

**Town of Bath Tree Board Minutes**  
**October 15, 2025**

The Tree Board convened at 5:00PM. The following members were present: Craig Deane, Kate Lehman, and Andy Swaim.

**Review of the Minutes:** The minutes of September 17, 2025, were reviewed and approved by common consent.

**Persons Before the Tree Board:** Suki Lucier attended and took part in the meeting.

**Unfinished Business:**

Demonstration City Grant 2025: No word yet on approval. Projects include identification of heritage trees and removing Bradford pears on upper Fairfax Street and Green Street.

Community Tree Grant 2025: A goal date of November 11 has been set to complete much of the work listed in the proposal.

**New Business:**

Independence Street Trees: Two trees need to be replaced as part of a future grant.

Treasurer's Report: During the past month, the account had 2 credits: \$31.00 in interest on our account and \$1500.00 in Hotel Motel Taxes. There have been no debits. The current balance is \$12,211.00.

**Branching Out:** Mayor Schene would like to see crepe myrtles planted at the north end of Wilkes Street.

Two Bay Magnolias need to be planted in one of the Washington Street planters. Either tape or pitch will be used on the 43 red maples to protect them from lantern flies.

**Next Meeting:** November 19, 2025.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:30PM

Minutes taken by Andy Swaim, Tree Board Member

*Approved by Common Consent*  
*11-19-25*  
*Andy Swaim*