



BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

MINUTES

September 16, 2025, at 10:30am

Location: The Sunshine Room

Present:

Krista Mackler, Jane Farrell, Heidi McKean, John Clement, Claire Rothery, Nancy Wing

Absent:

Susan Park

1. Call to Order

- a. Meeting was called to order at 10:32am

2. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and General Nature Thereof

- a. None Disclosed

3. Approval of Last Meeting Minutes

- a. Moved by Claire Rothery
- b. Seconded by Jane Farrell
- c. Carried

4. Disclosure of Additional Items

- a. Watering Planters

5. New Business

- a. 2026 Spring Flowers
 - i. Presentation of spring flower options
 - ii. Discussion about including potato vine in barrels and something larger than the current stake.
 - iii. Vista view will be very washed out/faded if it's really hot
 - iv. Committee Choice: Prime Time with Cana lilies for the middle
- b. Christmas Barrels 2025
 - i. The Legion has given permission to plant the barrels early in case of frost

- ii. Cathy McNally and Nancy Wing will work on a press release to ensure the information is shared ahead of time.
- iii. Build a volunteer planting team for November 3:
 - 1. Ask Coldwell Banker (JOHN CLEMENT)
 - 2. Hydrangeas:
 - a. Cut October 13 (JOHN, CLAIRE, HEIDI)
 - b. Buy spray paint (10-14 cans) and spray hydrangeas following week (HEIDI, CLAIRE, JOHN)
 - c. 5 hydrangeas per barrel
 - 3. Nancy to ask about discounts for spray paint
- c. Holiday Merchant Decor Contest
 - i. Claire to reach out to Studio Theatre for possible prize
 - ii. **BIABC.2025.09.10A - Be it resolved that the Holiday Merchant Decor Contest be implemented for the Winter 2025 season and reviewed in January 2026.**
 - 1. **Moved by Krista Mackler**
 - 2. **Seconded by Claire Rothery**
 - 3. **Carried**
 - iii. Nancy to advertise out and put together associated links, etc.
- d. BIA Winter Sponsorship and Promotions Plan
 - i. **BIABC.2025.09.10B - Be it resolved that the Winter Sponsorship and Promotions Plan be implemented immediately for the 2025 season and reviewed in early 2026.**
 - 1. **Moved by Claire Rothery**
 - 2. **Seconded by Jane Farrell**
 - 3. **Carried**
- e. Harvest Plan 2026
 - i. Discussion about themed decor for fall
 - ii. CLAIRE and HEIDI to check out neighbouring communities

6. Discussion of Additional Items

- a. Watering Planters
 - i. Nancy to send communication to committee
 - ii. Committee to tour around and explain
- b. North Street interlocking brick and weeds

7. Next Meeting: TBD

8. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 11:35am