## Township of South Hackensack Shade Tree Commission April 21, 2016 7:30 p.m.

## AGENDA

- Meeting to Order Pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, adequate notice of this meeting was provided to The Record and The Herald News and by posting a copy of the meeting notice on the bulletin board in the clerk's office where notices are customarily posted.
- Flag Salute
- Roll Call

- Minutes March 17, 2016
  - **New Business** Letters were sent out on April 5 to permit holders for replanting. Copies are attached.
- Old Business

<u>NJ Tree Recovery Campaign 2016</u> – 50 seedlings ordered. Frank to picked up in Paramus on April 22, 2016 10am – 2pm. Tree distribution date: 4/25-29/2016 – Town Hall.

<u>**Tree Seedlings For Students**</u> – Pine seedlings are expected about 4/26/2016. DPW will assist in getting the trees ready for the school.

Board Discussion

<u>Tree Planting @ Memorial School:</u> Greg Maceri has agreed to replace the dead cherry tree by the bell at Memorial School. Their landscaper will take care of the details and bill the Shade Tree Commission. The tree will not be dedicated to a certain person but hold a ceremony and invite all to attend. (see Maceri'

## **Phillips Avenue – Knights Inn – Tree Replanting**

Ltr. dated 4/5/16 to Dan Suratwaza (Knights Inn) from Shade Tree Secretary regarding replanting of 6 dead/dying trees on Phillips Avenue. Summit Landscaping says he cannot get the trees. I called a nursery and said it is too late to plant these trees. Summit landscaping would like to replant Okame Tree. However, I don't think these trees have roots that grow down into the ground. The Nursery says that cherry trees normal push up the sidewalks. Commission to decide if replacement tree is acceptable.

- Public Comments
- Adjournment