

City Of Belle Isle
Minutes of the Monthly Meeting of the Tree advisory Board
March 14, 2022
6:30 PM

Location of Meeting:

Belle Isle City Hall
1600 Nela Ave
Belle Isle, Florida 32809

Present at Meeting: Richard Weinsier

Christopher Stalder
Douglas DeYoung
Darcy Fritz
Hannah Wooten

Absent from Meeting: Emily DeLozier

George Travis

The regular meeting of the Tree advisory Board of City Of Belle Isle was called to order at 6:36 PM on March 14, 2022 at Belle Isle City Hall by Richard Weinsier.

I. Approval of Agenda

The agenda for the meeting was distributed and unanimously approved.

II. Review of Previous Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed and unanimously approved.

III. Consideration of Open Issues

1. Arbor Day Event

Richard Weinsier

The board discussed the upcoming event on April 30th. The tree board will have a table . Doug has acquired 50 Maple and 50 Red Bud seedlings and will develop a flyer to hand out describing how to plant. The waste recycling program will also have a table and raffling off a rolling waste can. Richard informed the board that JJ 's waste recycling will have a truck at the event. Chris Stalder will have a table with bees and snakes as a exhibit Energy Technology will have a table discussing solar technology.

Chris Stalder has offered to contact The Pet Alliance

Back to Nature

The Bat Lady

Animal Rescue

Doug has contacted Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission whom has declined to attend

Duke energy -Attending

Orange county Mosquito Control - attending

Orange County Extension - Attending and bringing mobil lab as well as offering 2 speakers

OUC is attending

Pine Castle Historic Society attending

Other possible attendees are Belle Isle Navigation board along with the Belle Isle boat, Orange county Fire rescue will be attending with their truck .and .

Chris is confirmed Swamp Girl as a attendee and also speaker.

Richard has offered to develop a flyer for the event we can submit to potential attendees and as a promotional piece.

Board also discussed having a balloon person and also a face painting booth for the kids. We also entertained a caricature painter and a silhouette maker.

The board will also aquire pollinator plants to give out.

Chris Stalder motioned for a \$1000 budget and Hannah Wooten second.

2. Pollinator Garden.

Douglas DeYoung

In lue of landscaping the exterior of the present building , the committee wants to entertain planting a pollinator garden in the grassy park by the clock at city hall .

The committee will shelve the discussion until the city manager can attended a meeting.

3. Prior Meeting Minutes

Richard Weinsier

The board had to approve the minutes of the January 10th meeting. The board meeting in February did not have Quorum .

Darcy Fritz motioned to approve and Chris Stalder seconded

IV. Consideration of New Business

1. Tree Removal Permits

Richard Weinsier

Jeff Rhoades attended the meeting to discuss his tree removal permit application. Jeff has purchased a lot at 3135 Indian Dr. He intends to remove 13 existing trees to build a new lot. Site has been reviewed by a landscape architect. To satisfy the ordinance, Jeff will need to install 24 trees . The board discussed with Jeff the that a certain number of trees will need to be replaced and the remaining tree count can be monetarily paid into the Belle Isle tree bank. The board will discuss with the city manager and get back with Jeff.

2. George Travis

Richard Weinsier

The board discussed the continued unexcused absence of George at the meetings . The board will discuss at next meeting the options with George. The need to have a attending board chair is important . Board will discuss removing George as board chair and reinstating him as a board member. The board will then elct a new chair.

Emily DeLozier was excused from the meeting due to her request to miis this meeting because of the birth of her child.

Hannah Wooten motioned to excuse Emily and Chris Stalder second

V. Agenda and Time of Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held at 6:30 PM on April 11, 2022 at:

Belle Isle City Hall

1600 Nela Ave

Belle Isle, Florida 32809

The agenda for the next meeting is as follows:

Pollinator Garden with Bob presence

Spring Fling

George Travis as Chair

Jeff Rhoades tree permit

The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 PM by Richard Weinsier.

Minutes submitted by: Douglas Deyoung

Minutes approved by: The Tre Board