

Minutes
Forestry Committee
1-14-21

Meeting was called to order at 3:34 p.m.

Meeting was held in person and on Microsoft Teams

Committee members present: Bob Martin, Alicia Harstad (Teams), Dan Buchanan (Teams), Laurie Podoll

Also Present: Forester Erik Laber, Councilman David Schloegel, Administrator Sarah Hellekson (Teams)

The floor was opened for address from the public.

- There were no issues brought forward

Minutes were read and approved from the last meeting

New business

- Update of forestry activities including trimming ROW trees and searching for grants

Old business

- Assessment possibilities were discussed, more information is still needed
- It was decided to have the Forestry Advisory Committee meet at 3:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of every month unless cancelled due to lack of business or conflict with the Forester's schedule
- Quote for water plant irrigation was presented
- Much discussion was had about the tree inventory and a possible part time position to help accomplish a complete and current inventory

Other Business

- Jamestown Planting Partners needs attention
- Possibly using it as vehicle for donations for memorial trees on public property?
- Laurie and Bob volunteered to assist Erik on this matter, procedures and such need to be defined and documented
- Laurie and other members stated that they have been approached with people that would like to donate for memorial and other plantings

Meeting was adjourned