

ARLINGTON TREE COMMITTEE

Meeting Agenda – Weds., April 11, 7:30PM, Selectmen's Hearing Rm, Town Hall

- 1. Approve March meeting minutes**
- 2. 7:40-7:55 DPW Tree Department Update (Tim)**
 - Review of Winter tree damage
 - Chapter 87 – change in fee
 - Tree hearing(s)
 - Ecofest report
 - Spring tree planting timing? Gas testing?
 - Arbor Day planting event (location, timing etc)
- 3. 7:55 – 8:05 Tree Preservation Bylaw amendments**
 - Updates from BoS meeting –
 - Amendment language draft
- 4. 8:05 -- 8:15 Community Tree Canopy Program with MacEachern funds (John)**
 - Update on requests for trees
 - Status on order with NE Nurseries
 - Volunteers for delivery day
- 5. 8:15 – 8:25 Inventory/Management Plan update (John/Mara, Eliza/Mary Ellen)**
 - Review process: Edits to be completed by ATC before going to Tim and Mike R
 - ATC review new Plan goals (approve via vote)
 - Document content to fulfill grant requirements
- 6. 8:25-8:30 Publicity**
 - Canopy Program
 - Arborday collaboration next year?
- 7. 8:30-8:40 EAB (Susan)**
 - DCR
- 8. New Business**
 - BU May 3rd 6pm – presentation on heat island using Arlington data
 - Vision 2020 results
 - Correspondence
 - Spy Pond Erosion Control efforts
 - Tree Committee opinion re: invasive species
 - Tree Steward program
 - Chestnut seeds

Next meeting: Committee meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month, May 9.