

Tree City Committee Minutes March 18, 2019

Jesse DeFosse called the meeting to order in the Wisconsin Dells Municipal Building at 5:00 PM. Other members present: Dave Holzem, Shirley Tollaksen, and Becky Gussel. Tim Hall was a guest.

Minutes of the November 13, 2018 meeting were approved on a motion by Shirley, seconded by Becky.

Tim Hall of Parks and Recreation reported that since 1990, 142 trees have been cut in our city parks, 11 replanted, and more are will be removed soon from Bowman and Veterans Park. On a motion by Becky, seconded by Shirley, we will prioritize park trees in the Urban Forestry Management Plan. Funding for the development of this plan will come from an Urban Forestry Grant which we will submit in October.

Arbor Day will be celebrated on April 30, 2019 at the Dells Delton Community Supper. Shirley has ordered 24 burr oak saplings to be distributed and Becky will organize the program.

We adjourned at 5:25 on a motion by Debbie, seconded by Becky.
Submitted by Debbie Kinder, secretary