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Urban Forestry Committee Meeting Agenda

Thursday, April 18th, 2024, 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
 - e. Tree Preservation Ordinance Updates
4. Additions to Massachusetts Prohibited Plant List Public Hearing
5. Urban Forestry Related Job Postings and RFPs
6. UFC structure: Co-chair and Bylaws
7. Ongoing Work Updates
 - a. Adopt-a-Tree Program
 - b. Outreach
 - i. Arbor Day Planning
 - ii. Website updates
 - c. Species Selection and Planting Protocol
 - d. Somerville's Most Wanted Weeds
 - e. GLX Corridor Greening
8. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meetings
 - a. March 21st, 2024

Adjourn

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