



# CITY OF FAIRVIEW PARK

20777 Lorain Road

Fairview Park, Ohio 44126-2018

- Established in 1910 -

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Eileen Ann Patton, Mayor

## SHADE TREE ADVISORY COMMITTEE (STAC) MINUTES

November 14, 2018

Meeting began at 6:03pm with the following members present: Mary Alice Mastrovito, Mike Varga, Doreen Papajcik, and Matt Misencik. Absent: Kate McCarty, Steve Baker, and Penn Berens.

### Old Business:

- MA has MVTrees signage for Bain Park - Examples of the drafts reviewed - Chestnut Foundation has created and paid for their own sign, as part of this.
- Discussion around creating a common gathering of the Garden Club, STAC and the Community Garden - next step?
- Total 2018 Volunteer hours for committee-128.5 hours: Start a new year of recording our hours
- Planting plan at W220 and Lorain - Matt and Mike will work together.

### New Business:

- Middle School and High School Courtyard Renovations-Matt developed an educational forest plan and submitted it to the Superintendent
- City news update: (Mike) - getting many requests to take down trees, especially after the big wind storm. Mike's team is working on fixing sidewalks and trimming roots in an effort to save the trees. Just hired two new workers who will work on tree maintenance.
  - a. Recommend young tree pruning by Bain Pavilion
  - b. Clifford will have trees come down and replaced
- STAC Volunteer Day Oct 20- Scout planted Silver Maple tree by basketball courts at Bain.
  - a. Need to open up these volunteer days to the community-there was enthusiasm by a mom and two young children who helped
  - b. Community Council -Penn attended and shared his observations
- 2019 Budget Recommendations. Mary Alice and Steve came up with recommendations;
  - a. Need plan for Campus Drive, North side- could be oaks or other beautiful specimens
- Facebook page ideas - all members, please add to our Facebook. Some ideas:
  - a. Trees to plant for fall color
  - b. Evergreen trees around town
  - c. Best all-around tree lawn trees
  - d. Snow and Ice protection for evergreens
  - e. Burlap wind breaker
- 2019 meetings will be second Thursday of each month in Dunson Room

### Future opportunities on the horizon:

Lorain and W220, Lorain to N Olmstead, and Nelson Russ

MVTrees 2019 - Visit all parks and school grounds to ID future MVTrees nominees.

City Newsletter: we can have input, per the Mayor - brainstorm what should be on this letter.

Mary Alice will ask Bridget when the next newsletter is due.

Community Council: Jan 16, April 17, July 17, Oct 16

Next meeting: Wednesday Dec 12, 2018 at 6pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
Doreen Dever Papajcik

Cc: Mayor Eileen Ann Patton  
All members of Council