

**Shade Tree/Environmental Commission  
Beachwood Municipal Complex  
1600 Pinewald Road**

**February 22, 2022 – 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 7, 2022.

**ROLL CALL:**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Mariz Bird, Theresa Nielsen, Carl Schmidt

**ALSO PRESENT:**

**MEMBERS EXCUSED:**

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

**RESOLUTION #2022-6 Approval of January 18, 2021 Meeting Minutes**

Motion:	Ms. Bird	Second:	Ms. Nielsen
Approve:	All	Oppose:	
Abstain:			

**OLD BUSINESS:**

1. Community Garden  
Reviewed garden rules for the Zone Challenge. Ms. Nielsen, Mrs. Zakar and Councilman Zakar met with the organizer of the Zone challenges. Still waiting to hear back from him.  
  
Mr. Schmidt reported that no new applications have been submitted for this year's garden.  
  
Members reviewed letter to the Beachwood churches regarding providing a garden plot at no charge. Ms. Nielsen to send out letter.
2. Tree Seedling Giveaway  
Mr. Schmidt reported that application was submitted and waiting to hear on approval. Mayo Park has been reserved.
3. Girl Scout Recycle Program  
This is being postponed to the fall due to scheduling conflicts. Mr. Schmidt to check with Ocean County for new material, videos, etc.

**NEW BUSINESS: None.**

**OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AT 7:28 PM**

Motion:	Ms. Bird	Second:	Ms. Nielsen
Approve:	All	Oppose:	
Abstain:			

**CLOSE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AT 7:30 PM**

Motion:	Ms. Nielsen	Second:	Ms. Bird
Approve:	All	Oppose:	
Abstain:			

**ADJOURNED AT 7:32 PM**

Motion:	Ms. Bird	Second:	Ms. Nielsen
Approve:	All	Oppose:	
Abstain:			

Prepared by: Theresa Nielsen

  
Theresa Nielsen, Secretary

Attested by:   
Carl Schmidt, Chairman