



## **Springfield Urban Forestry Commission**

3:30 p.m. January 12, 2022

Public Notice and Meeting Agenda

Room 203, Municipal Center West

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- I. Call to Order
- II. Attendance
- III. Approval of 11-5-2021 Minutes
- IV. Update on Morton Arboretum/DNR Grant – Jeff Reim, Susan Allen, Jan Von Qualen
  - Inventory begins
  - Ordinance progress
  - Updates to ASM
  - Quarterly Report
- V. Japanese Maple Tree Donation – Randy Belville
  - Update on numbers & species
  - Planting at So. Grand & Dirksen and So. 6<sup>th</sup> St. on Dec. 5, 2001
  - Ideas for additional locations
- VI. MacArthur Boulevard Project – Jan Von Qualen
  - Responses to UFC's Recommendations
- VII. Seedling Planting Project update– Randy Belville
  - Volunteers for potting up the seedlings
- VIII. Update on downtown landscaping, tree grates, and winter maintenance – Jeff Reim
- IX. Update on Arbor Day event planning – Ernestine Lawrence and Susan Allen
- X. 2022 Educational Programs – Susan Allen and Amy McEuen

- XI. Collaboration with UIS – Amy McEuen
- XII. Trees Forever carbon credit program – Susan Allen
- XIII. Martin Luther King Breakfast
- XIV. Old Business.
- XV. New Business
- XVI. Public Comments
- XVII. Upcoming events:
  - M.L. King Breakfast: 8:30 am., January 17, 2022 (Wyndham Springfield City Centre 700 E Adams St. Springfield);
  - Annual Report to Council: January 18, 2022;
  - UFC meeting: 3:30 p.m., March 9, 2022.
- XVIII. Adjournment