

**TREE COMMISSION MEETING  
MINUTES  
MAY 1, 2006**



MEMBERS PRESENT: Pat Sagala, Mary Ann Johnson, Bob Johnson, Nicole Clyne, Pat Williams, Priscilla Rulison

MEMBERS ABSENT: Pam Schindlbeck

OTHERS PRESENT: Jack Garber, Staff Liaison

Pat Sagala called meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

OLD BUSINESS

*Tree Removal:* Trees marked for removal or to be trimmed has been completed for the spring. Next tree cutting or trimming will be this fall.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

None

NEW BUSINESS

*Tree Planting 2006:* Will not start this project till June. Advertisement will be placed in the News Advocate for bids in mid May. Trees will be approximately 5' - 6' tall and 2½ diameter. Cost to residents will be \$ 25.00 per tree. We need to stress the need to water trees to customers.

A tree will be planted in Bob Davis's name for his years of service to the Tree Commission. Tree will be planted at the City Garage and have the newspaper on hand for picture.

Pat Williams would like to see a Blue Spruce planted at the Manistee Armory to honor the Bravo Company. Pat will check with the armory to see if they would be interested in this.

*Chalk Art Contest* will be held on Friday, June 30, 2006 at the fountain (Pine & River Street). Registration will be at 4:30 p.m. and contest begin at 5:00 p.m. Age groups will consist of 5 - 6, 7 - 8 and 9 - 11. This year we will not have judges, we will draw names for prizes. Interested members are encouraged to help with the contest.

There being no further business, **Motion** by Mary Ann Johnson, **seconded** by Bob Johnson that we adjourn. All in favor.

Next meeting will be Monday, June 5, 2006 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jack Garber". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Jack Garber  
DPW Supervisor

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