

SHADE TREE COMMISSION

AGENDA- REGULAR MEETING

September 1, 2022

Public Announcement of Meeting: The notice requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act of the State of New Jersey have been satisfied by the inclusion of the date, time, and place of this regular meeting in the annual schedule and notice of regular meetings is posted at Borough Hall, was mailed to The Star Ledger and The Record and was filed with the Borough Clerk of the Borough of Demarest on August 29, 2022.

1. Roll Call
2. Salute to the Flag
3. Approval of July 7, 2022, Minutes
4. Secretary Report: To date, 83 Tree removal permits have been issued, 6 are construction. 74 Shade Tree Inspections have been completed. 32 Hazardous trees removed for contractors to go to bid on have put on hold due to budget. \$8,250.00 have been collected in violations. 23 Anderson Ave. is coordinating with Gregg Pastor on payments for violation.
5. Old Business: Frank DeCarlo to educate on how to determine if a tree is dead.
Electronic board, remind residents and contractors of the ordinance.
Facebook has been suspended for now.
Newsletter is on hold, ideas future articles.
The Spotted Lantern Fly has made its presence.
Fines outstanding, 20 Country Club Way, Last instalment due 9-15-22.
115 Lenox Ave.

Sept. Court Cases, 36 Wellwood Rd., 611 Piermont Rd., 8 Blanche Ave.,
26 Central Ave, 145 Woodland Ave. and 19 Pine Terrace

Adopt a tree program/ Assessment of after school project, how to proceed.

Cemetery
6. New Business:
Current Budget
Prioritize hazardous tree removal, planting new ones.

Managing a table at The Nature Centers Octoberfest.
NJSTC Zoom meeting September 7, 2022, 7:00-8:00PM

Triangle sight issues

Suggestions on changing the Ordinance, for new construction replanting number of trees per square foot. (Council Women Fox's proposal) and mitigation fees on private property that are being removed due to hazardous or being dead.

7. Open to the Public:
8. Motion to Adjourn: