



Bel Aire Tree Board

**AGENDA
CITY HALL – SENIOR CENTER
Monday, February 28, 2022
6:00 P.M.**

I. Call to Order: By Chairperson Gary Northwall

II. Roll Call:

Sylvia McCombs _____ Gary Northwall _____
Hilde Yops _____ Rebecca Armstrong _____ Bruce Roepke _____

III. Guests:

IV. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting:

Action: Motion to approve the minutes of the October 25, 2021 Tree Board meeting.

Motion _____ Second _____ Vote: _____

V. Board Member Reports/Comments

Sylvia _____ ?

Hilde _____ ?

Rebecca _____ ?

Bruce _____ ?

Gary _____?

VI. Old Business:

A: The Bel Aire Lions Club is getting a tree plaque made for Guy McDonald. Guy, a former Lions Club member, was a Tree Board member, then Tree Board President for a number of years and then a City Council member. He passed away recently. Guy was one of the Tree Board members who were instrumental in starting the Board's Survivor Tree program.

I propose that the plaque be mounted directly behind and raised slightly above the Survivor Tree that the Tree Board gave the City (in 2009, I believe). That Survivor Tree is located in front of the City Hall Building.

Proposed wording on the plaque is:

October 2021.

In memory of Guy McDonald

**Bel Aire Tree Board Member/Chairperson, Bel Aire City
Council Member**

B: Our next scheduled event is for Arbor Day in April 2022. We do not have any Survivor Tree seedlings. We need to give some thought to going to the OKC Memorial ceremony in April of 2022 where we might acquire some seedlings. Sylvia had mentioned at our last meeting that we might try to get seeds from our local Survivor Trees possibly Botanica or the VA Hospital.

VII. New Business:

A: Does anyone want to go to Tree City USA Recognition Event in Salina on Thursday March 24, 2022, starting at 8AM?

B: What does the Tree Board want to do to celebrate Arbor Day?

C: Other?

A. Next meeting date...March 28, 2022 at 6PM at City Hall????

VIII. Adjournment:

Action: Motion to adjourn.

Motion _____ Second _____ Vote: _____

Meeting adjourned at: _____ P.M.

Volunteer hours?