# BUTLER CITY SHADE TREE COMMISSION May 1, 2019

# **CALL TO ORDER BY Diane Smith, Chairman**

**ROLL CALL:** 

Doug Kleeman X Barb Long X Katie Selfridge Diane Smith X Donna Smith X Pamela Taylor X Wilma West X Jennifer Senchak (volunteer arborist)

# Approval of Minutes from April 3

Motion by: Pam, seconded by Diane

Minutes approved.

**Public Comment:** Mike Walters offered comment on Facebook page.

# **Financial Report**

Balance remained same.

### **Arborist Report**

Jennifer -- Mulch applied on clean-up day should be pulled away from trunks.

Has had contact with a group of horticulture students as possible volunteers.

### **Member Reports:**

Clean-up Day -Donna Smith

There were 50 volunteers. Streets swept, mulch applied to tree wells, pots, and North Main St. Parking Lot.

Grants: Pam Taylor - Investigation of tree inventory process.

Facebook- was used to promote pruning and clean-up event.

#### **Old Business:**

Diane - Permit application update; copies distributed.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

### **1. Motion** by Donna:

to move forward with the permit process for tree maintenance.

Seconded by Pam

Doug Kleeman N Barb Long y Diane Smith y Donna Smith y Pamela Taylor y Wilma West y Motion passed.

# **2. Motion** by Diane:

to have a standard "education" time before shade tree meetings. Jennifer agrees to meet at the city building at 4 p.m. to give either talk or demonstration.

Seconded by Pam

Doug Kleeman y Barb Long y Diane Smith y Donna Smith y Pamela Taylor y Wilma West y Motion passed.

Motion to adjourn by Donna

Seconded by: Diane

Time of adjournment—8:10