

Dallas Center Tree Board
Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, January 8, 2020 at 7:00pm
Meeting location: Roy R. Estle Memorial Library

Tree Board members present:

Gary Park, Chair
Hannah Slaughter, Vice 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 7:01pm.

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

Motion by Gary Park, second by Hannah Slaughter to approve the minutes of the November 6th meeting. Motion passed 3-0.

The board reviewed a draft Request for Proposal form for the streetscape design of the proposed Walnut Street green corridor. The draft was approved and will be presented to the City Council at its next meeting.

Status of the tree trimming/maintenance project in the northeast quadrant of the city was not available. We will request an update from Public Works at our next meeting.

The Parks and Recreation Board will submit the Trees Forever grant application this year for a project in the Burnett Recreational Complex. The Tree Board will work with Parks and Recreation to select suitable trees.

The planning calendar for 2020 was reviewed. We plan an Arbor Day event on April 25th, which as usual is one day after the national celebration, since more residents are able to participate on Saturday. We will look into organizing a tree seedling giveaway again this year.

Future meetings are scheduled as follows:

Wednesday, February 12th, 2020 – Roy R. Estle Memorial Library, 7:00pm
Wednesday, March 4th, 2020 – Roy R. Estle Memorial Library, 7:00pm
Wednesday, April 15th, 2020 – Roy R. Estle Memorial Library, 7:00pm

Meeting adjourned at 8:05pm.