Tree Board Minutes of June 16, 2020 meeting via **Zoom.** 

Officers: Trudy Hebert, chair, Diane Theriot, vice chair, Monica Harris, secretary; Members: Melissa Hutchinson, Barton Joffrion, Mike Niette, Pat Gordon, Jason Serrano; Parish advisors: Linda Henderson, David Luke, and Chris Pulaski

Meeting was called to order at 11:35. Trudy Hebert, Monica Harris, Jason Serrano, Melissa Hutchinson, Mike Niette and Pat Gordon were present. Barton Joffrion and Diane Theriot were absent. Chris Pulaski, and Linda Henderson were present. **Quorum met.** 

**Motion to accept May minutes** as written, was made by Melissa Hutchinson, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Pat Gordon.

Financial report was not received but nothing has been spent since the last report.

## **Earmarked project updates:**

**East Tunnel Blvd** Trudy will submit DOTD plans to local nurseries for quotes.

**Courthouse Oaks**—Trudy will submit quotes for trimming because David is working with a reduced crew..

**Dularge overpass**—Monica suggested that river birch trees be added and Montezuma cypress used to avoid problems with knees.

Tree-mendous Trees. Mike will pick up sign from Oakshire.

**Announcements:** There is still one vacancy on the Board.

Chris reported that people have expressed interest in donating trees for the parish parks, especially the sports park. He will talk with landscape architects and see what types of trees should be installed. We will work on developing a flyer to promote the project and plaques to memorialize donors.

Next meeting will be July 21 at 11:30. We hope it will be at the TP Government Tower 1<sup>st</sup> floor conference room

Pat made a motion to adjourn, at 12:14, seconded by Monica. All voted in favor.

Monica Harris, secretary