



Urban Forestry Commission Meeting

Whitewater Municipal Building Community Room,
312 West Whitewater St., Whitewater, WI 53190
*In Person and Virtual

Monday, October 05, 2026 - 5:30 PM

**Citizens are welcome (and encouraged) to join our webinar via computer, smart phone, or telephone.
Citizen participation is welcome during topic discussion periods.**

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Please note that although every effort will be made to provide for virtual participation, unforeseen technical difficulties may prevent this, in which case the meeting may still proceed as long as there is a quorum. Should you wish to make a comment in this situation, you are welcome to call this number: (262) 473-0108.

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A committee member can choose to remove an item from the agenda or rearrange its order; however, introducing new items to the agenda is not allowed. Any proposed changes require a motion, a second, and approval from the Committee to be implemented. The agenda shall be approved at each meeting even if no changes are being made at that meeting.

CONSENT AGENDA

Items on the Consent Agenda will be approved together unless any committee member requests that an item be removed for individual consideration.

1. Urban Forestry Meeting Minutes from June 1, 2026

HEARING OF CITIZEN COMMENTS

No formal Committee action will be taken during this meeting although issues raised may become a part of a future agenda. Participants are allotted a three minute speaking period. Specific items listed on the agenda may not be discussed at this time; however, citizens are invited to speak to those specific issues at the time the Committee discusses that particular item.

To make a comment during this period, or during any agenda item: On a computer or handheld device, locate the controls on your computer to raise your hand. You may need to move your mouse to see these controls. On a traditional telephone, dial *6 to unmute your phone and dial *9 to raise your hand.

CONSIDERATIONS / DISCUSSIONS / REPORTS

2. Update from City Forester.
3. Discussion on Urban Forestry Commission Sponsorships, Endorsements, and Use of the Commission Name.
4. Discussion on Urban Forestry Commission Member Attendance at Community Events and Potential Quorum Posting Requirements
5. Discussion and Consideration of Seedling Purchase from the Wisconsin DNR 2027 Spring Seedling Order Program
6. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Brush Clearing Around the Oak Tree Along Minneiska Trail.
7. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Signage Recommendations for the Generac Education Pavilion at Starin Park.

CONSIDERATIONS / DISCUSSIONS / REPORTS

8. Update on the Swift Night Out Event.
9. Update on Purple Martin Houses 2026.
10. Presentation and Discussion of the UW-Whitewater Biology Department Bird Monitoring Dashboard and Remote Microphone Data.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

11. Review of Landscape Design Guidelines and Standards.

ADJOURNMENT

A quorum of the Common Council may be present. This notice is given to inform the public that no formal action will be taken at this meeting.

Anyone requiring special arrangements is asked to call the Office of the City Manager / City Clerk (262-473-0102) at least 72 hours prior to the meeting.