

# ENVIRONMENTAL/SHADE TREE COMMISSION MINUTES May 12, 2021

## ROLL CALL AND FLAG SALUTE MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order by the chairperson at 6:30 pm

Attendance: Richard Ambrosio, Paul Bagdanov, Joseph W. Halifko III, William Heyniger,

Nadia Holzer, Gregory Sharin, Jon Stocum

Attorney: Michael Celli, Esq.

**Absent:** Diane Allen

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

1. Approved April 14th, 2021 meeting minutes; Mr. Ambrosio motion, all in favor

2. ANJEC grant was submitted by Ms. Holzer, accepted.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Neptune Township arboretum discussion with Mr. Heyniger and Ms. Holzer

- a. Plant wildflowers around Maple tree by gravel paths add black mulch & along fence line dig up turf for flowers. Mr. Bagdanov will research bulk wild flower seeds for planting.
- b. Water supply options: along fence line rain gutters for rain barrels; or install a yard hydrant.
- c. Payment options, tree preservation fund, Mr. Bedrosian will inquire funding and yard hydrant.

### PLANS/APPLICATIONS FOR REVIEW:

1. PB20/07 preliminary and final major subdivision block 257 lot 7 120 S Main St. No Comment

## **DISCUSSIONS/PRESENTATION**

- 1. Salem White Oak bare root seedling, approved to pick up. Mr. Halifko will take care until planting.
- 2. 2021 NJUCF Stewardship Grant available through NJ Forest Service for tree inventory.
- 3. Green Team volunteers, Mr. Heyniger expressed interest to work with Mr. Cafferty.

# ADJOURNMENT 7:15 pm

Minutes submitted by Christopher Bedrosian