

May 13, 2025

Tree Commission Meeting

Commission Members Present: Larry Holman, Ed Urban, Lisa Bodi, Jerry Tarolli

Commission Members Not Present: Roger Domokos

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m.

Public Presentation: Lin McMatt and Krista Kyle. Lin presented her reasons for wanting to plant a Ginko Tree in the tree lawn on 114 Lincoln. She presented tree specifications and why it is the perfect tree for space. Krista Kyle, a neighbor, has a similar situation and offered support.

New Business

Commissioner Holman shared a Thank you from the commissioner's report for the Arbor Day Celebration, along with a Thank you for the tree planted.

Commissioner Holman stressed the importance of a tree map of Third St, so that only small to medium trees are planted in the new tree lawn. Japanese Maples, Dogwoods, Ginkgos, and Redbuds are preferred, but they should be broken up in case of disease.

Jerry Tarolli made a motion to approve the tree permit for a Ginko presented by Lin McMatt at 114 Lincoln St. and Ed Urban seconded it.

Nancy Barnum has planted two Cherry trees on Third St already.

Old Business

Commissioner Holman tried to contact Anita Haynes twice at 518 E 5th St. to tell her of the tree removal denial but was unable to reach her.

Public Comment - None

Next Meeting: May 9, 2025, at 5:00 p.m.

Adjourn: Motion to adjourn by Jerry Tarolli and seconded by Ed Urban.