

## Morristown Shade Tree Commission Meeting Minutes

**DATE: October 28, 2017**

Emergency Meeting

11:00am

Room 201/ Town Hall

### **1. Roll Call**

#### **In attendance:**

- Kristin Ace, Chair
- Deb Regan, Vice Chair
- Michael Rockland

#### **Absent:**

- Judy Prendergast

### **2. Statement of compliance with NJ Open Public Meetings Act (Sunshine Law)**

Chair Kristin Ace cited compliance with the O.P.M.A.

### **3. Public**

No members of the public in attendance

### **Agenda Item 1: TD Green Streets Grant**

The STC voted unanimously to apply for the TD Green Streets Grant for 2018. We will be in partnership with The Morristown Partnership to beautify and bring trees/awareness to Morris Street. Morris Street is a gateway into our town, it is blighted with many dead trees and empty tree wells. It is an important aspect of our business district with many different ethnicities represented.

We decided that if we are awarded the grant, we will not do a Spring Planting. In fact, if awarded the grant, we will focus only on this project for the Spring.

**ACTION:** Kristin will reach out to Catherine Kapura to begin the process of writing the grant application, inform Jennifer Wehring of our vote, and review the plans with Rich Wolowicz.

Meeting adjourned 11:30am