

The Ocean City Shade Tree Committee
City Hall Council Chambers
861 Asbury Avenue
Ocean City, NJ 08226
Meeting Minutes from Wednesday, September 24, 2025
9:00 A.M. Meeting

Meeting Called to Order: 9:00 A.M.

Open Public Meetings Act Announcement: Adequate notice of this meeting has been given pursuant to Public Law 1975: Chapter 231

Roll Call:

Present: Joseph Clark, Mary Louise Hayes, Donna Moore, Sandra Simpson, Marie Crawford, Joshua Linthicum, Kyle Costello (City Liaison)

Absent: J. Michael Lehman

Approval of the Minutes: Minutes from August 27, 2025 were approved by The Committee.

Public Comment: none

Old Business: none

New Business:

- The following property plans were submitted for compliance review and comments by the Committee:
 - 1020 Ocean Ave. - Approved – no impact to existing plan
 - 858 Asbury Ave. - Approved – 1 tree shown – suggested possible honey locust
- Kyle Costello reported no major tree-related projects are currently ongoing.
- Report from Joe Clark after his meeting at the Primary School regarding new plantings. 16 Green Giants & 2 Redbuds to be planted in the Spring.
- The 100th NJ Shade Tree Federation annual conference will take place October 16-17 at Harrah's Resort Waterfront Conference Center in Atlantic City, NJ. Finalize / confirm members who are attending.

Meeting Adjournment: 10:15 A.M.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 22nd, 2025 @ 9:00 A.M. in the City Hall Council Chambers.

Minutes Submitted by Kyle Costello, City Representative

(9/24/25)