

**Tree Commission Meeting
Village of Baxter Estates
July 15, 2024
3:00 PM**

Meeting Minutes

Present: Josh Speisman, Chairman
Pedro Avila, Commissioner
David Abrams, Deputy Commissioner
Meghan Kelly, Village Clerk-Treasurer

Absent: Michael Malloy, Commissioner

Chairman Speisman called the meeting to order at 3:15 PM, hosted and noted the attendance of Commissioner Avila and Commissioner Abrams.

1. Approval of May 31, 2024, Tree Commission Meeting Minutes

Upon motion duly made by Chairman Speisman, seconded by Commissioner Abrams, it was unanimously **RESOLVED** to approve the minutes of the May 31, 2024, meeting.

2. Application of Brigitte Mueller, Owner of 8 Hilltop Road.

Upon motion duly made by Commissioner Avila, seconded by Commissioner Abrams, it was unanimously **RESOLVED** to grant permission for removal of one (1) tree, as identified in the Application of Brigitte Mueller, owner of 8 Hilltop Road, Port Washington, NY 11050, conditioned upon payment of \$50.00 in permit fees, and depositing \$250.00 into the Village Tree Relief Fund. The tree relief fund deposit of \$250.00 can be refunded conditioned upon replanting one (1) replacement tree in a location of the applicant's choosing, in accordance with all other provisions listed in Chapter 161 of the Village of Baxter Estates Code, and must be consistent with the Preferred Species List, or the applicant must obtain written approval from the Commission prior to planting.

Upon motion duly made by Commissioner Avila, seconded by Commissioner Abrams, it was unanimously **RESOLVED** to adjourn the meeting at 3:18 PM.

Submitted by Village Clerk-Treasurer Meghan Kelly