

Linden Shade Tree Commission Regular Meeting Agenda

Call to Order Open Meeting-This special meeting is being held in compliance with the Open Public Meetings act and the City Clerk provided notice as required by law. Official action may be taken at this meeting. Portions of this meeting may be held in Executive Session. This meeting is being held electronically due to the International COVID-19 Virus Pandemic and in keeping with the Executive Order of the Governor to avoid public gatherings. The Meeting format was properly advertised as directed by the City Clerk of Linden, NJ and as advised by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs regarding the possible need for "virtual meetings" as a result of the COVID-19 emergency.

- 1. Approval of Minutes from the May 06, 2021, Regular Meeting.
- 2. Payment of Bills- Commissioner Mileage
- 3. Discussion: Wilson Park Land Disposition Reforestation Plan, Budget, Bidding, etc.
- Discussion: Tree planting Fall 2021/Spring 2022- Contract extension to Wetlands Inc. for two oneyear periods per Bids in 2020 and as allowed by NJ State Bidding Laws. Contract amount to be determined upon final approval of City Budget.
- 5. Discussion: 200th Anniversary of Fredrick Law Olmsted's (FLO) (Father of Landscape Architecture) Birthday in 2022; April International Landscape Architecture Month and Arbor Day 2022.
- 6. Discussion: "Shuttle Tree' planted at library- rededication and plaque.
- 7. Discussion: Blue Acres
- Discussion: Community Forestry Management Plan 3rd 5-year plan; Consider including Blue Acres Sites, Hawkrise, etc.
- 9. Discussion: Tree Stewards
- 10. Discussion: Enforcement Issues
- 11. Public Comments
- 12. Commissioner Reports & Discussion
- 13. Council Liaison Report & Discussion
- 14. Next Regular Meeting Schedule: Thursday, August 04, 2021, 7:00 pm, Location Virtual or possibly in person in the Planning Room, 3rd Floor, City Hall. If Virtual, access to be posted online prior to next meeting. There is no regular meeting in July, however a special meeting may be held to award contract amount for Fall Tree Planting and Wilson Park Compensatory Reforestation Plan implementation.
- 15. Adjournment