SHADE TREE COMMISSION MEETING

April 13, 2015

8:00 PM

SENIOR CITIZEN BUILDING

4 Lewis Street (Behind Borough Hall)

Please let Nils Abate know if you cannot attend the meeting.
CLOSTER SHADE TREE COMMISSION
April 13, 2015
AGENDA

1. Open Public Meeting Statement
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call
4. Approval of December Minutes
5. Meeting Open to Public
6. Discussion of any public comments and questions
7. Close meeting to public
8. Correspondence
9. Inspections
10. Old Business

Heaton Court:

1. Review Streetscape
2. Prioritize take down by age and condition -5 Year plan
3. Mark and submit list to Leslie for take down
4. Replace with wet tolerant species ( options Black Gum, Swamp Oak )
5. Letter to Heaton Court residents to be reviewed by commission
6. Budget approval required for the take down to begin
7. Follow up on letter approval

11. New Business

Lustron House – Tree Removal and sidewalk consideration

Todd reported tree is health and recommendation is that all consideration given for preservation

12. Adjournment
Present: Nils Abate, George Futterknecht, Anthony Lupardi, Sr., Patricia Ix, Brian Stabile, John Kashwick, David Barad (Council Liaison) and Leslie Weatherly, Coordinator

Absent: - Todd Bradbury

Nils called the meeting to order and read the Public Meetings Statement. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and the Roll Call taken.

The minutes of the Minutes of February 9th meeting approved

Correspondence:

From Leslie: New Jersey Tree Recovery Campaign seedling offer

Old Business:
Heaton Court recap

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Ruckman Trees – Replant

- Leslie to contact Bill Dahle for availability of DPW to place several yards of soil near tree line on Piermont Road
New Business:

Arbor Day
- location discussed
- Nils to contact Mrs Newberry about dates and location
- Include seedlings from the NJ Tree Recovery Application if available
- Pat Ix will be available to pick up take care and distribute seedlings
- Seedlings will have to be wrapped for child to carry home

Memorial Day Parade.

- Proposal to have the STC participate in the parade
- Open to ideas and contributions to create a float
- Mr. Lupardi – possible contribution of trees (on loan) from nursery

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Respectfully submitted,

Pat Ix