



**Tree City USA Citizen Advisory Committee
Regular Meeting Agenda**

July 16, 2026 — 12p.m.– 1p.m.

Environmental Resource Center, 290 E Central StSpringfield, MO 65802

Committee will advise City Council and appropriate City Departments regarding the city's trees and the community's urban forest and assist in continuing to qualify Springfield as a Tree City USA community.

Call to Order

- Welcome and introductions
- Approval of June meeting minutes (VOTE)

Unfinished Business

- TCUCAC Cardinals Game
 - August 29
- Missouri Community Forestry Council (MCFC) Conference - September 22-24
 - www.mocommunitytrees.org/conference
 - Silent Auction Items need commitments

New Business

- Parks Forestry Staffing and Equipment Needs
 - Review and discuss additional staffing and equipment needs identified by Parks Forestry staff

Call to Adjourn

- Next meeting: August 20

Members

- Ozark Greenways: Ben Tegeler
- Community Foundation of the Ozarks: Anna Dowell
- Springfield Neighborhood Organization: Nancy Evans (Vice Chair)
- Development Community: Addison Jones, Dake Wells Architecture
- Development Community: (open seat)
- Citizen-at-Large: Michael Brittain (Chair)
- Citizen-at-Large: Mike McDaniel
- Citizen-at-Large: Justin Sheppard
- Citizen-at-Large: Kevin Evans

Staff Liaisons:

- Travis Stokes, Arboriculture Supervisor (417-864-1135)
- Blake Simmons, City Utilities (417-831-8582)

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