

Terrebonne Parish Tree Board Agenda

November 19, 2025; 11:30 AM

Government Tower 1st Floor Conference Room

8026 Main St, Houma LA 70360

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Invocation

Lord,

Guide the members of this board as we make decisions regarding trees. We are stewards of this "Good Earth." Give us the wisdom and will to protect and plant trees to fortify and beautify Terrebonne Parish, both now, and for future generations. We ask this in your name. Amen.

- 3. Pledge of Allegiance
- 4. Roll Call

Quorum (YES) (NO)

- Present:
- Absent:
- **5.** Approval of Minutes October 15, 2025
- **6.** Monthly Finance Report
- **7.** Announcements:
- 8. Old Business:
 - Treesilience Grant Update (ArborPro & Tree Plantings)
 - Courthouse and New Orleans Blvd Oaks
 - 2026 Tree Giveaway Saturday Jan 24, 2025
- **9.** New Business:
- 10. Board Member Comments
- 11. Public Comment
- 12. Next Meeting: Wednesday, December 17, 2025
- 13. Adjourn

Tree Board Minutes October 15, 2025

Officers Pat Gordan, chairman, Linda Brashier, Vice-Chair, Connie Bourg, Secretary, and members Debra Ellender, , and Lacie Breidenstein, and parish advisors Chris Pulaski and Henri Lucio and members of the public representing ArborPro were present. and member Barton Joffrion and Tori Louviere were absent. Meeting was called to order at 11:30 am at the TPCG Planning and Zoning Office at the Government Tower. Quorum was **MET**.

There were no minutes from September 17, 2025 meeting.

Monthly Finance report: \$17,958. Connie motioned to accept the report and Lacie seconded.

Announcements:

• Another tree planting on New Orleans Blvd.

Old Business:

- Treesilience Grant Update (ArborPro and Tree Plantings) and Courthouse and New Orleans Blvd. Oaks
 - Amanda Takacs introduced the project
 - O She mentioned there were some large, new trees
 - o TPCG will provide maintenance plan
 - o There is a warranty on trees
 - o Mason (Last Name) spoke on the tree management plan
 - Needs to get a few more information
 - Need to include new mission statement
 - o Ben's database includes about 200 trees
 - Mason asked if there is old data
 - o Chris will include tree ordinance
 - o Chris is talking about adding more trees
 - Maybe change tree planting plan around soccer fields. Chris will check with Jason and Hilary
 - o Chris is talking about the maintenance process

New Business:

- 2026 Tree Giveaway Saturday, Jan. 24, 2025
 - Money to buy new trees
 - o Lacie will post date soon now that it is set

Board Member Comments:

• Chris will check with American Legion. Connie thinks its their problem to take care of.

Public Comment:

• None

Next meeting: November 19th 2025

The meeting was adjourned at 12:30 pm by Lacie and seconded by Tori.



Connie Bourg Secretary, Terrebonne Parish Tree Board

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Parish Allocation

Carryover of 2024 Budget to 2025: 32,697.00

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Expenditures to date:

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2/12/2025	Durio Growers	1,875.00
2/14/2025	Chris Pulaski	112.70
3/27/2025	Chris Pulaski	51.25
4/30/2025	Foret Contracting Group	4,500.00
5/22/2025	Redmond Stoneworks	7,350.00
9/2/2025	Clerk of Court	405.00
9/23/2025	Clerk of Court	850.00
10/10/2025	Bob's Tree Preservation	9,500.00
10/10/2025	Bob's Tree Preservation	76,000.00

Expenditures to date 100,643.95

Funds Available: (67,946.95)

Prepared by: Melissa Bourgeois, Comptroller