

Arlington Tree Committee Agenda

Date: Wednesday, Feb 12, 2020

Time: 7:30pm

Location: Lyons Hearing Room, Arlington Town Hall

Agenda

1. Approve January Meeting Minutes

- 2. Design and Building Initiatives in Town with potential impact to trees
 - Broadway Plaza Redesign
 - AHS; site preparations (ATC met with designer, provided 'building around trees' handouts
 - Lussiano/N Union Playground
 - Zoning
- 3. Community Tree Canopy Program Spring 2020
 - a. Nursery Choice
 - b. Discuss number of trees, sizes, and species from Nursery
 - c. Business outreach, Publicity timeline
 - d. Subcommittee
- 4. DPW Tree Dept/Tree Warden Update
 - Tree hearing(s)
 - a. AHS
 - b. Others
 - Tree Bylaw activity
 - Building Around Trees info packet.
 - a. 'Building around trees' handouts available at building department. Need to be shared with contractors doing road/sidewalk construction and all other town projects, e.g. Whittemore Park, Broadway Plaza, N Union.
 - b. Post them online (Town website and ATC?)
 - Spring planting; tree order in Feb
 - Tree inventory map data updated
 - Tree inventory map tree location adjustments
 - ATC letter to DPW to fund additional watering trucks
 - Other
- 5. Publicity/Community Outreach
 - a. ATC website links review
 - b. ACMI; volunteers to work on a Tree promo piece?
 - c. Zoning; Stormwater grants
 - d. ATC submitted Annual Report with DPW on Jan 15
 - e. Notifying neighbors when a tree has to come down due to health reasons
 - f. Potential. Article -- Success of 2017 Community Canopy Program
- 6. New Business

Next meeting: Wednesday, March 11.