

**Minutes of Beautification Committee**  
Meeting of March 4, 2013 Town Hall 4:30 PM

Present: Barbara Rushmore, Ross Sormani, Ghee Patrick, Vince Breglia and Bill Docker.  
Dot Frietas excused absence.

RS moved to accept the Minutes of mtg. of Jan29/13. VB seconded. So voted 5-0.

Financial Report by RS.

\$5,544.89 in Beautification Gift Fund  
\$11,919.72 in Budget  
\$17,464.61 TOTAL            There were no bills to be paid.

Estimate from Tony Lemme of B&G:

Trellis	\$200.00
Rope	\$200.00
Paint	\$75.00
Fence Posts	\$144.00
Vinyl Posts?	<u>\$400.00</u>
TOTAL:	\$1019.00

After discussion, it was decided to postpone lighting options until later. This preliminary total is actually less than \$1000. since we're not purchasing both types of posts.

After discussion RS moved that the tree behind the Bus Station building is to be removed. BD seconded. So voted 4-1. BR to contact Highway Dept. to do this.

We discussed planting a few trees at the Waterfront Fishermen's Memorial Park, to be included in the Sylvan order. RS will meet with BR to put in the order, including hydrangeas for the old library and roses for the trellises.

Robert Vetrick of Ampersand Guest House had graciously agreed to research our rose order and will actually prepare the soil and plant them in May.

BR moved for us to expend for landscaping and shipping for the Bus Stop Park, the Waterfront Fishermen's Memorial Park, the old library, Harry Kemp island and West End Parking Lot up to \$7000.00. So voted 5-0. Our plan is to order in March and have Sylvan deliver the trees on April 15<sup>th</sup> and the bushes on April 29<sup>th</sup>. VB will have 5 hydrangeas on this order and will order flowers for the old library locally later.

We will meet next on Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 4:30.

We adjourned at 6:00 pm.

Respectfully Submitted by Barbara Rushmore