

CHELMSFORD TREE COMMITTEE
MINUTES for April 27th 2021 Meeting
Approved at May 17, 2021 Meeting

Location: Online Teleconference Microsoft Teams

Members Present: James Martin (Chair), Ivan Orlinsky, Brian Zuzelo

Guest:

Quorum Present;

Meeting called to order by the Chair James Martin at 7:02 PM

Community Input: None

Acceptance of March 2021 Minutes:

Motion: Brian Zuzelo

Second: Ivan Orlinsky

Motion unanimously passed

Old Business:

1. **Next Tree Inventory.** No updates to date.
2. **Chelmsford Dog Park.** Tree planting to be attempted May 1st and 2nd. TREE Committee will provide technical assistance.
3. **Committee Website.** The Committee has discussed the creation of a Facebook page for the Chelmsford Tree Committee and will consult with other town committees on the details of their web hosting.
4. **Spruce Tree Worten St.** No response was received from the Town Manager about the most recent inquiry via email about removal of the Spruce Tree on Worten Street. Tree Committee will contact the Town Manager again about why no hearing was held prior to the removal of the tree according to MGL 87 Chapter 3.
5. **Chelmsford Climate Action Team:** The Chair has reached out to the Chelmsford Climate Action team to discuss how the Tree Committee can assist their goals. The Committee is in the process of creating a presentation for them.
6. **Arbor Day Chelmsford Library:** The Tree Committee was contacted by Jessica FitzHanso, Head of Reader Services at the Chelmsford Public Library and Jim Martin is planning to providing education on Properly Planting Tree Seedlings.

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NEW BUSINESS:

1 Tree Committee was contacted to possibly volunteer for an organization called Learning in Retirement to present on June 2nd at 10am at the Lowell Cemetery. Jim Martin has offer a guided tour of the trees of the cemetary for the organization.

2 TREE Committee 2021-2022 Committee Work Plan

To be worked on during June 2021 meeting.

3 Chelmsford Garden Club has extended an invitation to the Chelmsford Tree Committee to attend their Arbor Day Celbration on Friday April 30th at 3pm. Members are invited to attend.

**Motion to Adjourn Meeting: Motion I. Orlinsky B. by Seconded Zuzelo,
Motion passed unanimously**

Respectfully Submitted,

**Brian Zuzelo
Committee Secretary**