



TOWN HALL 238 Danbury Road Wilton, Connecticut 06897

## WILTON TREE COMMITTEE

## Wednesday, December 9, 2020 – 6:00 p.m. MEETING AGENDA Virtual Meeting via Zoom

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- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. APPROVAL OF NOVEMBER 18, 2020 MEETING MINUTES
- III. TREE WARDEN'S REPORT
- IV. ONGOING BUSINESS
  - 1. Status of planting the oak tree for Tree Wardens
  - 2. Status of buying one tree for Alton Johnson and one for 2020 Tree Steward
  - 3. Development of spreadsheet for tracking tree maintenance
- V. NEW BUSINESS
  - 1. Reports from subcommittees
  - 2. Discussion with Joshua Cole from BOS:
    - a. Redeveloping 'Right Tree Right Place' guidelines for public understanding under Climate Change conditions.
      - i. Not planting under power lines; near roadways, etc.
  - 3. Tree plantings in opened spaces (areas that have lost trees from storms) in our parks as volunteer planting days fast-growing, to stop invasives from moving in. Track survival with no maintenance/watering. Plant 100 trees/year. Funding: small donations and/or small grant(s).
    - a. Discuss connecting to Follow the Forest
    - b. New chestnut specialist bee discovery
  - 4. 2021 Meeting Schedule
  - 5. 2021 Election of Officers
- VI. TREE LEGISLATION & LAWS
- VII. COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLICITY
  - 1. Next newsletter Discuss draft article about donation program; develop list of upcoming articles and determine authors and schedule
  - 2. Discuss preparation of webinar links on trees during Covid-19
- VIII. ADJOURN