

Beautification Commission Meeting
November 10th, 2022
Attendance

Present

Katie T.
Connie V.
Mary M.

Absent

Carrie L. Judi T.
Helen J. Becky K.
Barbara W. Jayne S.
Joan S.

Connie called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. There was not a quorum.

Approval of the Agenda: Motion to approve the agenda made by Connie, seconded by Katie, motion passed.

Announcements: No new announcements

Approval of the Minutes: There was no meeting in October due to the Fall Landscape Tour

Old Business:

No old business discussed.

Ex-Officio Report: not in attendance

New Business:

Spring Plant Giveaway:

Discussion amongst those in attendance about the type of flower to give away at the 2023 Spring Plant Giveaway. The decision of lilies was made, and an email will be sent out to vote on the type of lily to give away. The three in attendance decided to go with 5 bulbs per person, and we would need 250 sets of bulbs for the giveaway. The budget for spring plant giveaway is \$2,000.00. And we will get brown paper lunch bags for bulbs to be given away in.

Planters in front of outdoor pool:

Replacing planters in front of outdoor pool was discussed. Mary found planters at Lowes to be purchased. They are large blue planters, resin material with drainage holes. The old planters to be removed from in front of outdoor pool and given away. The new planters needed to be purchased in 2022 budget, Katie to make the purchase.

Christmas Decorations at BRC, Payne-Gentry House, and City Hall:

Discussed what would need to be purchased as far as Christmas decorations go for the 3 locations. An email will be sent to see if City Hall is in need of decorations this year. Purchases to be made as needed, each facility gets \$500.00 worth of decorations each year. Also, discussed looking into ordering dolphin topiary w lights, Christmas dolphin for outdoor pool. Katie will reach out to company to get status/quote.

Christmas Light Contest:

Discussion about the Christmas Light Tour date and time, 12/11/22 @ 5pm. We need at least 2 houses per commission member to create list (send list by 12/7/22). Katie to put up yard signs week prior to event.

We need to order Ornaments for Christmas light winners, order plaque if business was entered and won. We will need 8 ornaments from Woltman, do what was done last year, Katie to place order.

Connie adjourned meeting at 6:35 pm.

Next meeting will take place on 01/12/23 @ 6:00pm at BRC.

Next meeting agenda items: Texting vs Email, plant giveaways, budget, social media, special projects, Christmas Light Tour.