

CITY OF LAKE SAINT LOUIS

TREE BOARD MINUTES

September 21, 2021 5:30 P.M.

200 Civic Center Drive

Lake St. Louis, MO 63367

To educate the Lake Saint Louis community on the importance of trees"

I. Call to Order: 5:35 p.m.

II. Roll Call	Present	Absent
Joe Mulitsch	<u> X </u>	_____
Roy Zirges	<u> X </u>	_____
Diane Arisman	<u> X </u>	_____
Carol Lynch	_____	<u> X </u>
Margaret Kozozenski	<u> X </u>	_____

Also in Attendance: Darren Nolken, Director of Parks and Recreation

Jacalyn Schauer, Aldermanic Liaison

Jacob McMains, Contract Arborist, Davey Resource Group

III. Agenda

Meeting called to order at 5:37pm

Public Comment None

Approve the minutes of the August 17, 2021 meeting. Jacalyn Motioned and Diane seconded, Minutes approved.

A. Staff Report

1. Grants For Deer Ridge Park

Approval- Department of Conservation secured funds for the first phase of the Grant to restore the Glade. These funds will go to July 1st 2022. They will allow the Parks Department to spray 3 times to remove existing plants. Waiting for funds to be secured for the Self Guided Tree Tour project..

2. Arbor Day celebration and Movie night in Blvd Park on October 8th

Twenty minutes before the movie we will introduce the Mayor, Director of Parks and Recreation and Jacob McMains, Arborist followed by a short presentation on the importance of Trees. Then Jacob McMains will demonstrate how to plant a tree. Approximately 15 trees will have been planted earlier in the day.

We will also serve popcorn and bottled water at the event. City will purchase a popcorn machine

3. Islands on Lake St. Louis Blvd

Replace 20 plants in spring of 2022. Originally 300 plants were planted in spring of 2021.

B. Board Discussion

1. Next scheduled meeting is Oct 19th
2. Tree City USA Luncheon Friday, October 8th at the Maryland Heights Community Center. Four guests from each Tree City USA are permitted to attend
3. Next meeting, Tree Board will pick four tree species then setup an online vote by residents to name a City tree on Arbor Day in 2022.

VI. Adjourn

Diane Motioned, Joe seconded. Meeting adjourned at 6:30pm

