



URBAN FOREST AND FLOWER COMMITTEE

Urban Forest and Flower Committee Meeting July 19, 2023

Call to order:

Mr. Felde @ 2:01 PM

Roll Call:

Board Members – Mike Woolfington, Cameron Arnold, Mike Hite, Bob Yoder, Jim Marquardt, Luke Felde, Jodie Overmyer and Steve Listenberger (underline names not in attendance)

Approval of minutes:

Jim M. motioned to approve the minutes from the June 21st meeting, Cameron seconded. Motion passed.

Old Business:

Fall tree planting: New locations – Madison & Michigan could use a tree. 420 S. Michigan, tree looks poor, it was decided to wait and see how it leaves out next spring. A couple of the trees on N. Michigan needs a drink. It was decided to cut the tree off at Laporte and walnut, and not replace. Trees haven't done well in that location. Luke suggested that maybe we treat the area around the trees with round up for the first few years to avoid damage to the trunks by lawn mowers and string trimmers. Mike didn't think that we be a good idea, and it was decided to possibly put some sort of protection on the trunks. Cameron said that he would touch base with Sellers Services in Culver to see if they can give us a planted price per tree for this fall.

Spring Flower Planting downtown: Flowers have recovered from vandalization and are looking good.

New Business:

None at this time.

Other Business: Cameron asked if there is a new beetle or anything affecting maple trees. Discussion followed. No one knew of anything at this time.

Adjournment:

Motion: Mr. Listenberger

Second: Mr. Hite

All were in favor @ 2:30 PM

NEXT MEETING: August 16, 2023 @ 2:00 pm.

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