

Minutes

TREE BOARD

Regular meeting

9 a.m. Mar. 18, 2026

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



Present: Chair Tim Logue, Matt Archibald, Brian Mayell, Mixon Nelson, Linda Paynter, and Gregory Yavelak

Absent: Tom Darling

Staff: Public Space and Sustainability Manager Stephanie Trueblood

1. Call to order, roll call and confirmation of quorum

Chair Tim Logue called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Public Space and Sustainability Manager Stephanie Trueblood called the roll and confirmed the presence of a quorum.

2. Agenda changes and approval

There were no other changes to the agenda.

Motion: Brian Mayell moved approval of the agenda with no changes. Linda Paynter seconded.

Vote: 6-0. Motion passed.

3. Minutes review and approval

Minutes from regular meeting on Feb. 18, 2026.

Motion: Greg Yavelak moved approval of Feb. 18, 2026, minutes. Tim Logue seconded.

Vote: 6-0. Motion passed.

4. Discussion items

A. Downtown Crape Myrtle Bark Scale

The board members discussed bark scale and methods of treatment and decided to treat trees positioned near outdoor seating and dining areas.

Motion: Linda Paynter moved to approve using soil drench to combat bark scale on downtown crape myrtle trees near sidewalk dining and seating areas. Matt Archibald seconded.

Vote: 6-0. Motion passed.

B. Tabling at upcoming events

The board members discussed participating in Climate Challenge event and Earth Day celebration

No formal action was taken.

C. Symposium debrief

Tim Logue and Brian Mayell shared information about their recent presentations at the Invasive Plant Council symposium

No formal action was taken

5. Updates

A. Invasive Removal Team

No formal action was taken

B. Garden Club

The Garden Club Plant Sale will be on April 25, 2026.

No formal action was taken

C. Staff Updates

Staff took photographs of the board members to share with the Communications Division.

No formal action was taken

6. Adjournment

Logue adjourned the meeting at 10:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Stephanie Trueblood
Public Space and Sustainability Manager
Staff support to the Tree Board

Approved: April 15, 2026