

**TREE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
CITY OF PIQUA, OHIO
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND, 2010 – 6:30 P.M.
UPPER FOUNTAIN PARK**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Melissa Randles, Regina Favorite, and Judy Terry

MEMBERS ABSENT: Don Ruffner, Melissa Reed

STAFF PRESENT: Bob Graeser

MEETING MINUTES

Judy Terry moved to approve the August 5th meeting minutes as amended and Regina Favorite seconded the motion.

ITEM NO 1. ASH TREE SURVEY

Bob Graeser reviewed the Emerald Ash Borer survey that was done last year. He revisited all the trees listed as “fair”, “poor”, and “very poor” conditions. He found very little difference in the condition of the trees between last year and this year.

ITEM NO 2. FALL TREE PLANTING

The fall tree planting this year is tentatively scheduled for October 16th or October 23rd. The goal is to replant 16 trees on the 1700 block of Nicklin with a different species of tree. Also, depending on the availability of volunteers, Mote Park, Candlewood, and maybe some various homeowners need trees. The total amount of trees for the October planting is around 36 trees. The broken off tree on 25A also needs to be replaced.

END OF MEETING

Judy Terry made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Regina Favorite seconded the motion.

After the meeting, the tree committee members walked through Upper Fountain Park identifying and noting the condition of trees.

The next meeting will be Thursday 7th of October in the Triangle Conference Room in the Municipal Government Complex.

Melissa Randles, Chairperson

Passed: _____

Attest: _____
Bob Graeser
Staff Secretary