Wilmington Beautification Committee August 14, 2017

Committee Members Present: Cheryl Rothman, Fred Skwirut, Chris Medina, Lee Schindel, Alice Greenspan, Keith Herbert, Adele Mattern, Melanie Demock, Gretchen Havreluk **Committee Members Absent:** None

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 am by Cheryl.

Approval of Minutes

Meeting: July 24, 2017 Motion: Alice, Second: Lee In Favor: 6 Opposed: 0 Approved

Treasurers Report

No update at this time.

Landscape Committee

Cheryl discussed with Gretchen regarding Brandon weed whacking and round-up at West main Parking lot.

Gateway Garden fall cleanup work day scheduled for 10/12/17. Chris will provide volunteers from Hermitage Club grounds crew.

Keith to install additional mulch at Dixon and weed whack behind the fence at Rivers Edge.

Keith to weed whack around plantings at Oxbow and cut hydrangea back (half way) in fall.

Flower Barrels

Vandalism has been reported at the welcome sign flower pot as you enter Wilmington from the east. Also, reports of flowers being removed from multiple flower barrels.

Adele researched replacement flower barrels and options for waterproofing inside of barrels. Home Depot appears to be an inexpensive and readily available option for purchasing additional barrels. Waterproofing the inside of barrels with tar would help with longevity.

Community Garden

Fred reported continuing to go very well.

Town Manager Update

Gretchen reported difficulty with obtaining bids for ramp construction on Reardon Bridge.

Next Meeting

Monday, August 28, 2017; 8:00 am. Location: Town Hall

Adjourn

Motion: Adele, Second: Chris In Favor: 6 Opposed: 0 Meeting adjourned at 8:32 am

Respectfully Submitted, Chris Medina Secretary