

Arlington Tree Committee

Date: Wednesday, Feb 13, 2019

Time: 7:30pm

Location: Lyons Hearing Room, Arlington Town Hall

Agenda

1. Approve January Meeting Minutes

2. DPW Tree Dept/Tree Warden Update

- Tree hearing(s)
- Tree Bylaw activity
- Spring planting; tree order in Feb
- Tree inventory data updated

3. Community Tree Canopy Program Spring 2019

- a. Nursery Choice
- b. Approach businesses this winter vs residents (Eliza)
- c. Discuss number of trees, sizes, and species from Nursery
- d. Obtain approval from DPW, timeline for fund deposits
- e. Publicity timeline, member volunteers

4. Publicity/Community Outreach

- a. Good Neighbor Agreement; Arlington Residential Zoning Study Group (RSG) looking for Tree Committee support
- b. Fox Library: "Whats Up in Arlington?" presentation
- c. Robbins Library table display in April
- d. Earth Quest (Earth Day week)
- e. Publicize completion of Tree Management Plan (Social Media; Advocate, etc)
- f. Possible Article -- Success of 2017 Community Canopy Program
- g. ATC Google Groups new administrative manager

5. Updates on Old Business

- Bylaw Update
- Emerald Ash Borer
- Gas Leaks
- Procedures regarding trees during town projects and tree watering
- Tree Construction guidelines

6. New Business

- a. Service project with New Covenant School
- b. Setback requirements proposed for multifamily zones for 2019 Town Meeting

Next meeting: Wednesday, March 13.