

**BOROUGH OF WASHINGTON,
WARREN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY
SHADE TREE COMMISSION AGENDA**

May 14, 2012

Minutes: Regular Meeting – April 9, 2012

Communications:

1. Letter from BASF and \$600.00 donation towards the Shade Tree Commission's Arbor Day activity.

Old Business

1. Arbor Day- Review Arbor Day preparations including a Proclamation and public acknowledgement at Memorial School.
2. Replacement of (2) Koelreuteria paniculata (golden rain tree) in the downtown business district.

New Business:

1. Bartlett Tree Experts- Soil Management application to promote growth and vitality in the Golden Rain and Callery Pear var. Cleveland group. These downtown trees are located along West Washington Avenue between School Street and Lincoln Avenue.
2. Lower Park Avenue- 2 dead Maple Trees located near the connection to Route 31.
3. 32 Lambert Street – Homeowner (Marianne Van Deursen) reported a declining Pear Tree in the r.o.w. area of her property. The owners are willing to replace the tree at their own expense.
4. 2012 Budget – Approved by Council at the April 17th Meeting
5. 2012 Maintenance List – Update on Washington Borough's pending tree maintenance
6. 55 Carlton Avenue – Property owner (John Maguire) expressed concerns over sidewalk damaged along Carlton Avenue.
7. James Street- Concerned neighbor (Ron Schlader) submitted pictures of a large declining tree that needs maintenance.

