

Montague Tree Advisory Committee

Minutes

Minutes from: 5/15/2017 **Place:** Millers Pub

Address: 25E Main St. Millers Falls Ma, 01349 **Time:** 6:30 - 8:00

Committee Attendees: Michael Marcotrigiano, David Detmold, David Harmon, Suzette Snow-Cobb, Roberta Potter, Leslie Brown, Walker Korby, Zhaohong Wen

Committee not present:, Julie Kumble

Community present: Mark Stevens (Tree Warden), Steve Ellis (Town Administrator) Sean Mahoney

6:35-Chair opens meeting-

6:37- Minutes- Reading and Approval for 5/15/17

6:40- Wood bank in Montague discussion, with Sean Mahoney: Some members are interested in pursuing this. A volunteer group (David Detmold and Roberta Potter) will work with Sean to flush out a proposal, which may or may not be adopted by tree committee, but may become it's own group.

Tree Planting Project in Millers Falls

6:55- Open Meeting law review from Steve Ellis

7:05 - Draft of Tree Committee Charter for shared for review, not discussed

7:30 -Arbor Day-reflection on events

High School -16 students and a write up in the Reporter

Michaels talk- Low attendance but video taped

Music- Good crowd

Community Meeting in Millers - Led to- Millers Falls Tree Planting

Millers Tree Planting - 2 Trees planted

7:45 Communication with town hall re: construction projects that affect trees - Mark spoke to about their involvement in the underground work done at at Peskieumptuk park this month

7:55 Next meeting June 26th , no meeting in July, David Detmold will be away in August, committee will need to pick a chair for that meeting.