

Chagrin Falls Shade Tree Commission

Minutes for August Meeting

August 9, 2018

Present: Lipp, McGuire, Rounds, Tomko, Wells, Wyville

8:30 Meeting called to order

1. Air knifing of the Village triangle will be scheduled for the last week of August or the first week of September.
2. Terry discussed the possibility of Chagrin Falls becoming a research study area for the Bartlett Tree Company and Holden Arboretum.
3. Terry reported that he represented the Village at the Tree Fund's Tour des Trees stop at Arborwear.
4. Terry reported that he participated in a panel discussion at the International Society of Arborists annual convention in Columbus on August 6. One shade tree commissioner from each of the six ODNR districts was selected to be on the panel.
5. The possibility of sending a representative to the Landscape Below Ground International Conference on Tree Root Development in Urban Soils which will be held at the Morton Arboretum on October 16 and 17 was discussed.
6. The importance of constantly searching for new Shade Tree Commission members was discussed.
7. Terry will meet with John and Mark to discuss the creation of a soil recipe to be used as a treatment this fall on 2019 spring planting sites.
8. Terry will search for a supplier of hemlock saplings for planting near the Ben King Arboretum.
9. Terry will bring plans for plantings at the entryway to Greenbrier Subdivision to the next meeting.
10. It was decided to initiate a program to identify heritage trees in the Village.
 - a. The possibility of combining this effort with a history walk being developed by the Chagrin Falls Historical Society was discussed.
11. The next meeting will be held at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, September 6, 2018.

9:40 Meeting adjourned