

**Corporation of Harpers Ferry
Special Tree Commission Meeting
Thursday, March 21, 2024
Town Hall 1000 Washington Street
Harpers Ferry, West Virginia 25425**

Call to Order 7:01 pm

Present: Christy Huddle, Vice Chair; Paul Thomas, Planning Commission Liaison; Deb Thomas; Robert Nelson, recording

Approval of Agenda. Motion to approve the agenda by Paul, second by Deb , passed 4-0.

Election of officers for 2024.

Motion to elect Christy as Chair by Deb, second by Paul, passed 4-0,

Motion to elect Robert as Vice Chair by Christy, second by Deb, passed 4-0,

Motion to elect Deb as Secretary by Robert, second by Paul, passed 4-0,

Unfinished business

2024 Arbor Day Celebration: location of tree plantings and celebration.

As agreed last meeting the celebration will be 27 Apr, 2024. Two trees will be planted at each end of the new trail, provided by Trail Alliance, that extends between East Ridge and West Ridge streets. Poster has been created and will be distributed.

New Business

Tree Work Plan for 2024. Christy provided and went over the plan. A motion was made by Paul, second by Deb, to send the plan with a recommendation of approval to Town Council. Motion passed 4-0

Committee member comments.

Paul offered to talk to Town Hall to ask for a frame to be made to display the Tree City USA sign in the Woman's Park.

Paul will be talking to nursery to find tree availability for planting additional trees. Paul also introduced the idea of acquiring saplings from the State and raising them ourselves. More discussion and ideas will be needed. to accomplish this.

Public comments and public requests for action on trees. None.

Adjournment Motion to adjourn 7:58 by Paul, second by Robert , passed 4-0