

# NEW HOPE BOROUGH SHADE TREE COMMISSION

## AGENDA

May 19, 2021

**I. Approval of minutes from April 21st meeting**

**II. Review: Status of Action Steps/Old Business/Letter Tracking spreadsheet - Action steps in Bold**

**Old Business – items remain pending**

- Pending items:
  - A review of tree pits on Bridge Street between the river and canal confirmed that several pits are good candidates for porous pave material; will coordinate with Code Enforcement regarding sidewalk issues on 3 & 9 Bridge St. to potentially replace trees at the same time – awaiting Bridge Street Project to be rebid. **Sidewalk poured; railing next. One tree permanently removed (#92)**
  - Updates to *List of Approved Plants and Shade Trees* (June 2021).
  - Potential grant opportunities.

**New business:**

- **Applications:** 235 N. Main Removal; 49 W. Ferry Removal
- **Updated Tree Inventory**
- Long term plans for the STC:
  - Ideas for future plantings; bare root tree options; Bucks Beautiful / business partnering
  - Establish a long-range street tree replacement plan, incorporating prudent risk management techniques and trending conditions noted in tree inventory.
- Next meeting: June 16, 2021