



Regular Meeting of the Michigan City Tree Board
Wednesday February 1, 6:30 pm Central Time. IBEW Building, ALCO
Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Minutes for January 2023
4. Secretary Treasurer's Report and Claims for January 2023
5. Communications-- from Dalia: "The City Council (this past Tuesday) appointed Angie Nelson Deutch as the City Council Tree Board member." From Amanda Pickens, City Clerk office: "This is a reminder to please send your minutes as soon as possible."
6. Welcome new members!
7. Skyler York of Planning Department
8. Committee Reports:
 - Education & Outreach (Tree ID labels, etc.) Monthly Farmers Market--Setting up a winter ID of trees for the public at Friendship Botanical Gardens. Generating a list of 20 most common trees in Indiana for a handout list with promotional materials on the tree board. (Dennis)
 - Public Relations (Facebook, Press releases, etc.)
 - Arbor Day, Tree give-away (Proclamation, tree order, Sustainability Commission coordination, etc.)
 - Grants (Communitree +)
 - Annual Tree Planting (tree request list, watering reminders)
 - Tree City Designation-- Dalia has completed the Tree City application and it was approved by the State Forester. We are now waiting on the decision from the Arbor Day Foundation
 - Arborist search committee
9. Arborist Report
 - Purchasing and Tree Planting
 - Planning Department
 - Urban Forest Plan Maintenance
 - City Park Trees
 - City Street Trees
10. Old Business
11. New Business

12. Comments--Board Members

13. Comments-- Public

- Next Meeting: March 1, 2023, at 6:30 p.m., IBEW Building, ALCO
- Adjournment