

Dallas Center Tree Board
Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, July 11, 2018 at 7:00pm
Meeting location: Roy R. Estle Memorial Library

Tree Board members present:
Larry Davis, Vice Chair
Greg Cagle, Secretary
Andy Schmitz, ex officio member
Brian Slaughter, ex officio member
Mary Werch, Liaison from Parks and Recreation

Larry Davis called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

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

Motion by Davis, second by Cagle to approve the minutes of the June 13th meeting. Motion passed 2-0.

Mary reported that plans to plant a tree in Mound Park in honor of Jim Fox are moving forward. The tree will be a red oak and will be donated by Lynn Fox. The tree has been ordered and is expected to be planted in the fall.

Andy reported that Perennial Gardens has replaced two of the crabapple trees recently planted on Hatton Avenue that had been damaged. The pinnacle birch intended to replace the columnar hackberry that died at 1602 Sycamore has not been planted yet.

The Parks Board will write the Trees Forever grant application this year. If received, the grant will be used to purchase trees in the Burnett Sports Complex.

Brian reported that the city intends to remove several dead right-of-way trees in the next few weeks. Addresses include 302 14th Street, 606 13th Street and 1300 Sycamore Street.

Brian will investigate possible locations for our Tree City USA signs.

Future meetings are scheduled as follows:

Wednesday, August 8th, 2018 – 6:00pm (Tree inspection tour, starting at the Roy R. Estle Memorial Library. No formal business.)

Wednesday, September 12th, 2018 – Roy R. Estle Memorial Library, 7:00pm

Wednesday, October 10th, 2018 – Roy R. Estle Memorial Library, 7:00pm

Meeting adjourned at 7:52pm.