

The City of Lake Worth Tree Board
City Hall Conference Room
Regular Meeting Minutes
May 12, 2022

Call to order: 6:17 PM

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

Members Absent:

Agenda additions, deletions, reordering:

Public Attendance:

Approval of minutes: Tabled to next meeting. The advisor will send revised minutes for the board to review.

Reports: Resident Richard Stowe told the board about an experience he had with a fence installer who trimmed native plants to install a fence and that he had 2 volunteer Gumbo Limbo trees that he would like to donate.

New Business:

A. Lake Worth native plants- Presentation from Richard Stowe.

Richard Stowe shared a presentation that he made on native plants. Mr. Stowe stated that he will add slides to be presented at neighborhood meetings.

B. Neighborhood Association Presentations

The board discussed drafting informational presentations for neighborhood association meetings on the following topics: native plants and trees, landscape regulations and tree and shrub pruning.

Old Business

A. Beach Dune Invasive plant removal

The advisor D. McGrew reported that he met with Board member G. Powell to identify the native Inkberry plants. The board then discussed working on a plan to remove the invasive plants from the dune.

B. Training manual-landscape specifications update

The advisor reported that funds were transferred from the Tree Canopy Restoration Fund to the Grounds Maintenance account to pay for a portion of the Beach report. The Board requested that they review the draft report when it is complete.

C. South Palmway median Update

The advisor and G. Powell reported that they were not able to attend the neighborhood association meeting. Board members plan to attend a future meeting when the meeting resume.

D. Community Outreach update

The advisor reported that informational brochures and links will be added to the Landscaping and Trees City webpage

E. Webpage update

Powell will send her proposed webpage outline to the Advisor who will share it with the board.

Adjourned: 8:47 PM