

SHADE TREE COMMISSION  
BOROUGH OF MATAWAN  
May 11, 2017

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jerry Hourihan, Jr.  
Councilman Mike Caldon  
Larry Magee  
Matt Schoffel

The May meeting started at 5 P.M. Jerry Hourihan, Jr. approved the minutes of April 13, 2017 and Larry Magee seconded.

Jerry reported that the trees by the Masonic Temple have been cut down by Barrett's Tree Service and that no work has been done on Mill Rd. Junior's Tree Service is looking into 28 Miriam Drive tree problem. Jerry and Matt will meet about transfer of Chairperson of Shade Tree and then speak with the Mayor. Main Street from High Street to Broad Street is being repaved. Jerry stated that on Somerset Place new sidewalks and trees will be done since the existing trees are dying. Jerry will try to contact the contractor and discuss tree replacement ideas. A correction from last month's minutes that yard debris does not go into regular garbage. At present there is no Community Service project.

Mike stated that the sign for Lake Lefferts is ready (it replaces the Green Acres sign), that Garden State Tree Service will come back and do more trimming, and that new benches at Lake Lefferts will be put in shortly. There is nothing new with start up of Environmental. Joe Ciaglia Landscaping did a good job with new planting behind the swing area at Terhune Park.

Matt Schoffel motioned to adjourn the meeting at 5:30 P.M. and Jerry Hourihan, Jr. seconded. The next meeting will be June 8, 2017 in the Environmental/Property Office at MMCC, 201 Broad Street at 5 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

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