

CHARLOTTESVILLE TREE COMMISSION

June 6th, 2023

5:00 – 7:00 pm

In-Person Meeting – Parks and Recreation Office (Downtown Mall, Adjacent to Parking Garage)

Call to Order and

Approval of April Minutes (*J. Aten*)

5:00

Staff Report (*S. Gaines*)

5:10

- Update RFP for Downtown Tree Replacement Plan – Parks and Rec has submitted comments regarding Consultant's plans, has requested formal presentation
- Parks received permission from procurement to water tree installations from spring 2022 and spring 2023 (contracted services June – September 2023)
- Continued work on Invasive Plant Control/Containment Strategy on City Properties, will likely be working with Va. Forest and Wildlife Group. Will start target projects in city limits in July-August
- Parks and Rec worked with Environmental Sustainability Division to apply for \$300,000 IRA Grant (USDA Inflation Reduction Act). Focus will be on updating Urban Forest Management Plan, Updated Tree Canopy Analysis, Urban Forest Inventory

Committee Reports

5:30

- Education & Advocacy (*J Sebeok*)
- Arbor Committee (*M Tolbert*)
-Comprehensive Tree List
- Codes and Practices (*V. Metcalf*)
-Module 3 Re-writes

Items/Announcements Not on Agenda/Action Items for Next Meeting

6:40

General Public Comment

6:50

Adjourn

7:00

(†) At the discretion of the Chair, public comments related to particular agenda items may be solicited at that point in the meeting.

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