Dallas Center Tree Board Meeting Minutes Wednesday, January 10, 2017 at 7:00pm Meeting location: Roy R. Estle Memorial Library

Tree Board members present:

Gary Park, Chair Greg Cagle, Secretary Bob German, ex officio member Andy Schmitz, ex officio member Mary Werch, Liaison from Parks and Recreation

Gary Park called the meeting to order at 7:02pm.

Public communications and concerns: None. No members of the public present.

Motion by Park, second by Cagle to approve the minutes of the November 8th meeting. Motion passed 2-0.

Andy reported that four Kentucky coffeetrees were planted on November 16th at these locations: Mound Park, Memorial Park, 1402 Sycamore and 606 15th Street (on Cherry). The tree at Memorial Park was subsequently uprooted and stolen. A police report was filed. Andy has since planted a maple tree donated by Miller Nursery at that location.

Gary presented a list of trees the board has planted over the last three years. Some of the trees will need pruning or other maintenance this spring.

Gary reported that our Tree City USA application has been submitted.

Arbor Day will be on April 27th. The Arbor Day ceremony and seedling giveaway was very successful last year, and the board is investigating sponsoring a similar event this year.

Future meetings are scheduled as follows:

Wednesday, February 7th, 2018 – Roy R. Estle Memorial Library, 7:00pm Wednesday, March 14th, 2018 – Roy R. Estle Memorial Library, 7:00pm Wednesday, April 11th, 2018 – Roy R. Estle Memorial Library, 7:00pm

Meeting adjourned at 8:17pm.