



Beautification and Tree Advisory Board

May 20, 2026

10:00 AM

City Hall - Massie Chambers

Agenda:

Call to Order

Establish a quorum

1.
  - Eddie Allen
  - Paula Krebs
  - Tammie Reddy
  - Toby Swager
  - Chris Taylor

Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting

2. Approval of February 18, 2026 Minutes

Comment from Citizens

Unfinished Business

3. Native Wildflower Meadow
4. Revive and Root Recap Discussion & Feedback
5. Spring Beautification and Clean-up Events
6. LPRF 2025: Moss-Wright Park Traffic Recirculation and Pedestrian Improvements

New Business

7. Arboretum Replacement Labels and Map
8. Beautification Update
9. Future Beautification and Tree Advisory Board Initiatives

Reports from Staff

Comments from Board Members & Staff

Adjournment

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## Beautification and Tree Advisory Board

February 18, 2026

10:00 AM

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### Minutes:

Chris Taylor called the meeting to order at 10:00AM.

Present: Eddie Allen, Tammie Reddy, Toby Swager, Chris Taylor

Absent: Paula Krebbs

Also Present: Tim Ellis, Denise Skaggs, Allison Baker, Julie Smith, Josh Gaby, Dave Anderson, Vanessa Hale, Jenni Spivey

A quorum was established.

### **Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting**

After a review of the November 19th, 2025 meeting minutes, a motion was made to approve by Toby Swager, and seconded by Tammie Reddy.

### **Elect Chair and Vice Chair**

Election of Chair- Toby Swager made a motion to nominate Chris Taylor for Chair. Tammie Reddy seconded the motion. The motion passed. Members voted unanimously to approve Chris Taylor as Chair of the Beautification and Tree Advisory Board.

Election of Vice Chair- Tammie Reddy made a motion to nominate Toby Swager as Vice Chair. Chris Taylor seconded the motion. The motion passed. Members voted unanimously to approve Toby Swager as Vice Chair of the Beautification and Tree Advisory Board.

### **Comment from Citizens - None**

**Reports from Staff** - A report was provided by the Parks and Facilities Manager, Josh Gaby, and the Recreation Services Manager, Dave Anderson.

### **Unfinished Business**

Native Wildflower Meadow- The wildflower meadow timeline was provided to the board on page 5 of the packet. The project is beginning and is currently in the site assessment phase of the project.

Arboretum Walkthrough — The walkthrough was completed by board members and staff on February 16. There are some trees that are requiring maintenance which parks staff will address. Replacement labels will be ordered as needed.

### **New Business**

Beautification Update - Northcreek Blvd. Spring Clean up May 2, 2026, as well as the shredding event. Staff will be available to pick up litter from roadway. Adopt-a-Street and Adopt-a-Landscape applications are now live online.

Revive and Root Updated Date — April 17 - Dave Anderson gave report. Vanessa Hale, Program Events Coordinator, gave a report at the podium. Flyer was provided in the agenda, along with the day of event timeline. Additions or suggestions were welcomed by Vanessa.

**Comments from Board Members & Staff** - Josh Gaby provided a summary of tree damage at the parks throughout the city. The department will assess needs and come up with a tree replacement plan after all storm clean-up is done.

Denise Skaggs provided an update on the 2025 LPRF grant recirculation project at Moss Wright Park. TDEC is requiring an archeological dig, but was delayed due to ice storm. The project is scheduled to begin the following week.

**Adjournment-** The meeting was adjourned at 10:24AM

**Next Meeting-** May 20, 2026

Spring 2026

# BEAUTIFYING OUR CITY TOGETHER!

Thank you to our volunteers, partners, and residents for helping make Goodlettsville cleaner, greener, and more beautiful.

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## EARTH DAY CLEAN-UP – APRIL 22, 2026

- ✔ Dollar General Young Professionals hosted a successful Earth Day Clean-Up event at Pleasant Green Park.
- ✔ Volunteers removed litter and ice storm debris.
- ✔ Environmental stewardship was promoted.
- ✔ **31** volunteers worked **3** hours each for **93** total volunteer hours.

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## TENNESSEE TREE DAY – MARCH 20, 2026

- ✔ The City participated in Tennessee Tree Day by serving as a Tree Pick-Up Site.
- ✔ Native tree seedlings were distributed to Tennessee residents.
- ✔ Tree planting supported canopy growth, improved air and water quality, and created wildlife habitat.
- ✔ For the first time ever, all **95** counties had a Tree Pick-Up Site.
- ✔ Our site alone distributed over **500+** trees from the Public Works parking lot.

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## SPRING SHREDDING EVENT – MAY 2, 2026

- The City hosted its annual free shredding event for residents.
- **Location:** Goodlettsville Public Works, 215 Cartwright Street.
- **Items accepted:** Personal sensitive documents.
- Over **50+** vehicles participated in the shredding event.

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## SPRING LITTER CLEAN-UP EVENT – MAY 2, 2026

- ✔ Volunteers worked together to remove litter and debris along NorthCreek Blvd.
- ✔ Supplies were provided for all volunteers.
- ✔ Residents participated through the City volunteer program.
- ✔ One volunteer participated for 30 minutes as efforts were combined with Shredding Day.

It's been  
**GOOD**  
in Goodlettsville!

These Spring 2026 initiatives strengthened our community, improved our environment, and inspired civic pride.