

**DATE:** August 3, 2007  
**TO:** Genesee Foundation Board of Directors  
**FROM:** Anne Sherwood  
**SUBJECT:** GEM Committee Report  
8/8/07 Board Agenda Item 6.A.2.

**OPEN SPACE 2007**

See report forwarded by Management.

**OPEN SPACE 2008**

The GEM Committee will meet on August 10<sup>th</sup> to

- Decide on the test area for the 2008 integrated planning process.
- Develop a 2008 budget proposal.

**DYING ROADSIDE TREES**

Anne Sherwood and Gary McKay will meet with Larry Benshoof, Manager of Roads & Bridges, on August 13<sup>th</sup> to discuss options for preventing further harm to roadside trees and removing existing dying/dead trees.