

TOWNSHIP OF LAWRENCE

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MINUTES

Lawrence Township Shade Tree Advisory Committee

September 29, 2009

Members Present: Carmine Di Sanzo, Alvin Geser, Edward Sproles, Councilman Michael Powers, Rosemarie Clark and Henry Hoffman.

Members Absent: Doris Weisberg

Others Present: Andrew Link, Staff Liaison

Chairman Di Sanzo convened the meeting at 7:30 PM.

- The July minutes were approved as amended.
- Rosemarie Clark will see if she can find a source for a tree give-away for Community Day.
- Councilman Powers suggested that the entry forms include an opportunity for people to be added to an e-mail list to receive agendas, minutes, etc. Chairman DiSanzo will take care of setting up the display. He noted that a handout on what the Committee does would be useful.
- The Committee was interested in creating a list of notable trees. Councilman Powers said the a "tree of the month" photo could be posted on the Committee's webpage.
- The Morris Hall/Villa Cvianney application was reviewed. The Committee noted that there was an effort to preserve existing trees and they wish to encourage the applicant to do more of the same.
- The Jackson Township tree ordinance was distributed for the Committee to review. It contains Court tested language about requiring payments for off-site tree planting where the trees cannot be accommodated on the site.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
J. Andrew Link
Principal Planner