

CITY OF SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS **TREE COMMISSION**

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TREE COMMISSION MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 2022, AT 6:00 P.M. VIA ZOOM

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the City of Salem Tree Commission will be held on Tuesday, April 19, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. via remote participation in accordance with Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2021, and as amended by Chapter 22 of the Acts of 2022.

Every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings in real time, via technological means. In the event that we are unable to do so on matters not requiring a public hearing, we will post on the City of Salem's website an audio or video recording, transcript, or other comprehensive record of proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting.

Individuals may participate remotely in the meeting via a remote participation platform called Zoom. Members of the public and/or parties with a right and/or requirement to attend this meeting may access the remote participation meeting through any one of the following ways:

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TREE COMMISSION AGENDA April 19, 2022

1. Roll Call

Joshua Arenstam Paul L'Heureux Kirt Rieder Naomi Cottrell Rachel McCarter David Rowand Curtis Dragon Darleen Melis Susan Yochelson

- 2. Tree Warden's Report
- 3. Greening of the Gateway Cities
 - Barbara Warren, Salem Sound Coastwatch community outreach
 - DCR Forester David Bresnahan
- 4. Tree trunks and root flares TC website: "Healing A Sick Tree with Tyson Woods" A recorded lecture. <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s-hYi8a71D4</u>
- 5. Boston Street, Transportation Infrastructure Project (TIP) discussion
- 6. American Rescue Plan Update on Rep. Tucker's \$200,000 to "plant trees and improve Salem's tree canopy" project process vernal ponds and wild areas
- 7. Salem Common Landscape architect first steps
- 8. *The Blue Trees Installation* at PEM Tree Commission information table Essex Mall
- 9. Salem Tree Donation Fund Using the two tree funds requests to plant in parks, planting in the Salvo Multi Path
- 10. Tree Manual Review previous revisions and new section, "Promotion of Community Tree Planting"
- 11. Approve Tree Commission Minutes of February 22, 2022, and March 21, 2022
- 12. New Business
- 13. Next Meeting Dates: Monday, May 16, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. and Tuesday, June 21, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. via Zoom
- 14. Adjournment

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