

Mayor
Debi Krause

City Clerk
Nicole Sapp



Council Members
Christine Bogenrieder
Frank Burnette
Lee Patterson
Scott Penn
Tim Terilli

Statham Tree & Beautification minutes June 17, 2024 at 6:30

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 by chair Tim Terilli.

Roll call- Christine Bogenrieder, Kurt Bogenrieder, Shannon Patterson, Lee Patterson, Tim Terilli, Debi Krause, Dwight McCormic, Dean Coy, Cathy Bennett and Alan Seward were in attendance.

Tim called for an approval of the minutes from May. Christine made the motion to approve, Lee seconded. Unanimous approval.

New business-

Lea Clark who is a Community forester spoke about the tree canopy study. Statham is actually in good shape, we can see if we have a few more places to plant and then maintain what we have. Cut one, plant one.

I tree Tools online calculate the benefit of trees. Look at the Dr. Kathleen Wolf study on how trees benefit us. How to get information out to citizens possibly with free trees with booklet.

We spoke about the school cutting all trees down. There is a made in the shade grant for schools. There is a grant for underserved areas, expiry July 15th.

Discussion on amending the tree ordinance. There is a tree ordinance audit that we can have done per Lea.

Old Business-

Mural- Amber is busy. Shannon to check with Twisted Moon art studio.

Sign at Rainwater- The sign is fine, the frame needs replacing. Dwight is looking at costs for materials. The sunflower is paying for the sign updates. Beautification will buy plants.

Remove junk signs – real estate, roofing etc around town.

Dwight will put the 3 year toppers on the Tree city signs.

Tree Limb trimming. There are 4-5 trees at least. Tim will follow up with Cheryl on getting bids.

July no meeting . The next meeting is Aug 19th.

Tim called for motion to adjourn. Motion made by Debi, seconded by Lee. Unanimous . 7:23