

## CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS OFFICE OF STRATEGIC PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT KATJANA BALLANTYNE MAYOR

THOMAS GALLIGANI
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

## **Urban Forestry Committee Meeting Agenda**

Thursday, July 20th, 2023, 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Pursuant to Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2023, this meeting will be held remotely

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- 1. Introductions / Housekeeping
- 2. Resident Concerns
- 3. Updates from City
  - a. City Tree Removals
  - b. Private Tree Removal Permit(s) and Exception(s)
  - c. Spring Tree Planting
  - d. Somerville Pollinator Action Plan Advisory Committee updates
- 4. Urban Forestry Related Job Postings and RFPs
- 5. Quincy Street Open Space Draft Planting Plan
- 6. Species in City-owned Bump-outs
- 7. UFC structure: Co-chair and Bylaws
- 8. Ongoing Work Updates
  - a. Adopt-a-Tree Program
  - b. Outreach
  - c. Species Selection and Planting Protocol
  - d. Use of Pesticides at Maxwell's Green
  - e. Tree Preservation Ordinance
  - f. Somerville's Most Wanted Weeds
  - g. GLX Corridor Greening
- 9. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meetings
  - a. June 15th, 2023

## Adjourn

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