

Oriental Tree Board
Regular Monthly Meeting

August 26, 2014

The regular monthly meeting of the Oriental Tree Board was held on Tuesday August 26, 2014 in Town Hall at 9:00 AM. Those in attendance were Chair. Bob Miller, Ken King, Bob Andrews, Toni Leavitt, Rob Barefoot, Dick Creighton and Commissioner Barb Venturi. Absent Lynne Kaplan

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as presented.

Old Business:

Recently purchased pruning tools were distributed to the board members by chair. Bob Miller.

A quote of \$1400.00 was received for the removal off the pine tree across from Lupton Park. A decision will be made, after re-inspection.

The town manager has contacted a contractor to brush out the bridge oaks. Contractor has requested a board member meet with him to discuss what has to be done. Bob Miller has agreed to meet with the contractor.

New Business:

No progress on the inventory program.

Dead pecan at the foot of Wall St. should be removed this winter. Property owner advised if he wants to remove the tree immediately, he can do so at his expense.

Following adjournment Daniel Simpson of the NC Extension Service and board members are going to take samples of stressed crepe myrtles for analysis by NCSU. The cost will be \$20.00.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert T. Andrews Secretary