

Closter Shade Tree Commission

Meeting Minutes

October 9, 2017

Call to Order

Reading of the Public Meetings Statement
Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Present: Nils Abate, David Barad, Todd Bradbury, George Futterknecht,
Anthony Lupardi Sr., Maria Hiletzaris

Approval of Minutes

Minutes were accepted as read

Meeting Open to the Public- No public interest

Correspondence

None

Old Business

- a) 200 Closter Dock Road Medical Building owner wants tree removed.
Tree will be pruned all around but not taken down.
- b) Heaton Court-Todd marked the trees and they will be removed
- c) Georgia OKeefe is no longer interested in being on the Shade Tree Committee
- d) Paul Cowie- first invoice sent and payment is being processed
- e) Cleatus was awarded quote
- f) Send out for quote for January and February pruning and takedowns
- g) David Barad has 1 credit and George has ½ credit. We need more credits

New Business

Maple Street- 23 trees mostly locusts. Approximately 40% of the where the trees are the sidewalks are okay. There are about 15-18 trees that the sidewalks are not good. Discussions will take place regarding how to best deal with them for example takedowns, plantings, ripping up sidewalks in stages over several years with the first phase happening in 2018.

Adjournment

9:07pm