TOWN OF CLINTON SHADE TREE COMMISSION MINUTES

September 20, 2021 at 7:30 PM via Zoom

John Kashwick, Chair Ross Traphagen, Council Liaison Dan Shea Pat Daley

Meet was called to order at 7:35 PM.

A motion to approve the minutes from August 19, 2021 was made by Dan and seconded by Pat. Motion carried unanimously.

As discussed last month, Ross brought up our desire for funding for the planting of at least four trees with the governing. We were told that because of budget constraints that planting trees was not a priority. The Commission is asking for a meeting with the Mayor to discuss and to maintain our accreditation we need to fulfill our goals which includes planting of trees.

John mentioned that the Environmental Commission gave its concerns about the Moebus Tract development. Ross mentioned that the landscape plan has not been finalized so we are not sure what species of trees are intended to be planted yet on the site.

The newsletter should be out by early October. Our story included content about five different insects species that can be harmful to trees and what to do about them.

We are getting close to achieving our CEUs for 2021. We need three more credits.

Next meeting is on Thursday, October 21 at 7:30 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 7:58 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

John Kashwick