

Chagrin Falls Shade Tree Commission

Minutes for March Meeting

April 4, 2018

Present: Brockway, DeBernardo, Lipp, Nelson G, Rounds, Tomko, Weitzel, Wells

8:30 a.m. Meeting called to order

1. 68 trees will be delivered to the Village garage on April 9. They will be planted by Busy Bee.
2. It was noted that once the snow melted that many trees planted during the last two years appear to be too high. Terry has sent pictures to the nursery seeking an opinion as to the cause.
3. First Energy will donate 250 small dogwood saplings to the Village. Possible planting sites were discussed.
4. It was decided to air knife the trees on Timberridge and Falls Walkway. Trees in Senlac and Northwoods developments will also be air knifed. Hopefully, this will accelerate growth. It was noted that all trees except those in Senlac have been volcano mulched for years. It is hoped the negative impact of this practice can be effectively demonstrated to the residents.
5. Arbor Day activities are scheduled for 10:00 a.m., Saturday, April 21 in Riverside Park.
6. Angie will investigate setting up a Google Suite site for Shade Tree Commission records of plantings and street tree inventories.
7. The next meeting is scheduled for THURSDAY, May 3.
8. 9:25 a.m. Meeting adjourned