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Minutes of the Grosse Pointe Woods Tree Commission Meeting December 3, 2025.

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The meeting was called to order by Chairman Lechner at 7:24 p.m.

The following members were present:
Kate Colborn
Maria Galbo
Laura Gaskin
Gary Lechner
Paul Lechner
Mary Ellen Meyering

T he following members were excused:
Tim Madigan
Randy Rennpage

The following members were absent:
Steve Skorupski

The following were also in attendance:
Michael Koester, Council Representative

Motion by Galbo, seconded by Gaskin to approve the agenda for the meeting December 3, 2025 passed by the following vote.
Yes: 6 No: 0 Excused: 2

Motion by Gaskin, seconded by G. Lechner to approve the minutes for the meeting on November 5, 2025 passed by the following vote.
Yes: 6 No: 0 Excused: 2

Treasurer's Report:
There was no treasurer's report.

Old Business:

A. Kate Colborn will chair the Memorial Tree Dedication ceremony event. P. Lechner suggested that we include a photo of the tree with the certificate presented for each tree.

New Business:

A. There are no candidates for membership on the commission at the present time.

B. P Lechner, Rennpage and Meyering will continue with their current positions in the new year. The Vice Chair position will be left vacant.
C. The slogan for the Poster Contest will be "Healthy Trees, Healthy People, Healthy Woods."
D. A motion was made by Gaskin to suspend the January meeting, and seconded by Colborn. The motion passed by the following vote:
E. Yes: 6 No: 0 Excused: 2

Council representative Michael Koester provided an update of current city business.

Motion to adjourn at 8:20 PM moved by Gaskin, and seconded by Colborn, was unanimous.

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