

North Plainfield Shade Tree Advisory Board Minutes – September 12, 2022

1. Compliance statement read.
2. Roll Call: Bill, Frank, Thalia.
3. Next meeting: 17 October 2022 at 5:00 p.m. at Borough Hall.
4. Reading/passing minutes of 13 June 2022.
5. Review of Spring Dendrology Workshop 25 June 2022 at Duke Farms.
6. Fall Stewardship course 1 and 2 November at Duke Farms? No.
7. Autumn Dendrology Course 5 November at Duke Farms? No.
8. 97<sup>th</sup> Annual Shade Tree Federation Conference – 13 and 14 October in Cherry Hill? No. STAB's policy to date is that once accreditation is received all monies remaining in budget go to tree planting.
9. 28 July 2022 STAB correspondence to DPW – dead tree list submitted.
10. 6 September 2022 – Vermeule Nick Ciampa called Thalia to ask for an overview regarding the campus to identify dead and future plantings. Thalia volunteered to mark all of the dead trees.
11. Discussion of 2022 fall plantings – streets and species – Brook Avenue sugars.
12. Distribution of Lanternfly articles and cartoons:  
New York Times – 7 and 21 August 2022  
Star Ledger – 4, 8, 13, 18, 30 August 2022
13. The Shade Tree Volumes 95 and 96 – both good reads front to back for Bee's Oaks and Chestnuts.

Old News: None.

New News:

1. Property Maintenance Ken Capobianco asked STAB to review 116 and 118 Myrtle Avenue backyard tree.
2. 33 Mountain Avenue - Watchung Avenue side sugars damaged and removed.

Meeting Adjourned 5:40 p.m., 1)Frank and 2)Bill

