

**Borough of River Edge
Shade Tree Commission
December 20, 2012**

Under the Sunshine Law “adequate notice of this meeting has been made by sending notice on December 2011 to the The Record and The Ridgewood newspaper, by positioning on the bulletin board in the lobby in the Borough Hall and filing a Notice of the same with the Municipal Clerk.

Commencement 7:04PM

Roll Call

Jennifer Dougherty
Margot Pohl
Henry Semmler
Jim Bieber
Liz Anievas
Liz Stewart
Charlie Amorese

Absent

Kathleen Murphy, Councilwoman Liaison

Budget Update

Submitted our 2013 budget request.

Open Space

Public hearing on Tuesday January 22, 2013.
Need to finalize request for town parks.

Recreation Commissioners attended the meeting to discuss Open Space Project for the Tennis courts.

Construction and Development

Tree Protection and Replacement Ordinance
Met with the Building Department to finalize permit.
First application was processed - 303 Olympia.

Application for sidewalk installation, Midland & Woodland. A letter of support was sent with tree specifications.

Projects

Tree tagging in the parks -- weather permitting will resume project.

Brochures for library need to be revised and updated, would like to include how residents can make donations.

Correspondence

Green Team

Updated information needed for the Sustainable NJ application, that allotted them 70 points from the STC.

Tree Planting 2012

108 Trees were planted over three days.

DPW Update

Waiting on a final list of how many trees came down due to the Sandy Storm.
Salt and trees, reminded the DPW re application.

Adjournment:
Next Meeting

8:30 PM|
January 17, 2012