VERONA SHADE TREE COMMISSION

MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES FOR

September 14th, 2020

MEETING STARTED: <u>5:07pm</u>

MEETING ADJOURNED: <u>6:10pm</u>

MEMBERS PRESENT: Schwartz, Coppa, & Val Ryan **ALTERATIVES PRESENT:** n/a **COUNCIL LIASIAN:** n/a

PUBLIC PRESENT: n/a

APPROVING LAST MONTH'S MINUTES: August 10th, 2020 – approved

BUDGET:

- 2020 Capital \$25k
 - \circ 2019 = \$16k
- 2020 Maintenance Budget \$125k
 - 2019 Maintenance Budget = \$125,000 (same as last year)

CORRESPONDENCE: any?

TREE WORK:

DPW WORK ORDERS - n/a

MEMBERS LIST - n/a

PARKS & PUBLIC AREAS:

OLD & NEW BUSINESS:

Street Tree Inventory –

- RichView Consulting has completed the inventory on all of the town trees
 - Updated Tree Inventory submitted on 2/22/2020
 - Tree Inventory Completed (approximately 2,721 trees)
 - We are in the process of getting the Documentation approved by the State for the Grant Money

Community Forestry Management Plan –

- Our New Management Plan was Approved by the State on 7/30/2020
 - Valid from 2020 2024
 - Already updated on Verona's Accreditation Report with the State
- Documentation for Grant Money was approved by the State on August 14th, 2020

Training –

- Core Training:
 - October 22, 2020 VIRTUAL CONFERENCE this year
- CEU's 8 hrs required for year
 - Shade Tree Commission has 7 CEUs so far, and we need 1 CEU more by the of the year

NEXT MEETING DATE: TUESDAY, October 13th, 2020 @ 5:00 PM (Oct 12th – Columbus Day)