



Beautification Committee Minutes

Monday, November 13, 2023 at 1:00 PM
27400 Southfield Road, Lathrup Village, Michigan 48076

1. Call to Order 1:02 p.m.

Attendees: Pam Shermeyer, Reed Boskey

Absent: Shawanna Watts, Kelly Garrett

Staff: Brittany Dorsey, Susie Stec

2. Old Business

None

3. New Business

A. New Committee Member Introduction

Introduced new committee member Reed Boskey.

B. Workplan Development

Discussed updating the beautification workplan.

C. Seasonal Expectations

Committee discussed hanging basket and adding a trailing plant (i.e., potato vine) to add visual interest. Committee discussed porch and gazebo pots plant selection; want to consider annual and perennial flowers with staggered bloom-time. Suggested plants include Petunias and Begonias.

D. Hortulus Gardens/Volunteers

Update provided that Hortulus Gardens has been assisting with maintenance.

E. Confirm Next Meeting Date

Confirmed that the next meeting will be held on the 2nd Monday of the month at 1 pm.

F. Other Items

Committee began discussing tree species selection for the DTE Tree Planting Grant with an expected Spring planting. Once species are selected, revised quotes will be secured.

Planting party date has been moved from June 2024 to May 2024. The planting party will include weeding, watering, and flowerpot placement.

5. **Adjourned 2:00 p.m.**