

Tree Board Minutes December 18, 2024

Officers Pat Gordan, Chairman, Linda Brashier, Vice-Chair, Connie Bourg, Secretary, and members Barton Joffrion and Debra Ellender, parish advisors Chris Pulaski and BJ Schmill were present. Meeting was called to order at 11:30 am at the TPCG Planning and Zoning Office at 7836 W Park Ave, Houma, LA. Quorum was **MET**.

Minutes from last meeting, November 2024, were accepted by Linda and seconded by Barton.

Monthly finance report: **\$20, 847**. Accepted by Debra and seconded by Connie.

Announcements:

The Tree Board was awarded the Treesilence Grant for \$85,000.

Connie wanted to note that the trees from the Moss Park planting early this year were not being watered.

Old Business:

Tree Plaques (Jim Bowie Park)- BJ requested the PO from the purchasing dept. to order the tree plaques from Redmond's.


New Orleans Blvd Trees- Foret Contracting Group was awarded the lowest responsible bid at \$4,500

2025 Tree Giveaway- The giveaway is scheduled for Feb. 1st and will consist of 1 galloon trees and not seedlings.

Tree City USA- Terrebonne Parish was awarded as a Tree City for the first time since 2020. The Parish was regularly recognized from its construction of the Tree Board in 2006 up until 2021 when Hurricane Ida occurred.

The meeting was adjourned at **12:20 pm** by Barton and seconded by Connie.

Next meeting scheduled for **January 15, 2025**


Connie Bourg
Secretary, Terrebonne Parish Tree Board