## JOHNSON TREE BOARD MAY 20, 2015 6:30 AT THE LIBRARY

Present: Sue Lovering, Louise von Weise, Dorcas Jones, Court Perry

Absent: Noel Dodge

The April minutes were approved.

## TREE TAGS

One hundred tree tags were ordered by Sue. They're 1.25" numbered aluminum tags, which will facilitate inventory. We discussed subsequent labeling that will inform the public with tree names, which could be hanging vinyl tags. Court suggested waiting to see if any interest is expressed by the public when we hang the numbered tags and proceed from there.

## **MULCH**

The town has authorized \$200 for mulch to be used on the Main Street trees. They will pick it up and deliver it to a site yet to be determined. Sue will make arrangements.

We spent the rest of the meeting pruning the apple tree on the west end of the Municipal Building and cleaning weeds, invasives, and dead wood from the blueberry bushes and azalea at the same location. The apple tree will need further work next spring.

We were pleased to see how well the plum tree that we pruned last fall is doing. Court and Sue dropped the trimmings at the brush pile.

A work session will be scheduled to spread mulch.

Adjourned 8:45. Next meeting will be on June 17, 2015 at the Town Green at 6:30. If there's a change in location, Sue will advise.