

Beautification Committee
November 5, 2018
Village Hall
3:30 PM

I. Call to Order: Rowell

Molly called the meeting to order at 3:30.

Attendees: Jeff Batton, Kevin Brewer, Judy Davis, Brenda Harvey, Bert Higgins, Peggy Johnson, Mary Hall Koontz, Walt Morgan, Molly Rowell, Lorraine Tweed

Announcements: Molly urged those not able to attend the State of the Village meetings to watch the video.

II. Approval of Minutes:

Mary Hall moved to accept the minutes and they were approved.

III. Budget - Kevin Brewer

There was additional lighting at Pinehurst South which amounted to \$1798. Sandhills Woman's Exchange received a commercial grant for \$533.75

IV. Calendar- Kevin Brewer

Date	Action	People Involved
Nov 14-16	Put out Christmas tree clusters	B & G staff, Events staff
Nov 14-16	Put up large Christmas tree	B & G staff, Events staff, Kevin Brewer
Nov 16	Swags to be hung on sign posts.	
Nov 19-20	Decorate the large Christmas tree	Events staff, Kevin Brewer
Nov 20	Hang wreaths downtown and big swags Volunteers meet to help prepare the wreaths. 8:00 - 8-30 a.m.	Linden Garden Club, Public Services, Beautification Committee
TBD	Hang swags on the sign posts	Pinehurst Garden Club members
Nov 30	Christmas tree lighting	Events staff, B & G staff
Dec 14	Christmas Decorating Contest judging	Lorraine Tweed
Jan 2-3	Take down Christmas tree and tree clusters	B & G staff, Events staff
Jan 3	Take down wreaths	Linden Garden Club, Public Services, Beautification Committee
TBD	Take down swags	Pinehurst Garden Club

V. Beautification Grant

No new applications

VI. Old Business - Rowell

- a) Fall Plantings in the Village. Molly and Kevin both noted that it went smoothly.
- b) Christmas Decoration Contest

The contest will be structured as last year. Kevin suggested the theme "Olde Town Christmas" and it was unanimously approved. Jeff emailed Melissa to change the date and the theme on the postcard and Kim will do the mailing. Lorraine will invite the judges. The card will notify the Village residents to decorate before the Judging date of the December 14th.

c) Litter Campaign

Next date is set for Saturday, Nov. 10. Volunteers will meet at the Public Service Dept. at 8:30 a.m. The proposed area for targeting will be HWY 5, Monticello and Morganton Rds.

d) Projects Update Molly shared the Project Tracker spreadsheet

- Hwy 5 Projects
 - Plant bed @ Elmore - finish planting
 - Signal @ Hwy 5/Cherokee and Hwy 5 at Hwy 2 NE/NW ground cover
 - Railroad Trestle on Hwy 5 - no update
 - Hwy 5 from Hwy 211 to MacDonald – Right-of-way plantings
- Hwy 211 Projects
 - Hwy 211/Hwy 5 Entrance Enhancements- additional plantings coming
 - Hwy 211 from Gateway Sign to Hwy 5 - trees have been planted
 - Next Phase on Hwy 211 Corridor – Murdocksville Intersection and roadside
 - Hwy 211 Median from Hwy 5 to Rattlesnake - no update
 - Hwy 15-501 Median - no update

e) Other Items

Railroad Overpass - no new information.

VII. New Business Rowell

No New Business

VIII. Meetings of BC are held the first Monday of the months indicated at 3:30 PM.

- a) **Next Meeting Dates: (2018) December 3. (2019) No Meeting in January, February 4, March 4, April 1, May 6, No Meetings in June and July, August 5, September 9, October 7, November 4, December 2.**

IX. Comments from attendees.

No comments

- X. Motion to Adjourn.** Bert moved to adjourn the meeting and Lorraine seconded it. The meeting adjourned at 4:20.