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Christine Bogenrieder
Frank Burnette
Lee Patterson
Scott Penn
Tim Terilli

## Statham Tree, Green Space and Beautification Committee Minutes from 8-18-25

Call to Order – Chairman Tim Terilli called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. Committee members present: Tim Terilli, Christine Bogenrieder, Debi Krause, Shannon Patterson. Guest Speaker Heath Raybon, Arborist, City of Winder

Minute approval – Christine made a motion to approve, Shannon seconded, and passed unanimously.

Ice Breaker – It was decided that waffles were preferred over pancakes.

Wonderful presentation on trees from Heath Raybon, Arborist, City of Winder. He provided excellent information regarding the life span of trees, what to look for if a tree appeared to be dying. We discussed the water oaks we have in the city. Shared which trees are best to plant in certain environments.

Tim is going to check into some grant opportunities.

It was decided we would not have a fall planting, only weed the flower beds and put down mulch before the Sunflower Festival. We may do some flowers/new plants in November.

Discussion regarding Tree Sales – still in the works. Possibly partnering with City of Winder.

The next meeting will be October 20, 2025 at 6:30 pm at the Community Center. We would love to have more volunteers to come join us.

Christine made a motion to adjourn, Shannon seconded. Unanimously approved at 7:30 pm