## CITY OF SHEBOYGAN RESOLUTION 97-25-26

## BY ALDERPERSONS DEKKER AND RUST.

## **SEPTEMBER 22, 2025.**

A RESOLUTION authorizing the Purchasing Agent to issue purchase orders for the purchase of street trees for the 2026 Street Tree Planting Program for the City of Sheboygan.

WHEREAS, the scourge of the Emerald Ash Borer has resulted in the loss of many mature trees throughout The City of Sheboygan. Each year the City's Parks and Forestry division includes funding in their budget for the replacement of lost trees; and

WHEREAS, the City Forester compiled a list of desired trees by species and quantity which was incorporated into a Request for Bids # 2082-25 and issued to various nurseries for consideration; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sheboygan received a total of four (4) bids, with each nursery listing the various species available by quantity and price; and

WHEREAS, City staff has reviewed the bids and formulated a recommendation for award based upon species availability, adherence to specifications, and cost in conjunction with the overall street tree plan; and

WHEREAS, \$22,042 of the overall cost will be eligible for reimbursement through a grant from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources and the Federal Governments Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) grant program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the purchasing agent is authorized to issue purchase orders as follows:

Schichtels Nursery, Springville, NY	516 Trees	\$ 53,164.00
Chestnut Ridge Nursery, Orchard Park, NY	94 Trees	\$ 10,866.00
Leaves Inspired Nursery, Chilton, WI	55 Trees	\$ 6,380.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Finance Director is hereby authorized and directed to draw funds from Account No. 101695-540210 (General Fund – Forestry - Operating Supplies) for the purchase.

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Presiding Officer	Attest
Ryan Sorenson, Mayor, City of Sheboygan	Meredith DeBruin, City Clerk, City of Sheboygan