



NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION MARCH 20, 2018

Alpharetta City Hall
2 Park Plaza
Council Chambers
7:00 PM

- I. CALL TO ORDER**
- II. ROLL CALL**
- III. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES**
 - a. February Minutes**
- IV. STAFF REPORTS**
 - a. Arborist Report**
 - b. Environmental Programs**
- V. COMMITTEE REPORTS**
 - a. Programs**
 - 1. Arbor Day 2018- Post Event Review**
 - 2. Educational Farm and Pollinator Garden Update**
 - 3. Parkside Subdivision and Webb Bridge Park Clean Up**
 - 4. Green Infrastructure**
 - 5. Candidate Forum**
 - b. Communications**
- VI. NEXT MEETING DATE**
- VII. ADJOURNMENT**

Alpharetta Natural Resources Commission

Meeting Minutes – February 20, 2018

Call to Order

A meeting of the Alpharetta Natural Resources Commission was held at City Hall on February 20, 2018. Attendees: Deb Zemlock (Chair), Geri Chapple, Ben Manley, Kate Tunison, Howard Salk, Cat Fisher, and Sandra Johnson. Absent: Terry Porter (Staff), David Shostak (Staff). Guests: Arata Wantanabe and Jim Gilvin.

Approval of Minutes

January 2018 Meeting Minutes were approved unanimously.

Staff Reports

None.

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.
- Joe Lamp'l provided names of several local wildlife experts who might be candidates for a future presentation or workshop.

NRC Projects, Programs and Initiatives for 2018:

- Conduct an annual Arbor Day celebration volunteer tree planting event
- Continue to support Alpharetta's Wildside initiative, including recertification
- Develop one or more DIY workshops for nature crafts and/or art projects relating to nature
- Support the Green Infrastructure initiative in the city
- Focus on reducing sign pollution in the city as a beautification project
- Seek and apply for awards and grants through Keep America/Georgia Beautiful and Tree City USA

Next Meeting

Tuesday March 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>