

# Buena Vista Tree Advisory Board

## September 1, 2022

In attendance were: Tom Liverman, Dan Murray, Roy Gertson , Kathy Hoerlein, Sarah Kuhn, Shawn Williams Public Works Director, Allison Hopkins , (BV Parks) , Dave Ludders Bristlecone Trees Services). Having a quorum of 5 members, meeting continued at 0907

**Agenda** Ok by Consensus

**Minutes** ; from August 4 , 2022 meeting , Tom's motion to approve & 2nd by Dan ; members approved

**Volunteer time** ; 2 hrs. Admin

**2022 Total to date = 131 hrs.**

**Annual work plan** ,reviewed, ok on schedule

**Public Works report;**

1. S. Main Phase 2 needs tree spacing & species identified. Members suggested Narrow-leal Cottonwood, Linden & Autumn Blaze species. Further review is necessary.
2. The Boulders Subdivision is proceeding. 1 tree per lot, planted by developer. Species needs determined. Our next meeting to review plans.
- 3.. Shawn would like to scope E. Main St. Trees for a more concise evaluation. A 2023 project for extensive pruning and replanting was proposed.
- 4.. Allison has progressed with the GIS survey program including Parks Trees.
5. Preparing Tree Budget for 2023, requesting \$35K for removals & pruning.

**CSFS** : GOCO grant application was not completed, needing more time to prepare a project. Mercedes mentioned Tree mitigation project by CSFS approximately 10 miles north of Buena Vista.

**Business:** 1. Tree planting , PW is planting , today

1 -Spring Snow @ cemetery

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2- Ponderosa Pines @ Public works front area

1 Spring Snow is mulched and stored at Pw shop.

2. Pruning / removal scoping, Need to look at Forest Square. at today's tour. Have \$24K for project.

**Other Business;** none

**Final comments;** none

**Next Meeting;** October 6 , 2022 at 0900 am

Adjourned at 0945 and proceeded to pruning scoping

Respectfully submitted,

Roy Gertson

Secretary