

Huxley Tree Board Minutes – February 24, 2016

Called to order at 6 p.m. by Wilson.

Present: Betz, Cole, Messer, Wilson Absent: Spencer, Bakken (City Staff)

Minutes from the previous meeting were discussed, motion by Cole, second by Betz; all approved.

No public attendees or written comments from the public

Status of the North Entry sign project portion of the Visioning Project was discussed. Updated contacts and donations from businesses. We are soliciting bids from two more landscape firms. We expect to meet with the City Council to report on progress, probably March 22nd.

Cole had examined the tree in Centennial Park discussed at the last meeting and found it is dead. It will be removed by the City.

The next Huxley session of the Sustainable Urban Forestry Training by the Iowa DNR will be March 14th from 10 to 4:30. We are contacting other community members who might be interested in participating.

Volunteer Hours: Betz - 1, Cole - 1.5, Messer - 1.5, Wilson - 2

Next meeting will be March 14th, immediately following the Sustainable Urban Forestry Training (approximately 4:30 p.m.)

Motion by Messer, second by Cole; meeting was adjourned at 6:35 p.m.