

October 6, 2021 Minutes

Meeting called to order at: 7pm

Roll Call:

Diane Bowman x Emmalee Herndon Lawrence Herndon Diane Smith x Pam Taylor x Julie Wilczynski x
Michael Wilczynski Jr. x Jennifer Senchak x Jeff Smith (liaison) x

Recognition of guests: Tom and MaryAnn 226 S. Washington (adopt a tree)
Emily and Claire Landon

Approval of Minutes (from Sept 8, 2021)

Motion to Approve: Diana 2nd: Pam approved with no changes

Treasurer's Report: Balance _ n/a

Streetscape Report:

Permeable paving

Tree suggestions

Specifications for choosing a good street tree (this will probably also need to be bid but we want to give them as many guidelines as possible)

Arborist Report: - (discussed above)

Inventory Update:

Power Company is working in Butler and has been identifying dead trees they intend to remove. All have been listed on our inventory as either dead or unsafe and needing to be removed.

Shade Tree Email Report:

Missy Sheptak at 300 E. Pearl (wants to use the adopt a tree program) – her two dead trees are part of what the power company wishes to remove.

Project Reports:

All trees on our adopt a tree program have been checked, all seem to have survived the summer.

Code:

Continues to issue violations using our list of dead and poor condition trees as basis for inspections

Cunningham St. (Old Pears)

Dakota at First Energy is still working on plan – possibly early next year. Storms have put all crews way behind. The traffic control plan AND date of any work must be submitted to PennDot 2 weeks in advance.

New Business:

Motion to approve the permit for the removal of the tree at 308 Broad St. Greg Mason. (Diane) 2nd (Diana)
approved

General Discussion or comments:

Meeting Dates set for 2022. Julie will submit to Butler Eagle at appropriate time. List to be sent to Kerry for posting.

Motion to Adjourn: 1st Mike 2nd Julie time of adjournment: 8:10