

Greenscape Commission Meeting
November 15, 2010, 6:00pm
Hornet Park Community Center, Room D

Members present: Dave Miller and Beth Berg.

Dave Miller and Beth Berg reviewed the expenditure report prepared by Brad Meriwether and used the information to complete the online application for recertification as a Tree City.

Berg has arranged with Brad Meriwether to look at the TreeAid software received from the Indiana Urban Forest Council on his city computer. This inventory software is free, but requires a PC with Microsoft Access installed.

Two street trees were lost due to damage from the windstorm in October; an otherwise healthy Bradford Pear on South 9th Avenue and a Silver Maple on Britton Drive that was on the Priority Removal/Maintenance List. City crews did a great job with quickly attending to those trees and the many limbs down in the streets and Sarah Bolton Park.

Berg shared that parks Board Member Tim Lentz has offered to donate funds to plant a Beech Tree in Sarah Bolton Park next spring. We will need to find a good source for purchasing the tree.

There will be no Greenscape meeting in the month of December, as it would fall during the week of Christmas. Miller will notify the commission members not in attendance.

Berg will contact Nancy Roberts about canceling the December meeting and also reserving rooms at the Community Center for 2011 meetings.

The next meeting of the commission will be Tuesday, January 18, 6:00pm at the Hornet Park Community Center. This meeting is moved from Monday, which is Martin Luther King Day.

Respectfully submitted,
Beth Berg, Greenscape Commission Secretary