

## Wethersfield Shade Tree Commission Meeting Minutes

For Monday August 10th, 2015 @7pm in the Employee Lounge, Lower Level, Town Hall

Committee Attendance: Joe Hicky, Phil Cashman, Mark Alpert, Dan Montano, Gavin Lamb, Donna Hemmann

### 1- New Business-

Request for removal of declining red maple at 284 Brimfield (along Folly Brook Blvd) at left side of driveway.

(approved)

Request for removal of declining sugar maple at 654 Highland Street (2nd tree left of driveway).

(approved)

### 2- Public comment-

Old Common Management – Resident was concerned about continued vegetation management of Old Common. The area will continue to be managed for control of invasive species.

Wethersfield Garden Club – Bud & Blossom group – Pat Pope & Pat Mulrain: Interest was expressed for planting a native oak tree in a prominent location. Possible locations include but are not limited to Solomon Welles House, Cove Warehouse area, and Town Hall. This planting is planned for fall 2015.

Concern was expressed for tree planting near the basketball court at Cedar Street Park.

Concern was expressed for hazards on private property that creates a high risk to town property. Donna Hemmann will follow up on this issue.

### 3- Adjournment-