The City of Lake Worth Tree Board Regular Meeting Minutes

February 10, 2022

Call to order: 6:11

Members Present: R. Stowe, G. Powell, D. Brown, D. Kerner, A. Gottlieb

Members Absent: None

Agenda additions, deletions, reordering:

Public Attendance: None

Approval of minutes: November 10, 2021 and December 9, 2021

Motion made by R. Stowe Seconded D. Brown

Yays: 5 Nays: 0

Reports: None

Presentations:

Presentation from Jonathan Burgess on the Sustainable Sites Initiative, "a comprehensive rating system to distinguish sustainable landscapes, measure their performance and elevate their value." It is a tool that can be used to create resilient land development projects. "SITES certification is for development projects located on sites with or without buildings. "For example, the City could apply for SITES recognition if it restores the world class native landscape at Lake Worth Beach, or it removes all of the invasive species in Northwest Open Space and replaces with a South Florida native landscape plan.

New Business:

A. South Palmway median landscape inspection and report discussion

G. Powell gave the board an update on the South Palmway median inspection.

B. January 27, 2021 Workshop follow up discussion

Tabled to future meeting

Old Business

A. Board projects and priorities discussion

The board discussed future projects and priorities.

Denis de Zeeuw from Sustainscape informed the board about cost estimation for landscape projects.

The board discussed scheduling a workshop meeting including a presentation from former Board Chair Gael Silverblatt.

The board agreed by consensus to schedule a workshop on February 23, 2022 at 6 pm.

Meeting adjourned 8:06PM