

Minutes of the Grosse Pointe Woods Tree Commission Meeting February 4, 2026.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Lechner at 7:02 p.m.

The following members were present:

Kate Colborn
Maria Galbo
Paul Lechner
Mary Ellen Meyering
Randy Rennpage

The following members were excused:

The following members were absent:

Tim Madigan
Steve Skorupski

The following were also in attendance:

Michael Koester, Council Representative

Motion by Rennpage, seconded by Galbo to approve the agenda for the meeting February 4, 2026 passed by the following vote.

Yes: 5 No: 0 Excused: 0

Motion by Rennpage, seconded by Galbo to approve the minutes for the meeting on December 3, 2025 passed by the following vote.

Yes: 6 No: 0 Excused: 2

Treasurer's Report:

There was no treasurer's report.

Old Business:

New Business:

- A. Lechner will follow up with the City on the Tree City USA application.
- B. The Memorial Tree Ceremony will be held April 1. Lechner will serve as the emcee.
Galbo will purchase the cookies and Colborn will bring the bottled water. Lechner will invite Council members via e-mail.

- C. The tree bagging will take place Thursday April 16. Rennpage and Galbo will visit Star of the Sea, Mason and University Liggett for the Arbor Day/ Poster Contest presentation. Meyering and Lechner will visit Ferry and Monteith. Lechner will order the t-shirts for the school poster contest winners.

Council representative Michael Koester provided an update of current city business.

Motion to adjourn at 8:27 PM moved by Rennpage, and seconded by Colborn, was unanimous.

Submitted by: Mary Ellen Meyering Office Held: Secretary Cell: 313 505 2352