

**Shade Tree Commission of Radnor Township
Wayne, Pennsylvania**

AGENDA

*Wednesday, September 26, 2018
6:30 PM*

- 1 Call of Order
- 2 Pledge of Allegiance
- 3 Meeting Minutes August 2018
- 4 **New Business**
 - A. **GP18-133** 107 Lantoga Road
New Dwelling
350 CY taken off site
6 trees to be removed
- 5 **Tree Removal without approval/ Clearing Permits**
Trees Removed without Approval

None at this time

Clearing Permits

None at this time
6. **2018 Goal Update**
See attached
7. **Other Business**
 - B Fillipone/Bo Connor/LaMaison Tract Update – Jack
 - C Discussion of Net Loss of Tree Basal Area – Example 321 Lancaster Avenue – Jack
8. **Hazardous Trees**
 - A 861 Lesley 32" Tulip Poplar
 - B 320 Conestoga Road 24" DBH Norway Maple; 33" DBH Tulip; 30" DBH Ash; 32 DBH Black Walnut;
 - C 309 Conestoga Walnut Tree
 - D 203 Spruce Tree Road 38" DBH Red Oak
 - E 836 Paddock Tree Struck by Lightning- Hazardous Report will be submitted. Resident was given the ok to proceed with removal of the tree.

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9. Tree Removal by Radnor Township

8/23/2018	143 Barcladen	25" White Pine
8/23/2018	Radnor Trail	10" Red Maple
8/23/2018	West Wayne Preserve	Locust Trees
		25"
		25"
		20"
		19"
		18"
8/23/2018	Ithan Ave	15" Elm
		22" Elm

10. Public Participation

11. Adjournment

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2018 Goal Progress – Cover those in bold.

- 1) Implement the Master Street Tree Charter – *Matt*
 - a. Update on progress – 1000 trees surveyed! We'll use this as input for the 2019 budget.
 - b. 2 new volunteers obtained to help survey.

- 2) Keep the Ordinance Current and Effective – *Matt & Jack*
 - a. Implement Recommended Tree List as an addendum for easy annual updating. – Matt - Done
 - b. Implement Bamboo Ordinance – *Jack & Eileen*
 1. BOC May 21, 2018 Meeting.
 2. Next Step: Revise once a BOC member is assigned to the STC and can provide direction.
 - c. New Goal for 2019: Revise the ordinance to maintain or increase the tree canopy - Joe

- 3) Serve our Residents via Proactive Communication – *James, Joe, Ginny***
 - a. Communications flyer selected and being implemented.
 - b. Latternfly – James**
 1. How to identify? How to best advise residents?

- 4) Balance the Budget – Eileen**
 - a. Obtain Grant Funds - *Jack*
 - b. Provide estimates for anticipated expenses.**
 1. Priorities and Assumptions?
 2. Expenses?
 3. Revenue?
 4. Data to support request for funds?
 - a. Historical loss of tree canopy and future target? How can we obtain this data?

- 5) Partner with our Stakeholders - *Eileen*
 - a. Radnor Board of Commissioners (BOC)
 - 1. Status on BOC Member joining STC - Claire**
 - b. Radnor Conservancy
 - c. Wayne Business District
 - d. Contractors
 - e. Developers
 - f. Radnor Township Staff

- 6) Provide input on Key Issues:
 - a. Emerald Ash Borer (AEB)
 - b. Storm and Electrical Line concerns

- 7) Be Green and Efficient - Eileen**
 - a. Feedback on this month's pilot:
 1. Option A – Sharing drawings
 2. Option B – Email or Memory Stick



Let's enhance and protect our tree canopy!