

Regular Meeting
January 9, 2017

AGENDA

1. 7:00 p.m. Call to Order – reading of public notice

- Attending:
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Lisa Fleming, Chair | <input type="checkbox"/> Charles Valentine |
| <input type="checkbox"/> John Casadia, Planning liaison | <input type="checkbox"/> David Lowenstern |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Susan M. Fenili | <input type="checkbox"/> John Pedersen |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brad Giordano | <input type="checkbox"/> Anthony Coffee, nominated alternate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diane Amico, City Liaison | |

2. Approval of Minutes –December 12, 2016 regular meeting

3. Chairperson’s Report & Budget – Annual Reports

4. Agenda Items:

A. Coordination within the City

- 1) New Mayor and Council
- 2) Sustainable Jersey / Water Conservation
- 3) City Engineering
 - a) 12/15/16 meeting re: Streets planning
 - i) Tree preservation guidelines
 - ii) Tree planters / Sidewalk construction
 - iii) GI design guide
 - b) Influencing design

B. Education

- 1) **Newspaper Articles / Letters to the Editor**
- 2) City Hall Information Table / Events
- 3) “I am your new tree.”

C. Public Interactions

- 1) Recognizing the Mormon missionaries
- 2) Heist Insurance

D. PROJECTS

- 1) **Giampietro Park Rain Garden** – preparing for Spring / Bamboo stand
- 2) **Wildflower/milkweed areas - seed purchase?**
Giampietro circle / front field / Romano Park

E. Nature Areas / Parks / Open Space

- 1) **Burnt Mill** - update on City activity
- 2) **White Cedar (MRCA)**
- 3) **Willow Oak** - Controlled burn, Trails, Maintenance

F. Budget - 2017 budget items

G. Site Plan reviews

5. Old Business

- A. Trash on streets & city properties
- B. City Gardener / Forester
- C. Bike and Pedestrian Trails
- D. Stormwater – Green Infrastructure

6. New Business

- A. Water Conservation
- B. Priorities and Progress

7. Tree Committee - Sue Fenili, John Casadia, David Lowenstern, John Pedersen

- A. School trees – help with care
- B. Downtown Street Trees
- C. Plans for Spring
 - 1) VDID - re-planting of Community Tree
 - 2) NJ Tree Foundation

D. Street Tree Cutting ordinance / Tree Committee Notification

- E. Tree Maintenance around Power Lines – trenching near trees
- F. CFMP goals / street tree inventories

8. Adjournment