Fairfax County Tree Commission Non-business Meeting Minutes Wednesday, October 25, 2023 1:00 – 2:15

Agenda: Tree Planting

To honor the 50 years of service by the Tree Commission to Fairfax County, Chairman Jeff McKay invited the Commission and other interested parties to attend a tree planting of the 50th of 50 trees located behind the Fairfax County Government Center.

Seven Tree Commissioners attended: John Burke, Jeanne Kadet, Jerry Peters, Barbara Ryan, Cindy Speas and Cory Suter.

The event included remarks by various attendees: Brian Keightley of UFMD, Wyatt Dwyer from Louise Archer Elementary School, Jeff McKay, Chair of the Board of Supervisors, James Walkinshaw, Board of Supervisors, Marlon Dubuisson, representative for Representative Gerry Connolly, Cindy Speas, Tree Commission Chair, Patricia Greenberg of UFMD formerly a Tree Commissioner, Andrew Schichtel, Chief Operating Officer of Casey Trees and Chris Herrington, DPWES Director.

Following the remarks, everyone took a turn shoveling in dirt around the 50th tree, holding up a banner and having some refreshments.

NOTE: No motions were made or discussed or voted on concerning Tree Commission business during the meeting.

