

Tree Committee Meets May 13, 2024

Present — John Lockard, Jeffrey Kirkbride, Roland Forrester, Ruth Phillips, Melissa Sapp, Mayor Carol Bailey, Michael O'Brien

Old business –

Discussion about the trees at 315 Main street. Tree looks healthy but the committee will look at it after today's meeting.

We have received a quote for removing \$2950 to remove the Fraley tree (SW Corner of Maple and Main) and \$485 to remove 10 stumps around town.

We would like to officially receive Michael O'Brien as the ninth member of our committee.

Review our Arbor Day at Memorial park (Apr 29)

John L has purchased 2 water tanks for watering the city trees (He will submit an invoice to be reimbursed - 2 x \$50 = \$100) Still need a trailer for this.

Discussion of possibility of planting several (5) trees on Beth Luth church grounds (top of the valley behind the parking Lot.)

House at corner of Maple ST and Rt 105 - STOP sign is blocked by trees.

Still waiting for the 2 RED X trees to come down, by Elem School and by the Village office. The work order was submitted on January 7. Streets committee to address?

New business.

We need to mulch around the 2 new trees at Memorial park (ODNR and Gussie's tree).

We will soon bag and water all the new trees to get them ready for summer.

We review Apr 30, 2024, Blade article about proper planting of any trees.

Next meeting - June 10, 2024

Submitted by J Kirkbride