



# Minutes

Tree Board Meeting  
Park Building – 500 7<sup>th</sup> Ave SW  
Monday March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024 - 5:15 PM

**Park and Recreation** [www.oelweinparks.org](http://www.oelweinparks.org)

Call to Order: 5:16pm

- Roll call – Ron Lenth, Joshua Johnson, Kyle Scheel, Jeff Milks, John Fox
  
- Absent: Ron Lenth
  
- Citizen Input: None
  
- Approval of February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024, minutes

Motion	Milks	Second	Fox
Aye	All	Nay	None

- Tree Board Member: Terry Scherbring was present and expressed interest in joining the tree board. Scherbring stated that he had been teaching for 45 years and is now retired.
  
- Trees Forever – One Million Trees Grant: Johnson stated that the tree board was awarded the full \$5,000 from Trees Forever this year. Johnson stated that the board will purchase these trees in the fall and plant them in mid-October. Milks started talking about tree trimming past tree plantings and tentatively the board will meet on Friday to venture out and trim trees they have planted, pending weather conditions.

- Gravel Bed/Trimming: Johnson stated that he has purchased the lumber to construct the tree bed and they will get it built when the weather clears up.
- Arbor Day Planting: Johnson stated that he was contacted by the school as they would like the tree board to donate more tree whips and give a tree planting demonstration to the first graders at Wings Park. Johnson stated that he would like the tree board members to join him for this event on Arbor Day which is April 26<sup>th</sup>.
- Board Member Updates: None
- Adjournment: 5:58pm
- Next meeting: April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024