The Anne Arundel County Forest Conservancy District Board met on Tuesday, February 27th, 2024 in the Severn Room at 2664 Riva Rd. Bud Reaves, Peggy Elliot, and Brandon Willey attended. Guests included Whitney Vong (CBT) and Ryan Cuccia (Bartlett Tree Experts). The meeting was called to order at 3:00 pm by Bud Reaves, Chairperson.

Committees

- Education Discussed applications for Camp Hickory.
- Legislative Discussed new large funding for planting opportunities, and other grant funded options. Discussed FCA Law in Anne Arundel County.

Budget

- Balance \$21,500.60
- Expenditures
 - Ayton Tree Nursery \$425

Old Business

• No old business

New Business

- Discussed use of Funds available for Grants
- Introduced Ryan Cuccia to the FB and his potential to join.
- Anne Arundel County Forestry- New roles after Bud's retirement.
- Grant Review- Whitney Vong presented to the board a new application for Linked in Green. The grant will be for a tree planting in their community garden. Whitney also presented a grant for Rock Oak Villas, a tree planting along their walking trail.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 5:00 pm. The next official meeting will be **April 9, 2024**. The meeting start time and location will be determined later.