

North Plainfield Shade Tree Advisory Board

Minutes June 13, 2016

1. Compliance
2. Roll call: Frank, Rick, Thalia and Bart
3. Next meeting: July 11, 2016, 5PM, Borough Hall
4. Reading/passing minutes May 9, 2016
5. Japanese Knotweed X- May 20, 2016, 6:30-8:30 AM, Frank, Thalia and Bart-good progress-report emailed to Union County on May 22 2016.
6. Street fair- i.e. 196 tublings, Eastern White Pine-received June 8, 2016 and June 9, 2016, donated to Union County Parks and Recreation- BIOBLITZ.
7. The Shade Tree- Volume 89 May-June 2016- good read regarding tree roots.
8. NY Times- Timothy Egan, May 27, 2016, "A Walk in the Dead Woods."
9. Trees removed since May 9, 2016, meeting: 125 Belmont Avenue, 156 Harding Avenue, 125 Lawrence Avenue – woods, 510 Mountain Avenue, 131, 135 Rockview Avenue, 166 Sanford Avenue, 749 Taft Avenue, 82 Willow Avenue, and 370 Windsor Avenue.
10. May 10, 2016, DPW calls STAB re. 175 Sycamore Avenue.
11. May 27, 2016, saga of <sup>166</sup>Sanford Avenue begins.
12. May 31, 2016, message to DPW re. 11 Stone Street
13. June 9, 2016, STAB letter to Rodino, et.al.
14. Ordinance work- tabled.

Old business: none

New business: Visit from Mr. Jim Maloney, 131 Rockview Avenue

Adjourned at 5:34 PM, 1) Frank and 2) Rick.

Bart Thomas 7/11/2016

Bart Thomas, STAB Secretary

