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TREE COMMISSION MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA **Monday, July 20, 2020 at 7:00 P.M. VIA ZOOM**

NOTICE: Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and the Governor's March 15, 2020 Order imposing strict limitation on the number of people that may gather in one place, this meeting of the **City of Salem Tree Commission** will be conducted via remote participation to the greatest extent possible.

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TREE COMMISSION AGENDA

1. Roll Call

Joshua Arenstam	Naomi Cottrell	Curtis Dragon
Paul L'Heureux	Rachel McCarter	Darleen Melis
Kirt Rieder	David Rowand	Susan Yochelson
2. Tree Warden's Report
3. DCR Urban and Community Challenge Grant – Survey
4. Remarks from the Public
5. Approve Tree Commission Minutes of June 15, 2020
6. Salem Tree Fund – Selection of Century Tree sites for September 2020 plantings
7. Tags for Century Trees
8. Consent Form for Century Trees
9. Tree Replacement Funds – how to use \$13,500 fund balance
10. New Business
11. Next Meeting Dates: Monday, August 17, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. via ZOOM and Monday, September 21, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. via ZOOM
12. Adjournment

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