

**Mobile Tree Commission
Minutes of Meeting
August 25, 2009**

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 PM by Tom McGehee, Chairman.

Mobile Tree Commission members present: Tom McGehee, Chairman, Dr. Maurice Holt, Vice Chairman, Laura Clarke, Treasurer, Dr. Rip Pfeiffer, Audrey Cunningham, Douglas Kearley.

City of Mobile: Ron Jackson, , Theresa Jernigan, James Bolin.

Others present: Blake Jarrett, Alabama Power Company.

Minutes

A motion was made to approve the minutes of the June 23, 2009 meeting. Motion carried.

Treasury Report

Laura Clarke, Treasurer, reported a balance of \$6,678.63. Motion made to accept, motion carried.

Permit Applications

- P-2009-09 108 Demouy Avenue Staff
represented this application to remove a Popcorn Tree and replace it with a Live Oak Tree. Motion made to approve, motion carried.
- P-2009-10 109 Demouy Avenue Staff
represented this application to remove a Popcorn Tree and replace it with a Live Oak Tree. Motion made to approve, motion carried.
- P-2009-14 560 Marcus Drive Staff
represented this application to remove the four Crape Myrtle Trees to demolish the existing home in order to build a new modular house. Discussion followed. A motion was made to approve the application as per staff recommendation as follows: Plant four new replacement Crape Myrtle Trees in the same location within thirty days of completion of new home. Motion carried.
- P-2009-15 6460 Zeigler Boulevard Staff
represented this application from Volunteers of America to remove twelve Pine Trees for the construction of a new drive way to the proposed Volunteers of America Development. Discussion followed and a motion was made to approve the removal of the Pine Trees as per staff recommendation. Motion carried.

C-2009-03 Airport Boulevard **Staff**
represented this application to remove Crape Myrtle Trees along Airport Boulevard that are in decline and replace them with three new Crape Myrtle Trees as was originally planted. Discussion followed. A motion was made to approve as per staff recommendation.

Urban Forestry – No report.

Traffic Engineering – No report.

Engineering – No report.

Alabama Power – No report.


Old Business – None.

New Business – None.

Announcements – No meeting next month, no applications.

Adjournment – 6:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted,


Theresa Jernigan
Recording Secretary