

**HEBER CITY TREE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
MONDAY MARCH 18,2024
4-5 PM
HEBER CITY HALL DOWNSTAIRS CONFERENCE ROOM**

CALL TO ORDER: 3:59 PM

ROLL CALL: Melanie Funk, Tom Reed, Wesley Crump, Mark Rounds, Brandon Puett, Mark Smedley

ABSENT: Jared Wright (Excused) Billy Tiedemann and Christian Katris

GUEST: PJ Abraham

OLD BUSINESS:

**Arbor Day: Arbor Day will be held on Friday May 17, 2024 1:00 PM
At the Daniels Canyon Elementary School
688 E. Wheeler Rd. Heber**

**Wholesale Nursery is donating 4 spruce trees, and delivering and placing them. The children will fill in the dirt and mulch the trees.
We are doing 5th grade classes only. A poster contest made by children will be judged and the winning person will be given a free tree to plant at home.
Tree education will be done by PJ Abraham.**

Melanie will do the press release and will be in contact with David McNaughtan the school principal.

MAIN STREET TREES: PROJECT IS ON HOLD WAITING FOR UDOT AND THE BYPASS PLANS TO BE APPROVED WITH A DATE.

LARGE BLUE SPRUCE FOR THE MAIN PARK: SUGGESTED TO BE PLACED BY THE FLAG POLE. MARK AND THE COMMITTEE ARE ON GO WITH THIS SUGGESTION. CALLING IT THE HEBER COMMUNITY TREE

CAN A PRIVATE RESIDENTS TREE BE DEEMED A NUISANCE: THE TREE WOULD HAVE TO BE DEAD AND POSING A THREAT OF FALLING ONTO A PUBLIC AREA. CITY ONLY RESPONSIBLE FOR TREE IMPOSING ON PUBLIC SPACES.

USING THE TREE PUCHASE GRANT FOR THE ARBORETUM. STILL PUSHING FOR IT TO BE AT MUIRFIELD PARK. SOIL SAMPLES TO BE CONDUCTED TO SEE WHAT WE CAN PLANT IN THE PURPOSED AREA. WESLEY AND MARK ROUNDS ARE WORKING ON THIS. TONY KOEHLER IS STILL HOPING FOR TREES THAT WE HAD ALREADY ALLOCATED FROM THE GRANT TO BE PLACED IN DESIGNATED PARKS.

NEW BUSINESS:

**ARTICLE FOR THE WAVE: RESIDENTS RESPONSIBILITY ON PRIVATE TREES.
MELANIE WILL PREPARE**

**PRESS RELEASE FOR THE COMMUNITY AWARD THAT WAS RECENTLY
AWARDED FROM THE UTAH FORESTRY DIVISION TO HEBER CITY**

ARBOR DAY PRESS RELEASE

NEXT MEETING WILL BE MONDAY APRIL 15, 2024

Meeting Adjourned 5:00 PM

Attested:

Melanie Funk 4/12/24

**Melanie Funk Date
Tree Advisory Chairperson**

Robin Raines Bond

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Deputy Recorder**

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