

**Minutes
Corporation of Harpers Ferry
Tree Commission Meeting
Thursday, 23 Jan 2025
Town Hall, 1000 Washington Street
Harpers Ferry, West Virginia 25425**

Call to Order 7:13 PM

Present: Christy Huddle, Chair; Christian Pechuekonis, Vice Chair; Robert Nelson, Secretary

Approval of Agenda The agenda was approved with a motion from Christian and second by Robert, 3-0

Election of Officers for 2025. Motion to retain positions from Robert, second, Christian. Passed 3-0.

Approval of minutes. September 26, 2024 Motion to approve minutes from Christian, second from Robert. Passed 3-0

Unfinished business. Update on WV 2024 Demonstration City tree grant. Christy went over the grant, stating the work that was done by all contractors.

New Business

Annual report for 2024. Motion from Robert, second Christian to send the annual report to the Town Council. Passed 3-0

Selection of date for Arbor Day celebration and tree planting. Date and time for the celebration was set for April 26, 2025 at noon. Motion by Robert, second by Christian, passed 3-0. Christian volunteered to dig the hole for the tree.

Protection of town trees from parking in front of 898 and 896 Fillmore Street. Christy will make a diagram of how cars and trees can work together; will include photos of how it can look. Christian offered to talk to Eddie Lowe to ask owners to park other places.

Commission member comments. None

Adjournment. Motion by Christian, second by Robert to adjourn. Passed 3-0. Meeting ended at 8:11 PM