# Wilmington Beautification Committee October 13, 2015

Committee Members Present: Cheryl Rothman, Keith Herbert, Lee Schindel, Celia Weissman, Fred

Skwirut, Scott Murphy (ex-officio)

Committee Members Absent: Alice Greenspan, Katy Little, Adele Mattern,

**Guest:** Mary Wright

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 am by Cheryl.

**Approval of Minutes** Meeting: September 28 Motion: Keith Second: Fred – passed.

**Treasurers Report -** Celia reported:

Unexpended Operating Balance: Available Balance: \$1,659.67

Capital Balance: \$5,855.98

## **Summer Flower Program/Landscaping**

<u>Barrels and Planters</u>: The vendor which was to provide the 10 replacement barrels is unable to fill the order. A new vendor has been located and the replacement barrels will be purchased in the spring. The price is the same.

<u>Gateway Garden</u>: Volunteers did a great job of clean up and putting to bed at Gateway last week! Thanks to the volunteers and Lee for organizing them.

Dixon Parking Lot: Weeding is needed in the hew hedge. Will schedule for Greenup Day 2016.

### **RBP Lighting**

Fred provide a cost estimate for 3 LED lights for the pergola, 4 mushroom lights for the paver walkway, a small spotlight to light the sign on the corner, and lights for the trees. Fred noted that the test LED light has been installed in the center crossbar on the pergola. Members agreed that one light will be sufficient to light the wooden walkway.

Lee moved and Fred seconded a motion to "Authorize the purchase and installation of: 1 LED light on the pergola, 5 mushroom lights for the paver walkway, 1 light for the sign, commercial grade twinkle lights for the cross bars of the pergola, and additional outlets for the twinkle lights." The motion passed.

Fred will get revised estimates from several vendors for the work and report at the next meeting.

#### **Community Garden**

Scott advised that he is working with Mt Snow regarding the availability of water. A new pump and/or electric meter may need to be installed. Mary and Karen will meet at the site on Monday.

### **Town Manager Update**

The Bridge at Reardon's Crossing is scheduled to be raised the first week of November.

The Gateway sign at the Oxbow will be moved to its previous location.

Next Meeting Monday, October 26, at 9:00 am Location: Town Hall

**Agenda** Treasurers Report, Landscape, Town Manager Update Please notify Cheryl of any additional items for the agenda.

Adjourn Motion: Fred Second: Keith Meeting adjourned at 10:00 am

Respectfully Submitted,

Celia Weissman Secretary

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