

**TOWN OF INTERLACHEN
TREE BOARD MINUTES
MONDAY, MAY 4, 2026 – 11:00 A.M.**

CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson, Timothy Keyser called the meeting to order at 11:01pm.

ROLL CALL

Board Members present were Timothy Keyser, Grace Chlastawa, Evelyn DuPont, and Laverne Larsen.

DISCUSSION:

The minutes from the November 7, 2025 meeting were approved.

Mr. Keyser stated that one item of discussion today is the request from the Larsen family to remove and replace the cedar tree near their home in Jenkins Park, which they personally planted years ago in honor of their children. It has died due to frost and drought. They will provide a native tree and ask the Town Maintenance Department to plant it in the same area where the cedar tree was.

Mrs. Chlastawa moved to approve the Larsen's request. Mr. Marsh seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Mr. Keyser stated that recently members of the Town Council and staff conducted an inventory of all the honor trees in Jenkins Park and found that some have died.

Individual Tree Board members will take a section of Jenkins Park and see which honor trees need to be replaced and make a recommendation of the type of replacement tree.

The Board will think about a theme for the 2027 Arbor Day Program. Possible recognizing the National Arbor Day Foundation.

Mr. Marsh stated that he would like to have another Christmas tree planted.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 11:20 am.