URBAN FORESTRY COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

November 14, 2007

MEMBERS PRESENT: Norma Bonham, Judith Baernstein, Nancy Solodar Stacy Clay, Ted Slegesky, Abbie Carter James Crowe Stephany Brot

Meeting called to order at 7:05 pm by President Ted Slegesky Minutes were reviewed, Nancy Solodar made a motion to approve, Abbie Carter seconded.

<u>City Council Liaison Update:</u> Ted welcomed Stephany Brot as our council member liaison. Stephany updated the commission on St. Louis Muni League monetary award, refuse bill arrearage, U City School district partnership, Wash. U. neighborhood meeting and Verison settlement.

Update of Development Projects: There were no development projects to discuss

Old Business: No old business was discussed

New Business:

- A) Removal of the pool trees: The commission discussed the removal of the pool trees in Heman Park. Ted made a motion to approve the City's plan for their removal and replacement; Judy seconded.
- B) Norma discussed the concerns about the new driving range at the golf course and its impact on the "Bicentennial Tree". After much discussion the commission requested the city forester to investigate and insure the health of this tree

There were no Citizen Comments:

Meeting was adjourned at 8:30pm by Ted.

The next meeting date is Wednesday Jan. 9 at 7:00 pm.

James Crowe