

## The Ocean City Shade Tree Committee Minutes

Wednesday June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2014

Meeting@ 9:00 AM, Knight Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor

115 East 12<sup>th</sup> Street

Ocean City, NJ 08226

**Call to order & roll call:** 9:00 AM

**Attendance:** Joe Clark, Mary Louise Hayes, Mike Lehman, Rick Mendham, Steve Longo, Peter Probasco, Sandy Simpson & Steve Wajda

**Absent:** none

**Quorum:** yes

**Visitors:** none

**Open Public Meeting Act Announcement:** pursuant to Public Law 1975, Chapter 231

May minutes were approved with correction: 115 East 12<sup>th</sup> Street and the Open Public Meeting Act pursuant to Public Law 1975, Chapter 231

### Old Business:

1. Trees at 9<sup>th</sup> Street & West Avenue were removed to be replaced in the fall.
2. Dog park project to be scheduled with Huber Landscape within the next few weeks for installation of planters.
3. At Gardens Parkway, black pines need to be trimmed back, in order to plant some additional Crape Myrtles. North sector more plant able immediately.
4. Will contact OCCA regarding partnering on planting of Crape Myrtles on Roosevelt Blvd. Joe Clark will reach out to Robert Barr, Community Association President about setting up a meeting to meet on this proposed project
5. Bamboo Ordinance in process, committee will contact City attorney to review, and then submit to City Council for the required readings and approval. Will have additional meeting on July 16<sup>th</sup>, 2014 regarding Bamboo Ordinance.
6. Will be contacting Mark Demetrof for landscape workshop to be scheduled in fall at library, for commercial landscapers and public.
7. Will be contacting John Loeper regarding removal of trees at U. S. Life Saving Station site at 4<sup>th</sup> Street.
8. KB industry is company for artificial mulch ([www.KBIUS.com](http://www.KBIUS.com))

### New Business:

1. Cape Bank with complaint of tree roots upending sidewalk. Committee will site review and contact Joe with their input.
2. 6 plans reviewed for tree compliance.

**Adjournment:** 10:15 AM. The next Regular Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014.

**Minutes:** Mary Louise Hayes, Secretary