

AGENDA for Waterbury Tree Board, Wed, November 12, 2025
Waterbury Public Library 2nd floor Red Room 5:30 - 7 PM

Agenda - Changes or additions

Oct. 29, 2025 W. Tree Board Meeting Minutes: Review and Approve

Public Comments: Attendees

1. 2026 priorities (see WTB Meeting Minutes Oct. 29, 2025)
2. Budget -Prepare to present to Selectboard at 6:30 pm, Mon., Nov 17, 2025
 - **Prune trees planted in 2019 on S. & N. Main Street** - Pruning by arborist about 52 shade & 13 ornamental trees - \$4500 +/- *need to confirm price for 2026 work*
 - **2 Ash bi-annual inoculation** - Hope Davey Park (inoculated in 2024.) Estimate \$600
 - **Memorial Linden Tree** - Spray to control Japanese beetles - Neem oil cost?
 - **Plant and mulch two Apple trees (apple trees)** at Community garden \$200
 - **Street Tree Inventory** - Continue updating for Waterbury & Waterbury Center. Estimate cost and hire an arborist to work with volunteers to complete the inventory \$7000 +/-
 - **2026 Arbor Day Planting event Tree City USA** - Tree Planting TBD \$700 +/-
 - **Attend Workshops and Trainings** - VT Urban & Community Forestry \$ 200
 - **Mulch for trees** - \$100 Work w/ Public Works to remove crab grass & mulch
 - **Waterbury Center Green** - Determine location and type for 2 new trees. Bare root ? \$300
 - **Branch Out Burlington** - Winter Tree Order for Bare Root Trees? Do they have genus and species that we want? Location for planting? (Order in January / pick up and plant in April)

OTHER 2026 Tree related items

- **Coordinate with Cemetery Commission** - at Maple St Cemetery and Hope Cemetery for design for tree planting in open area in coordination with future use pathways etc Tree costs from Cemetery fund.
- **Ash-** Hope Cemetery EAB inoculation of large tree to be paid by Cemetery funds
- **Waterbury Tree City USA** sign location? Coordinate with the town for location and placement... Cost to install?
- **Hope Davey Park - Maple St. parking lot.** W Tree Board ? - Remove 3 wild Crabapple trees by the street. Trim lilacs by the parking lot and remove Norway Maple and wild Crabapple trees
- **Hope Davey Skate Park - Donation** New shade tree to be planted by Jake Blauvelt. (Old birch tree will be cut down next to the skate park)
- **Remove 2 dead trees** in front of 9 & 11 N. Main St (Town Public Works?)

Next Waterbury Tree Board Meeting - To be discussed - Changing meetings to Friday morning at 9:30 AM at Steele Room or library