

## Dallas Center Tree Board

### Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, August 10, 2022 6:00PM

Meeting location: Memorial Hall

Greg Cagle	Vice Chair: Present
Hannah Slaughter	Secretary: Present
Jennifer Pandich	Present
Ron Steilen	Present
Bob German	ex officio member: Absent
Andy Schmitz	ex officio member: Present
Brian Slaughter	ex officio member: Absent
Mary Werch	liaison from parks and rec: Present

Meeting called to order at 5:56PM

Julie Becker voiced concern about a tree near her house (possibly 1605 Walnut) which has a broken/dead branch hanging. She is concerned about safety with Fall Festival coming up as people like to congregate in this area for the parade and throughout the day for shade. Julie is wondering if this can be put on the top of a priority list and addressed before Fall Festival. Advised that we would do our best, but was unsure if we can have the work completed before then.

Bob King attended the meeting to discuss information regarding a DNR tree grant. Bob will be writing the grant proposal for the Tree Board, which will be voted on by City Council at their meeting August 17<sup>th</sup>. Andy will be in charge of selecting types of trees to be planted. All trees for this grant must be planted by October 30.

Jenny Pandich motions to approve applying for this grant.

Hannah Slaughter seconds

Motion Passes 4-0

The rest of the meeting consisted of a tree inspection of Dallas Center to identify diseased or dying trees in need of removal. The board met outside Memorial Hall to begin the inspection.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50PM.

Next Meeting Dates:

September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022 7:00PM- Memorial Hall

October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 7:00PM- Memorial Hall

November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022 7:00PM- Memorial Hall

December- No meeting