

**Shade Tree Commission of Radnor Township
Wayne, Pennsylvania
Minutes of the Meeting of October 21, 2020**

The Shade Tree Commission of Radnor Township at 6:30 PM in the Radnorshire Room of the Radnor Township Municipal Building, 301 Iven Avenue, Wayne, PA 19087

Present: Virginia Hart, Clare Griton, James Gibbons, Matt Golas, Seth Reeser

Absent: Frank Perras; Eileen Brett, Chair,

Seth Reeser called the meeting to order and led the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Meeting Minutes – September 16, 2020 Meeting Minutes **Approved 5-0**
Virginia Hart, Clare Griton, James Gibbons, Matt Golas, Seth Reeser

Permits

- A. **GP 201376** 6 Weirwood Road
• Patrick Spellman, P.E. reviewed plans

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation: **Approved 5-0**
Virginia Hart, Clare Griton, James Gibbons, Matt Golas, Seth Reeser

- B **GP201654** 112 Dovecote
• Doug From Craft Custom Homes reviewed plans

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation: Staff to work with applicant on revisions with consistency to tree protection **Approved 5-0**
Virginia Hart, Clare Griton, James Gibbons, Matt Golas, Seth Reeser

- C. **GP 201687** 27 Fariston
• Chris Yohn, engineer for the project reviewed plans

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation: Additional tree protection around 21” pine if necessary. **Approved 5-0**
Virginia Hart, Clare Griton, James Gibbons, Matt Golas, Seth Reeser

- D. **GP 201723** 227 Windermere
• Michael Neilio, Anthony’s pools reviewed plans
• Trees on the construction access side should have tree protection.
• Nicole, homeowner – 6’ tree by pool has been removed

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation: Trees on the construction access side should have tree protection. **Approved 5-0**
Virginia Hart, Clare Griton, James Gibbons, Matt Golas, Seth Reeser

- E. **GP 201757** 413 Wyldhaven
• Patrick, Engineer from Momenee Inc, reviewed plans

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation: **Approved 5-0**
Virginia Hart, Clare Griton, James Gibbons, Matt Golas, Seth Reeser

- F. **GP 201766** 443 Barclay Road
• Dave Fiorello, Engineer from Momenee, reviewed plans.

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation: **Approved 5-0**
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G. **GP 201776** 767-769 Newtown Road

- Dave Fiorello, from Momenee, reviewed plans
- Removing 3 trees and proposing 8 new trees

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation:
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Approved 5-0

H. **GP 201279** 220 Lenoir

- Mr & Mrs Miska, homeowner, reviewed plans
- 2 trees to be removed, 10" spruce and 6" maple

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation:
Virginia Hart, Clare Griton, James Gibbons, Matt Golas, Seth Reeser

Approved 5-0

I. **GP 200564** 208-210 N Aberdeen

- Christy Flynn, applicant and Patrick Spellman, engineer and Anne Walters, landscape architect reviewed plans
- 16 trees to be removed, replacement of 22 trees
 - Replacements: Trident Maples, Willow Oak, American Holly and Green Giant Arborvitae, acer rubrum and sunset maple

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation:
Virginia Hart, Clare Griton, James Gibbons, Matt Golas, Seth Reeser

Approved 5-0

Old Business

a. **Fall Tree Planting**

- a. Ginny gave an overview
- b. Waiting for the township staff on when bid will be awarded.

b. **235 S Wayne Tree Planting Update**

- a. Chad, homeowner reviewed plans indicating what type of trees will be planted and where they will be planted.
- b. Need to cave correct sizes of the trees to be replace
- c. Saplings close to neighbors should be saved
- d. Chad will reach out to John Hosbach for specific measurements.

The Radnor Township Shade Tree Commission recommendation: Need to have correct sizes of the trees removed and sizes of replacements.

Approved 5-0

New Business

- a. Tree Ordinance Proposed Amendment
 - a. Steve gave a synopsis on the ordinance.
 - b. Commission will review and discuss changes/comments in November.
 - c. Replace Bob with Bill
- b. Practical energy solution to be added to new business for November
- c. Steve Norcini asked that the Commission think about amending the ordinance to allow staff to administratively process permits where there is only earth being moved, no trees.

Tree Removed without Approval

None at this time

Clearing Permit

None at this time

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Hazardous Trees

250	Conestoga	37"DBH Pin Oak
560	Sproul Road	67"DBH Red Oak; 37"DBH American Linden
513	Watch Hill Road	34" White Pine

Trees removed by Radnor Township

None at this time

Goals

Next meeting November 18, 2020

*Meeting Adjourned.
Respectfully Submitted,
Patricia Sherwin*