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City of West Allis Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave.
West Allis, WI 53214

File Number	Title	Status
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2009-0349 Communication Introduced

Communication from Pat Morris of 2001 South 105 Street regarding concerns about City tree planting.

Introduced: 6/2/2009

Controlling Body: Public Works Committee

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION Place on file

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
<u>6-2-09</u>			Barczak	✓			
			Czaplewski	✓			
			Kopplin				
			Lajsic				
			Narlock				
			Reinke				
			Roadt	✓			
	✓		Sengstock	✓			
			Vitale				
		✓	Weigel	✓			
			TOTAL				

SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE MEMBER

Larry B...
Chair

Vice-Chair

Member

COMMON COUNCIL ACTION Place on file

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
<u>6-2-09</u>	✓		Barczak	✓			
			Czaplewski	✓			
		✓	Kopplin	✓			
			Lajsic	✓			
			Narlock	✓			
			Reinke	✓			
			Roadt	✓			
			Sengstock	✓			
			Vitale xx				✓
			Weigel	✓			
			TOTAL	<u>9</u>	<u>1</u>		<u>1</u>

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May 5, 2009

Members of the Public Works Committee

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to bring this matter to your attention.

I can't do anything about the loss of the 3 city-owned Elm Trees because the timing cannot be changed. But, I do have serious concerns about his proposed locations for the 2 replacement trees.

Mr. Rushmer states the the east tree must be 30 feet from the stop sign. I have checked with Ted Atkinson and was told the city has no approved rules regarding this issue. I tried to talk to Mr. Rushmer last week when he drew the white lines and was told he wouldn't discuss the matter. He ~~said~~ said he would mail me a waiver. I said fine. That waiver still hasn't arrived.

If Tree #1 were planted between stumps 1 & 2 it would be:
25' from Stop Sign
35' from corner of Rogers & 105 st.
10' further from the main water lateral to the house.
(city placement is 7' from lateral)
in later years would not interfere with chimney

Also the city tree on the NW corner of Rogers & 105 St is 18' from the corner.

If tree #2 were planted between stumps 2&3 it would be 54' from the light post at the alley between 105 and 106 St. The city's placement would put it 42' from the light pole. The city's plan also puts new tree in competition with 2 established private trees.

Thank you for your consideration.

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cc: Mike Rushmore
Ted Atkinson