

# Southport Forestry Committee

Regular Meeting – 12 August 2025, 5:00 PM

## Old/Recurring Business:

Review/Approval of July meeting minutes.  
Ordinance/Permits/City topics – (Maureen)  
“Around the room”

## New Business:

- Election of Officers (Chairman, vice-Chairman, Secretary)
- John N. Smith Cemetery - Survey
- Continue with Brainstorming topics and execution plan.
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## Regular Business:

Tree Removals/Loss: Leonard & Caswell (Bream), dead laurel oak; John N. Smith Cemetery, dead laurel oak;

Tree Care: watering continues on new trees as needed.

Tree Pruning: 516 W. Nash (Walters) weight reduction on laurel oak after limb drop, clean up face of tear on trunk.

Consultations: 317 E. Nash (Meuhleib), concern about live oak in ROW; 6191 Cottage Creek (Indigo Clubhouse), dead laurel oak; 6200 Cottage Creek (Bize), Swamp tupelos, live oak, Savannah Holly; 723 Clarendon (HP request), two large pecans in back yard;

Web Page: Updated with new Committee member/tenures. \*New “Tree City” sign placed on E. Leonard at City Limit sign.

Tree Donation: J D Tree Pros have offered to donate a tree for FSP.

- Funds Donation – Committee Funds \$5250.00 as of 8/8,
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- Education/Publicity – August Newsletter: A visit to the Angel Oak  
September Newsletter: Hurricane Season - Again  
October Newsletter:

Next Regular meeting is Tuesday Sep 9, 2025

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