

Shade Tree Commission Minutes March 16, 2026

Chairman Jim Booth called the Shade Tree Commission meeting of March 16, 2026, to order at 7:05 pm in the Borough of Totowa Public Library meeting room.

ROLL CALL:

PRESENT:

Commissioner: Booth, N. Makoujy, D. Makoujy,
Commission Secretary: Linda Paese
Board Liaison: Anthony Picarelli

ABSENT:

Commissioner: Murphy, Fusco, Luciano

MINUTES:

Commissioner N. Makoujy made a motion to accept the minutes of the February 16, 2026, meeting, seconded by Commissioner D. Makoujy.

OLD BUSINESS:

Commissioner Booth informed the commission that the Annual Accomplishment Report has been completed.

Commissioner Booth and Luciano attended a class in December 2025 to fulfill the shade tree commission CEU credits for the year 2025.

NEW BUSINESS:

The commission is planning an Arbor Day Celebration to be held on April 25, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. at the municipal building complex. A tree is being planted by the Fireman's Monument. This celebration is in conjunction with the Totowa Public Library Trash to Treasure event.

The shade tree commission is accepting applications for spring and fall plantings.

ADJOURN:

Commissioner N. Makoujy made a motion to adjourn the meeting seconded by Commissioner D. Makoujy. The meeting was adjourned at 7:19 p.m. The next meeting scheduled will be held on Monday, April 20, 2026, at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Linda Paese
Commission Secretary