

North Plainfield Shade Tree Advisory Board Minutes – March 8, 2021

1. Compliance statement read.
2. Roll Call: Bill, Frank, Thalia.
3. Next meeting: To be announced.
4. Reading/passing minutes of December 14, 2020.
5. 2020 plantings in last week of December. Sugars were planted on Watchung Avenue. Gingkoes were planted on Greenbrook Road and residents were ecstatic as seen on Facebook and reported in person.
6. Start looking for open space for 2021 plantings.
7. January 22, 2021 the 2020 Annual Accomplishment Report was received and acknowledged by the State. Big kudos to Stephanie Sherwood.
8. Distribution of 2021 calendar meeting dates.
9. Check out Fairview and Grandview lindens (planted in 2008) from Watchung to Westervelt trees were shorn and killed. New curbs – so PSE&G? Water company?
10. Discussion of adopted park.
11. The Shade Tree Volume 93 November – December 2020 issue 11 and 12 is an OK read and informative regarding trees and education.
12. The Shade Tree Volume 94 January - February 2021 issue 1 and 2 has two good reads 1. Lantern Fly 2. Best time to plant trees
13. Star Ledger 2 March 2021 regarding West New York, NJ has established bamboo regulations.
14. Sierra March/April 2021 American Chestnut article regarding handouts.

No Old News.

No New News.

Meeting Adjourned 5:40 p.m., 1) Frank and 2) Bill.

