

GRETNA TREE BOARD

MINUTES IF MEETING SEPTEMBER 13<sup>TH</sup> 2016

GRETNA LIBRARY

ATTENDING: JIM KEEPERS, MARTHA WHITE, DAVE KOVAR, SHARON KAUSS, MIKE KAUSS, RON SAWYER

MISSY RAGATZ

VISITOR: DOROTHY HOWS

CITY REPRESENTATIVE: GREG DAHLHEIM

CALL TO ORDER AT 7:07 PM

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF AUGUST 9, 2016 meeting. Date of September meeting corrected. No other.

TREE BARK PROTECTORS: 40 protectors for our use on newly planted trees purchased.

MULCH FOR GIVEAWAY: Earl May provides 150 bags, delivered at discount, to be billed next year.

RE TREE NEBRASKA MAIN GRANT FOR Fall planting, to work on areas where trees are removed in City.

DAVE KOVAR officially appointed to the Tree Board. Shelley Naber administrative assistant at City now.

TREE GIVEAWAY: 24<sup>th</sup> of September set to go, Middle School. Missy has prepared signs, posters and tree descriptions for advance advertising of giveaway. Be there at 9:00 AM.

EAB WORKSHOP: Like to do one in October or November, hopefully at the Middle School.

TREE TALK: March or April 2017. This will be the 12<sup>th</sup> annual talk. Hopefully at Thomas.

ARBOR DAY POSTER CONTEST 2017. Missy will supervise again, sometime in April 2017.

GREAT PLAINS WINTER CONFERENCE: JANUARY 24<sup>TH</sup> AND 25<sup>TH</sup> AT OMAHA RAMADA.

ADJOURN AT 7:45 PM

Respectfully submitted by Mike Kauss

Next meeting October 11, 2016