

BOROUGH OF NORTH WALES

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Dear Residents,

Isaac Olson of Troop 84 is conducting a shade tree inventory in Ward 1 of North Wales Borough for an Eagle Scout project. He and other scouts will be seen walking the streets and measuring trees to determine the number of shade trees in Ward 1 and their location.

A shade tree is defined in North Wales Borough Code Chapter 174 which describes the restrictions placed on planting, trimming, or removing shade trees. Shade trees are under the jurisdiction of the Shade Tree Commission. The Shade Tree Commission is composed of five members. The Commission shall have the responsibility to plan and make recommendations to Borough Council for the planting, replacement, removal, protection, and needed maintenance of shade trees that are within 10 feet of the edge of the paved surface of any street in the Borough. The Commission is authorized to plant, maintain and protect the shade trees in the borough and is authorized to issue orders on a majority vote of the Commission directing compliance with the shade tree regulations.

Please be kind and courteous to Isaac and the other scouts as they conduct this project. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Borough Hall.

Thank you,

Alex Turock

Assistant Borough Manager

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