

Buena Vista Tree Advisory Board

May 5, 2022

Special Linch meeting at Sorrele Deli In attendance were: Tom Liverman, Roy Gertson , Kathy Hoerlein, Dan Murray, Mercedes Siegal-Gaither (CSFS) , Shawn Williams Public Works Director, Scott Craigle & Dave Ludders from Bristlecone Tree Services. Having a quorum of 4 members, a regular meeting continued at 12:32

Agenda approved by Chairman as presented

Minutes ; from April 7 , 2022 meeting , a motion to approve by Tom and 2nd by Dan. Motion carried.

Volunteer time ; 2 hrs. Admin

6 hrs adopt tree scoping

2022 Total to date = 32 hrs.

Annual work plan not reviewed

Special Meeting for Adopt a tree

Agenda Items :

1. Adopt tree applications of 26 dating back to 2019 are being considered. Plan to scope applications to determine trees sites and species, at 1st meeting in May. Sarah called & visited site applications. She developed valuable notes from each site.

Site visits today to determine suitable sites.

A public relations flyer was prepared describing our Arbor Day and benefits of our Urban Forest. Volunteers for planting will be welcome. Flyer will be posted on the My-BV web site and with Chaffee County Times.

2. Tree order was delivered April 28 from Little Valley Wholesale Nursery.

5- Spring Snow crabapple

4- Radiant Crabapple

4- Royal Raindrops Crabapple

4- Canada Red Crabapple

1- Plains Cottonwood Jeronimus

1- Lanceleaf Cottonwood

1- Autumn Blaze Maple

1- David Elm

1- Sensation Box Elder

total 22 trees

Cost \$6705 + freight of \$ 1005.75 = \$7710.75

Plan is to perform plantings on Arbor day May 18th & 19th. Public Works will dig holes prior and provide approximately 7 staff.

Other Business; 1. Kathy will set -up the Library with our tree information display, From May 11 th to May 21st

2. Shawn suggested we ask for more adopt tree budget in 2023

3. Discussed removal of large Cottonwood Tree on E. Main, causing sidewalk & curb damage. Bristlecone to remove , today. to be re-planted.

Final comments; none

Next Meeting; June 2, 2022 at 090 am

Adjourned at 1:05 with motion by Tom & 2nd by Dan. Proceeded to tour tree sites.

Respectfully submitted,

Roy Gertson

Secretary