

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

THOMAS GALLIGANI EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

## **Urban Forestry Committee Meeting Agenda**

Thursday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025, 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Published by June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 10 a.m.

Pursuant to Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2025, this meeting will be held remotely

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- 1. Introductions / Housekeeping
  - a. Co-Chair nominations
- 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. Tree Preservation Ordinance Amendments
    - e. Zoning Ordinance Greenscore Amendment
- 4. Ongoing Work Updates
  - a. Outreach
    - i. Somerville Arbor Day
  - b. UFC Overview and Startup question answering
  - c. Species Selection and Planting Protocol
  - d. Somerville's Most Wanted Weeds
- 5. Urban Forestry Related Job Postings and RFPs
- 6. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meetings
  - a. May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025

## Adjourn

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