



NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FEBRUARY 20, 2018

Alpharetta City Hall
Council Chambers
2 Park Plaza

7:00 PM

- I. CALL TO ORDER**
- II. ROLL CALL**
- III. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES**
 - a. January Minutes**
- IV. STAFF REPORTS**
 - a. Arborist Report**
 - b. Environmental Programs**
- V. COMMITTEE REPORTS**
 - a. Programs**
 - 1. Arbor Day 2018**
 - b. Communications**
- VI. PLANNING- NRC PROJECTS, INITIATIVES AND GOALS FOR 2018**
- VII. MARCH MEETING DATE**
- VIII. ADJOURNMENT**

Alpharetta Natural Resources Commission

Meeting Minutes – January 16, 2018

Call to Order

A meeting of the Alpharetta Natural Resources Commission was held at City Hall on January 16, 2018. Attendees: Deb Zemlock (Chair), Geri Chapple, Ben Manley, Kate Tunison, Howard Salk, and David Shostak (Staff). Absent: Cat Fisher, Sandra Johnson, and Terry Porter (Staff).

Approval of Minutes

November 2017 Meeting Minutes were approved unanimously.

Staff Reports

Arborist Report

- On Thursday January 18th there will be a community outreach meeting regarding use of trees to help mitigate storm water. Alpharetta has been chosen as one of two cities in Georgia to participate in this Green Infrastructure grant project.

Environmental Programs

- The first event on the 2018 calendar will be Bring One for the Chipper on January 6th.
- Additional spring workshops and recycling events are still being finalized.

Committee Reports

Programs and Meet Ups

- 'Arbor Day 2018' will be held on Saturday March 10th at Webb Bridge Park. Volunteers will plant tree saplings including Dogwoods, Eastern Redbuds and White Oak.
- The new park on Old Rucker Road was discussed in terms of potential NRC involvement in its development. Richard Lebowitz of the GA Native Plant Society attended the meeting and inquired if NRC would be interested in assisting with native plant rescue in this park.

Next Meeting

Tuesday February 20, 2018 at City Hall.

Meeting Adjourned

Alpharetta Natural Resources Commission:

<http://www.alpharetta.ga.us/government/departments/public-works/natural-resources-commission>

Alpharetta's Wild Side <http://www.alpharetta.ga.us/government/departments/public-works/natural-resources-commission/alpharettas-wild-side>