day Foundation. This is the 19th year Edwardsville has received this award.

New Business

- Abby Steward, Director of Edwardsville Children's Museum, was present to share a microforest project the Children's Museum is working on.
- An estimate of R.O.W. tree removal/trimming is waiting on property line surveys.

Meeting adjourned with unanimous approval at 7:30pm
Next meeting March 30, 2021