

*“There is not a village in America, however badly planned at first, or ill-built afterwards, that may not be redeemed, in a great measure, by the aid of shade trees in the streets ... and it is never too late or too early to project improvements of this kind.”*  
Andrew Jackson Downing (1815-1852)

***AGENDA***  
**CITY OF PORTSMOUTH**  
**TREES AND PUBLIC GREENERY COMMITTEE**  
**8:00 AM – Wednesday, May 10, 2023**

1. Acceptance of Minutes of April 19, 2023 meeting. (attached)
2. Tree Removal Requests.
  - **441 Richards Ave**: (3) ash, homeowner request, removal recommended by City. All three trees at this address show signs of EAB infestation.
  - **179 Woodbury Ave**: (1) ash, City request, removal recommended by City. Tree is showing signs of EAB infestation.
  - **216 Woodbury Ave**: (1) planetree, City request, removal recommended by City. This tree will be removed as part of a sidewalk installation project. This tree has a significant lean and is planted under utility lines. A new tree will be planted as a replacement. (See attached documents) [**See attached cover letter and plan.**]
  - **449 Ocean Rd**: (1) ash, Eversource request, removal recommended by City. Tree is showing signs of EAB infestation.
  - **Ocean Rd and Patricia Dr**: (1) pine, Eversource request, removal recommended by City. There is a significant basal cavity.
3. Tree Planting for the City's 400<sup>th</sup>
4. Portsmouth's Original Parks- Discussion led by Dick Adams
5. Old Business
6. New Business

Site Walk-City cemetery between South Street and Brackett Road

Next Meeting Wednesday June 10, 2023

***IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING MEETING AT CITY HALL—SITE WALK TO CITY CEMETERY BETWEEN 280 SOUTH STREET AND 71 BRACKETT ROAD [ASSEMBLE IN SOUTH STREET IN FRONT OF 280 SOUTH]***

Respectfully Submitted,

Peter J. Loughlin, Chair

Attachments  
Meeting Packet  
April Minutes

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