



Town of Brookfield

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Friday, April 29, 2005

**Town of Brookfield
Beautification Committee/Tree Board Minutes
April 20, 2005 at 5:00 pm**

Members Present: Kathy Wieczorek, Alan Upstrom, Chad Brown –Ex Officio, Art Gaffney and Carol Johnson.

1. Meeting was called to order at 5:05 P.M.
2. Meeting notice verifications were posted at all Town of Brookfield sites and agenda was approved.
3. Minutes of November 1, 2004 were approved by Alan Upstrom, seconded by Kathy.
4. Discussion and necessary action on summer maintenance. Alan reported new bed was weeded and mulched; 100% on Town Beds and Town hall area. Dead and brown pruned out.
5. Walkoe Memorial discussion moved to end of meeting
6. Discussion and necessary action on various plantings. We want to plant daffodils on the Bluemound medians and/or in the side beds. Set up RFP for July. Committee to plant (3-4 hours) September-October.
7. No action on Urban Forestry.
8. Invasive Species Control: Invasives are coming up now. Garlic mustard in Wray Park being controlled by staff. Purple Loosestrife in summer could be a Boy Scout project. Carol to check it out with Susan Lewis. Wild parsnip to be contracted out if we find it somewhere.
5. Bob Walkoe Memorial: At Town Hall. On west side of present retaining wall bed off Janacek Rd. Proposed Tree and large boulder with plaque attached. Very visible from Town Hall parking lot. A notice to be in Town Tidings for input of ideas and donations.
9. Town to get replacement cost for trees destroyed on Bluemound Road.
10. Next meeting Monday May 9, 2005 at 5 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 6:40PM.

Arthur Gaffney, Secretary