

## MINUTES MARCH 11<sup>TH</sup> 2025

**CALL TO ORDER-** 4:00 PM

**ROLL CALL-** Candy Kirchberg, Sonya Dailey, Peg Esposito, Alexander Leonard, STAFF- Jonathan Foster, Morgan Sheppard, Blake Salek, GUESTS- Mark Mozuch, Mark Sesselman, Dennis Louser, Jennell Powers, Robert Croche

**PUBLIC COMMENTS-** Nothing of note.

**MINUTES-** Sonya Dailey made motion to approve last meeting minutes Alexander Leonard seconded, and it was unanimously approved.

**ARBORIST REPORT-** Jon discussed current work to be done by the forestry crew and ANSI planting standards within the city ordinances. Some discussion about policing the landscaping companies doing the planting. Jon also talked about the requirements to maintain a Tree City USA status.

**DOWNTOWN TREES-** Candy will be attending a BID breakfast to propose some ideas to better protect the trees in the downtown area. Further discussion next meeting.

**ARBOR DAY DISCUSSION-** Wendy from the library is our proposed honoree for arbor day, a tree will be planted in library park. Sonya Dailey will be following up with more details after she talks with Wendy. More details at the next meeting.

**BIRD FLU-** Sonya briefly warned of the bird flu in the area due to migratory movement and about reporting dead birds to DNR.

**PARK BOARD POSITION-** Peg Esposito gave us an overview of what the city is looking for in the new parks manager position. Job description documents were supplied at the meeting.

**NEXT MEETING-** April 8<sup>th</sup> 4:00 PM to discuss Arbor Day Event

**ADJOURNMENT-** 4:59 PM Sonya made the motion to adjourn and Alexander Leonard seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.