



## **CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE TREE BOARD**

**City Hall - Council Chambers | 160 Sixth Avenue E. | Hendersonville, NC 28792  
Tuesday, October 17, 2023 – 2:00 PM**

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### **MINUTES**

**MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: MAC BRACKETT, JANET THEW, BECCA DOLL, WILLIAM COFFEE,  
DEBBIE ROUUNDTREE, MARY DAVIS**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

**2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

A. Tree Board Minutes October 17, 2023

**4. OLD BUSINESS**

A. NeighborWoods Update

All NeighborWoods Projects are on hold until drought ends. May be moved to spring if necessary.

The invasives species giveaway was discussed.

Discussion with GreenWorks should commence for next year's order.

B. Tree Board Ordinance Revision Committee Update – Glenn Lange

C. Tree Canopy Study

Completed. Be reviewed by staff. Copy to be sent to Tree Board Members

**5. OTHER BUSINESS**

A. Staff Comments

Change dates of November and December meeting to the prior Tuesday at the Operations Center.

Motion to approve by Glen Lange

Second by Janet Thew

B. Utility Update – N/A

## 6. NEW BUSINESS

### A. Public Relations Update - Mary Jo Padgett

REPORT TO: Hendersonville Tree Board

FROM: Mary Jo Padgett, PR Consultant

RE: Publicity Report for Oct. Board meeting

DATE: Oct. 17, 2023

#### Publicity/ events since last board meeting --

*Updated Tree Board brochure* -- I have copies of the new version with me. If you need brochures at any time, contact me. I always have copies.

*PR about NeighborWoods planting and Mac's Retirement* – A news release announcing the distribution of the fall NeighborWoods trees in October and the planting of the 62 trees in honor of retiring TB Chair Mac Brackett was sent to media. Tree Board members received a copy of that news release via email when it was released.

*PR on Nov. 5 Walkabout* – This event is in the works and PR will be sent out this week to media.

#### Upcoming Calendar of Events --

### HENDERSONVILLE TREE BOARD CALENDAR 2023

*Mid-Aug.-Oct. 20 – Symbolic Monarch Migration.* Bee City USA-Hendersonville invites local classrooms, youth organizations, and individual students to join this international program.

*October 1-14 – NeighborWoods planting projects.* 9th Avenue West homeowners, Henderson Village, Blue Ridge Villas, Park Place, Druid Hills neighborhood. A total of 62 trees, including dogwoods, redbuds, sweetbay and

saucer magnolias, serviceberry, crabapple, and red oak will be planted at those locations. The trees will be planted in honor of TB Chair Mac Brackett who is retiring later this year.

*Sunday, November 5 – Greenspace Enhancement Projects Walkabout. 2-3:30 p.m. Mark Stierwalt will lead an exploration stroll of about two miles along the projected Oklawaha Greenway extension into a greenspace area being developed as a future park. Already graced with two ponds teeming with wildlife, healthy trees, and pollinator-friendly meadows, the future greenspace will be introduced. Open to the public at no charge.*

B. Conditional Zoning Districts - The Highland (formerly "Lakewood Apartments")

Motion to approve by Glen Lange

Second by Becca Doll

C. Generation H - Comprehensive Plan Mapping Exercise

7. **ADJOURNMENT**

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