



Friends of Live Oaks

Meeting Agenda

April 25, 2022

4:30 - 5:30 PM

Ocean Park Volunteer Rescue Squad Building

3769 East Stratford Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23455

Zoom Option

1. Introductions
2. Review Agenda for Additions, Corrections, Etc.
3. Review March 21, 2022 Meeting Actions and Old Business Updates:
 - a. **Tree Legislation (Senate Bill 537) & General Assembly Tree Study**
 - b. **Live Oak Grove Visit**
 - c. **FOLO Partnerships with Other Groups Lynnhaven River NOW April 23, 2022 Oyster Roast Raffle**
 - d. **Website Updates**
 - e. **City Properties Live Oak Inventory**
 - f. **Property Acquisition Strategy**
 - g. **Administrative Matters – Fund Balance, Annual Dues Drive, Membership Meeting Decision, PayPal Account**
 - h. **Regional Live Oak Visits with Brent James**
 - i. **Notable Live Oaks List from Brent James**
 - j. **Develop Strategy for Working with Developers of Properties with Live Oaks or Potential to Plant Live Oaks**
 - k. **Campbell Foundation Grant**
4. **Review Work Progress Updates, Review Specific Actions and Assigned Responsibilities for 2022 Priority Areas of Focus:**
 - a. Identify the largest live oaks in Virginia Beach, and explore easement and other protection options
 - b. Promote efforts to relocate live oaks where other options are not feasible
 - c. Partner with the City to protect and create Live Oak Grove Natural Area, and to designate its Maritime Forest Trust Fund to plant live oaks on City properties
 - d. Increase partnerships with businesses and other organizations and participate in local events with a shared focus
 - e. Improve FOLO's virtual presence on website and social media, and increase education and awareness outreach
 - f. Encourage planting of live oaks throughout the City, and promote propagation and transplanting of seedlings
 - g. Partner with other organizations to encourage the City to adopt

new tree protection enabling legislation

- h. Work with developers, builders and the City to protect live oaks during the construction and development process
5. New Business:
 - a. **Pending Projects in Vicinity of the Pleasure House Point Area, Ocean Park**
 - b. **Pending Projects in Vicinity of Powhatan Avenue, Ocean Park**
 - c. **Give Local 757 May 10, 2022**
 - d. **Virginia Department of Forestry Live Oak Nursery**
6. Summarize and Review Meeting Actions and Assignments and Items for Next Meeting
7. Adjourn

Next Meeting Date/Time/Location: **To Be Determined 4:30 - 6:00 PM, Ocean Park Volunteers Rescue Squad Building; Zoom Option**
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