

ENVIRONMENTAL/SHADE TREE COMMISSION MINUTES March 9th 2022

ROLL CALL AND FLAG SALUTE MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

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

Attendance: Richard Ambrosio, Diane Allen, William Heyniger, Nadia Holzer, Greg Sharon

Attorney: Michael Celli, Esq.

Absent: Joe W. Halifko, III, Paul Bagdonov

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Approved February 9th meeting minutes; all in favor

2. 2021 Open Space stewardship project signs and wild flowers. DPW will be contacted for assistance with making approved sign and post. Wildflower 10lb order from American Meadows approved.

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1. Resolution approved in support of the ability of municipalities to adopt regulations to protect public health, safety, and welfare from threats of flooding. Motion Mr. Ambrosio Second Ms. Holzer. Resolution singed by chairperson and to be forwarded to Mayor Williams & Councilman Cafferty.
- 2. OGNED Dewatering discussion for citizen board knowledge.

PLANS/APPLICATIONS FOR REVIEW:

- 1. PB21/05 756 Holdings preliminary and final major subdivision reviewed Concerns to planning board
 - a. Lots 2.01 & 2.05 recommend deed restrictions due to dedicated wetland restrictions. Lots are bordering the freshwater wetlands listed on site plan
 - b. Page C-600 recommend moving the trees 1 foot further away from the sidewalks to prevent potential future damage i.e. uplifting the sidewalks with roots as the trees mature.

DISCUSSIONS/PRESENTATION

- 1. Harold Daily Post no 133 VFW thank you letter sent for donation \$150 include raingarden
- 2. Annual free bare root seedling event scheduled for Saturday, April 23rd 200 seedlings approved

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 8:52 pm Minutes submitted by Christopher Bedrosian