# Minutes

## **TREE BOARD**

## Regular meeting

9 a.m. June 18, 2025

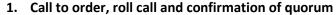
Board Meeting Room of Town Hall Annex, 105 E. Corbin St.

Present: Chair Tim Logue, Vice Chair Thomas Darling, Brian Mayell,

Mixon Nelson, and Gregory Yavelak

Absent: Matt Archibald, Linda Paynter

Staff: Public Space and Sustainability Manager Stephanie Trueblood



Chair Tim Logue called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m. Public Space and Sustainability Manager Stephanie Trueblood called the roll and confirmed the presence of a quorum.

### 2. Agenda changes and approval

Logue added discussion Item 4.B, Juvenile Plant Pruning in Parks. There were no other changes to the agenda.

## 3. Minutes review and approval

Minutes from regular meeting on May 21, 2025.

Motion: Mayell moved approval of May 21, 2025, minutes with not changes. Yavelak seconded.

Vote: 5-0. Motion passed.

#### 4. Discussion items

A. Discuss Treasure Tree selection from 2025

Motion: Darling moved to approve white oaks at Dorothy N. Johnson Community Center as 2025 Treasure

Trees. Mayell seconded.

Vote: 5-0. Motion passed.

#### B Juvenile plant pruning in parks

Brian will submit proposal of new pruning program to be added to the next Tree Board agenda for discussion. Brian will prune stubs on Riverwalk.

#### 5. Updates

### A. Invasive Removal Team

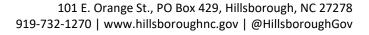
Tim reported Tree of Heaven that needs to be cut behind furniture store. Tim reported the hackberry needs to be cut at Cates Creek Park. Tim suggested a need to develop a plan for the bamboo patches on Riverwalk and in Gold Park.

#### B. Prohibited/Recommended Plant List

No update

#### C. Garden Club

No update





#### D. Staff

- Logue will provide a script and visuals to the communications team for a video on Japanese knotweed.
- Invasives and riparian restoration for fall video ideas were discussed.

## 6. Adjournment

Logue adjourned the meeting at 10:48 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie Trueblood

Public Space and Sustainability Manager

Staff support to the Tree Board

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Approved: Sept. 17, 2025