

Dallas Center Tree Board

Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, January 11, 2023

Meeting location: Roy R Estle Memorial Library

Greg Cagle	Vice Chair: Present
Hannah Slaughter	Secretary: Present
Jennifer Pandich	Present
Ron Steilen	Present
Bob German	ex officio member: Present
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 7:03PM

No public comments

Hannah Slaughter motions to approve November 9th minutes

Jennifer Pandich seconds

Motion passes: 4-0

There is still a vacancy for the Tree Board- have not heard of any applicants from City Hall

Tree Board has not had an official word that Fall tree removals being done, but members have noticed some work has been done. Greg will follow up on this. Mary Werch states the bill has not been turned in yet as it was not on the agenda for the City Council meeting this week.

Beacon Oaks have been ordered from Schmidt Nursery in Oregon for Spring planting. This was the cheaper option of the two bids he received. These will be planted along the bike trail East of the library. Andy will look into good options for replacing the Crab Apple trees that were removed West of the library.

Tree City USA application has been approved by Council to be sent in. Jennifer Pandich has sent in the application. Board is unsure when the final decision will be made. Jennifer Pandich will follow up on this.

Park Board is looking for conifers to fill in open spots where trees have been lost around the ball fields. Park Board is waiting to hear back if they have been awarded the MidAmerican Trees Please Grant.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30PM

Next Meeting Dates:

February 8th, 2023 7:00PM- Library

March 8th, 2023 7:00PM- TBA

April 12, 2023 7:00- TBA

May 10, 2023 7:00- TBA