



TREE AND LANDSCAPE COMMITTEE

July 21, 2026 Meeting Minutes

Final

Members present and volunteer hours: Deb 5, Lisa 1, JoAnn 1, Tom 2, Barbara 3, Joe 3 (not present)

City Staff: Kent Smith, Grounds Maintenance Supervisor

Guest: Jay Stelzenmuller

June 16, 2026 Minutes - Tom Moved, JoAnn seconded. Minutes approved.

Persons to be heard –

Jay - on behalf of Paul Clements (a forest service logger). Bridge approach yellow cedar trees from planting were dug up for the sea walk and are dying. We're having a dry spell. They need water. There is a brass plaque on a rock that is a memorial for Ron Welch. Kent will take care of this. There will be a bench area. The memorial plaque and trees will be put there.

Kent - Marissa has some beds that she would like to redo in the spring: City Hall beds by the parking and to the right of the building, towards the cable house.

Maintenance areas for Tree and landscape:

Bridge parking area on O'Connell Way

Pacific High

Strip between playground and Science Center (keep trees and shrubs – new planting).

Sea Walk beds could be revitalized. Plans for a family bathroom at the playground are moving forward.

Keep Centennial Parking strips nice. Grass around the Spirea could be pulled.

Kent is working with outer coast to help with Pioneer Park. The volunteers will prune bushes and clean the shelter with a pressure washer as well as repainting the tables. Kent will get his staff to weed eat and other work. Kent is looking to revitalize by restoring the grassy area in the fall or spring. Another possible job is to level the concrete pad for the shelter.

Old Business

The White E has put off the garden sale until next year due to the rainy cold weather.

New Business

Deb will send a text with our next project, when and where.

Next Meeting

Tuesday, August 18, noon at HCH.

Respectfully submitted by Lisa Moore