

May 20, 2025

Urban Forest Committee Meeting Minutes

1. Tree Planting and Special Events:
 - Career Fari at Truro Middle School
 - Harmony Heights Tree Planting
 - Scott attended a meeting with Mayor Hinton and grade 4 students in Council chambers. He handed out seedlings to the students.
 - Seedling giveaway at farmers Market for Saturday from 8am-1pm (outside under the market canopy)
 - Tree Planting on Young and Prince
2. Tree Inventory and Master Plan
 - Thirty trees planted so far at Victory Park by Scott's
 - Tree removed from McClures Mills Rd and new trees to be planted
 - All newly planted trees to be entered in ArcGis
 - Master plan – 5-year goal
3. Current Development Proposals
 - 201 Kaulback Street- tree protection zone on that site. Scott sent recommendations to the contractor.
 - Apartment complex and privacy concerns. Scott to follow up with contractor.
4. SS Hazard Tree and DED Contract
 - Contract finished- Scott has been collecting information for next season.
 - Insects & disease- HWA info session went very well with positive feedback and little pushback. HWA treatment begins June 4th.
5. Public Relations
 - CN Grant - \$40,000 tree planting planned
6. Other Business:
 - No answer yet for treating HWA on private property
 - Canopy rebate program rolled out- only using trees off the list – not public yet.

Meeting adjourned at 2:56pm

Respectfully submitted, Stephanie Milbury, Admin Assistant PRC

