Shade Tree/Environmental Commission Beachwood Municipal Complex 1600 Pinewald Road

April 15, 2019 – Minutes 7:00 PM

Call to Order and Flag Salute were led by Chairman Schmidt.

Opening Statement: Ladies and Gentlemen, pursuant to the applicable portions of the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, adequate notice of this meeting has been given. The schedule of this meeting of the Environmental/ Shade Tree Commission of the Borough of Beachwood is listed in the notice of meetings posted on the Bulletin Board located in the Municipal Complex Building and delivered to the Asbury Park Press on January 23, 2019.

ROLL CALL:

MEMBERS PRESENT: Maria Bird, Theresa Nielsen, Carl Schmidt

ALSO PRESENT: Councilman Zakar

MEMBERS EXCUSED: MEMBERS ABSENT:

RESOLUTION #2019 – 8 Approval of Minutes from March 18, 2019 meeting:

Motion:

Ms. Bird

Second:

Ms. Nielsen

Approve: All

Oppose:

Abstain:

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Community Garden

Members discussed changing the beds to make them higher. Mr. Schmidt reported that he contacted Mrs. Ding from Cub Scout Troop #70 regarding assistance with cleaning up the garden. Tentative date is set for Saturday, May 11th. We will offer to provide drinks and snacks. Mr. Schmidt will contact Ms. Minock regarding recognition of the troop by the Council.

2. 2019 New Jersey Tree Recovery Program

Mr. Schmidt reported that he will pick up the seedlings this Thursday and print out information sheets on the seedlings we are given. Flyers have been posted around town.

3. Composting presentation to the Girl Scouts

Mr. Schmidt and Ms. Bird reported that they have been unable to find buckets for composting however they found clear plastic shoe boxes with lids that could be a substitute. Members agreed that would be a great substitute.

NEW BUSINESS: NONE

OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AT 7:23 PM

Motion:

Ms. Bird

Second:

Mr. Schmidt

Approve: All

Oppose:

Abstain:

CLOSE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AT 7:24 PM

Motion:

Abstain:

Mr. Schmidt

Second:

Ms. Nielsen

Approve: All

Oppose:

ADJOURNED AT 7:25 PM

Prepared by: Theresa Nielsen

Theresa Nielsen, Secretary

Attested by: Carl Schmidt, Chairman