



ACC Community Tree Council

ATHENS-CLARKE COUNTY COMMUNITY TREE COUNCIL AGENDA

MONDAY, April 11th, 2022 4:00 – 5:30 P.M.

Meeting Location: Meeting to be held online via WebEx and in person at the Landscape Management office on Lexington Road in Athens.

Call to Order, Introductions, and Welcome: **Jessie McClellan **4:00 - 4:05****

- Welcome everyone.
- Any visitors? Jason Gordon is visiting to present the i-Tree Study results

Housekeeping (Secretary): **Rodney Walters **4:05 - 4:10****

- **Roll Call Sign in** (3 minutes): Attending members written on attendance list
- **Action Item: Vote to approve March CTC meeting minutes:**
* ***“The council moves to approve the March 2022 CTC meeting minutes***
- CTC annual report is due to Mayor and Commission

Treasurer’s Report (Information – 5 minutes): **Pam Knox **4:10 - 4:15****

CTC Business (Executive & Steering Committees, Work Groups): **Jessie **4:15 - 5:00****

- Green Life Awards -- CTC present award?

CTC Executive Committee: **4:15- 4:30**

{**Jessie McClellan (president), Joe, Pam, Rodney**}

- Discussion Item: CTC should discuss how/where/when to meet for our future meetings.

CTC Steering Committee - (Exec committee + Committee Chairs): **4:30 - 4:35**

{**Jessie (president), Joe Pam, Rodney, Mary Attaway, Mary Songster, Edith Jackson**}

New Member Interview Work Group: **4:35 - 4:50**

{**Shawn (leader), Pam, Edith, Rodney**}

- Updates?
 - Need to discuss next steps.

CTC Trees for Tomorrow Work Group:

{Phil (leader), Mary Attaway, Joe P., Rodney, Pam, Shawn}

Grants & Fundraising Work Group:

{Edith, Mary Attaway, Patrick, Stacey}

Landmark & Champion Trees Work Group:

{Shawn (leader), Edith, Joe P, Lea, Phil, Rodney, Jessie, Patrick, Mary S.}

CTC Committee Reports (Information and Discussion):**Promotions Committee:**

{Mary Attaway (Chair), Joe P., Phil Hale, Jessie, Tori}:

Policy Committee:

{Mary Songster (Chair), Shawn, Lea Clark}:

1. Structure of CTC relationship with Athens Land trust for partnership with Young Urban Farmers Tree Bank
- 2. Letter to Mayor and Commission – **Action Item (motion & discussion):** motion that the CTC approve the letter to formally endorse the 2021 Athens-Clarke County Community Tree Study (iTree Eco) and recommends that the ACC Mayor and Commission officially accepts the ACC Community Tree Study (iTree Eco), Final Project Report (Mayor and Commission Version), and the associated ACC Community Tree Study, Executive Summary White Paper by Dr. Jason Gordon of the Warnell School of Forestry.

Education committee:

{Edith Jackson (chair), Stacey Farrell, Lea Clark, Seth Hawkins, Holly Campbell, Shawn Doonan}:

- Tree Walk
- Joining the Ripple Effects Film Festival at Cine´ (March 2023)
- Offering forest bathing to community

Parking Lot Items:

5:25 - 5:29

Community Tree Study results

Meeting Wrap Up:

5:29 - 5:30

