



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

Nov. 21, 2024 — 10–11 a.m.

Community Room at Community Foundation of the Ozarks, 425 E. Trafficway

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 September meeting minutes
- December meeting plans

Unfinished Business

- 2025 Arbor Day Celebration planning
- Advisory items: Tree preservation policy
 - Discuss executive summary for council
 - Discuss draft code preview
 - **Potential vote:** Adopt current summary

New Business

- Question from Michael Brittain re: tree removal/maintenance policy for a housing-related nonprofit

Call to Adjourn

Members

- Ozark Greenways: Susie Turner
- Community Foundation of the Ozarks: Aaron Scott (Chair)
- Springfield Neighborhood Organization: Nancy Evans (Vice chair)
- Development Community: Addison Jones, Dake Wells Architecture
- Development Community: (open seat)
- Citizen-at-Large: Michael Brittain
- Citizen-at-Large: Mike McDaniel
- Citizen-at-Large: Justin Sheppard
- Citizen-at-Large: (open seat)

Staff Liaisons:

- Travis Stokes, Urban Forester (417-864-1135)
- Josh Curnutt, Parks Supervisor (417-864-1178)
- Blake Simmons, City Utilities (417-831-8582)

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