Waterbury Tree Board meeting minutes October 24, 2024 Waterbury Public Library

Present: Jane Brown (chair), Nita Hultstrom, Marge Gulyas, Barb Blauvelt, Mike LoSchiavo, Stuart Whitney

- Agenda: Approved with additional topics included
- <u>July 23, 2024 meeting minutes</u> reviewed and approved.
- Public Comments: none
- Tree pruning workshop with Caldwell Clark: Winooski Street, Friday 11/8/24 @ 0900.
- Vermont UCF grant due Jan 2025. To be discussed & initiated next meeting 11/12/24
- Tree pruning: Main Street with Adam McCullough, Arborist UCF, 11/15/24 0900-1100.
 Prune 3 types of trees
- Spring tree planting: Arbor Day Celebration honoring Steve Lotspeich. Plan to invite the
 public to a celebration and tree planting behind the municipal building. Type of tree was
 discussed.
- Tree Inventory: ongoing project. Next location, Center triangle.
- Other business: Mike brought forth concern from the homeowner on Randall St. Problem with two large Honey Locust in ROW. Board members will independently conduct site visits. Barb reports there is a huge, old Honey Locust tree leaning over a culvert on Loomis Street. This tree will obstruct the culvert when it falls. She will contact Waterbury Public Works for a site visit
- Important dates:

Tuesday October 29, 2024, - Independent walking tours to inspect trees 15 Randall Street.

Friday November 8, 2024, 9:00 am Winooski Street with Caldwell Clark.

Tuesday November 12, 2024, 5:30 pm, Waterbury Tree Board meeting W. Public Library

Friday November 15, 2024, 8:00 am pancake breakfast Leo's. Tree pruning along sidewalk at the State Office Complex lawn on S. Main St. with Adam McCullough VT Urban and Community Forestry program

Meeting Adjourned 7:00 pm Respectfully submitted, Jane Brown and Stuart Whitney