

CHARLOTTESVILLE TREE COMMISSION AGENDA

February 3, 2026

5:00 – 7:00 pm

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

Call to Order (<i>S. McKinnon</i>)	5:00
Approval of January Minutes (<i>S. McKinnon</i>)	5:00-5:05
Staff Report and Discussion (<i>S. Gaines</i>)	5:05-5:25
<i>Urban Forest Management Plan – Update</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parks and Recreation – Work continues with Eocene, projected completion by August 2026	
<i>Invasive Plant Control Update</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rx Fire continuing treatments on select management units (delayed with the weather)• Total of 200 trees planted – 115 new installations, 85 replacements	
<i>Downtown Mall Trees</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tree Work has been completed	
<i>Garrett Street Trees</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• NDS and Construction contractor re-assessing mitigation strategies	
<i>IPM Representative – City Board</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parks and Recreation would like one volunteer to sit on IPM Board to discuss herbicide/pesticide use in the city (1 meeting per year)	
New/Old Business	
<i>Administrative Updates and Discussion</i>	5:20-5:35
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Update on Recruitment Efforts (<i>S. McKinnon, S. Levy, S. Gaines</i>)• Update on Web Page under Urban Forestry (<i>S. McKinnon</i>) https://www.charlottesville.gov/1571/Tree-Commission	
<i>State of the Forest Draft Discussion (All)</i>	5:35-6:55
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Revisions and additions• Photographs and other images• Tasks and timeline	
General Public Comment	6:55-7:00
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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