

TREE BOARD
Minutes
November 12, 2013

Present: Avon Privette, Larry Ray, Gene Blount, Wallace Jenkins, Darrell Jones, Kenny Waldroup, Mark Hetrick-Planning, Julie Spriggs-Planning, Bo Dobrzenski-Planning, Lisa Markland-Town Clerk,

The meeting was called to order by Darrell Jones at 7:05pm.

Chairman Jones said that the first item of business was to approve the agenda.

Gene Blount made a motion, second by Avon Privette to approve the agenda. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.

Gene Blount made a motion, second by Larry Ray to approve the minutes of October 8, 2012. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.

Bo Dobrzenski stated that the next Arbor Day Celebration would be November 21, 2013 at Gill Street Park at 10am. The Board as well as the public was invited to attend. Bo continued by sharing what trees would be planted and what they would look like in season. The current year was the ninth consecutive year that the Town of Zebulon was considered a Tree City.

Bo Dobrzenski discussed several options for future projects to be considered for Arbor Day events as well as the memorial tree option with a plaque to show who or what it was for. Staff asked that the Board give feedback over the next several months on their thoughts on what was presented as well as any other options or thoughts that they might have.

Darrell Jones asked about the memorial tree program and who would pick out the type of tree. Bo stated that there would probably be a list of trees to choose from. The Board really liked the memorial tree idea and thought that should be something that should be done.

Mark Hetrick gave a brief staff report to let the Board know about the update of the UDO, new businesses, development expansion and the amendment to the Transportation Plan.

Gene Blount made a motion, second by Wallace Jenkins to adjourn the meeting. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:35pm.

Date

Darrell Jones—Chairman

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Lisa M. Markland, CMC—Town Clerk