

## Open Space Committee Minutes – Aug 16, 2007

### Members in attendance:

Robert Altland  
Russ Fuller

### Old Business:

- Ridges Sign Lighting - Status update – lights in place and new security collars in place. Russ spoke with Ashburn Village and they have intentionally gone to cheap fixtures/lights that they can replace at a low cost.
- Community tree trimming - Status update – continued to decide to hold off on trimming until this very hot summer is over.
- Community tree replacement - what can we do this year? Lengthy discussion on the replacement of trees. We have a proposal from Blade Runners to grind down 53 tree stumps and over seed. We simply have lost a lot of trees this year.
- Budget – Still looking for an updated OSC budget with expenditures to date.

### New Business:

- Budget discussion – this discussion was the majority of the meeting. Russ and Rob did a line by line evaluation of the OSC budget and identified numerous areas for change. Rob will take a first cut at modifying the budget then will provide it to Russ for review. The budget needs to be sent to the BOT for discussion at the September BOT meeting.

The next meeting is scheduled for September 19, 2007. Monthly meetings are usually every third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the clubhouse.