

Wilmington Beautification Committee
November 26, 2018

Committee Members Present: Cheryl Rothman, Anne Saracino, Melanie Lopez, Alice Greenspan, Keith Herbert

Committee Members Absent: Lee Schindel, Fred Skwirut, Adele Mattern, Bev Butler

The meeting was called to order at 9:08 am by Cheryl.

Visitors, Public Comments, Possible Changes to Agenda
None

Approve Minutes

Meeting: October 9, 2018

Motion: Alice, Second: Keith

In Favor: 5

Opposed: 0

Approved

Meeting: October 22, 2018

Deferred until next meeting due to lack of quorum who attended last meeting

Treasurer's Report

None- to be updated next meeting, holiday décor charges coming

Landscape Committee

Discussion on putting up more holiday decorations. Cheryl talking to Fred about lights on pergola. Keith will work on fixing lights hanging too far down on pergola. Alice may have lights she can donate for Riverbank- if they do not match existing lights, new lights need to be purchased.

Flower Barrel Program

Committee to request a single line item of \$29,000.00 on town budget to be approved for the 2020 barrel budget. Last year used \$24,000. Need \$5000 more to account for buying plants for the next season before the next budget is available as plants need to be ordered in the beginning of the year. Committee also going to request \$1000 less on operating budget for Beautification operation costs to help mitigate extra \$5000 request

Plant list presented for RFP:

TOWN:

50 large wooden whiskey barrels:

4 pink whopper begonias

2 white gaura

2 yellow lantana

4 blue scaevola

2 sweet potato vine

Total 12/ 4 inch plants + 2 white gaura /6 inch = TOTAL NUMBER 14 PLANTS

6 large wooden whiskey barrels / shade:

- 1 Colocasia
- 4 pink dragon wing begonias
- 2 white sun patiens
- 2 yellow lantana
- 4 blue scaevola
- 2 sweet potato vine

Total 14 / 4 inch plants + 1 Colocasia-/6 inch = TOTAL NUMBER 15 PLANTS

Rt. 100 Barrels:

32 small barrels:

- 3 pink whopper begonias
- 1 white gaura
- 2 yellow lantana
- 2 blue scaevola
- 1 sweet potato vine

Total 8 / 4 inch plants + 1 white gaura / 6 inch = TOTAL NUMBER 9 PLANTS

3 large wooden whiskey barrels:

- 4 pink whopper begonias
- 2 white gaura
- 2 yellow lantana
- 4 blue scaevola
- 2 sweet potato vine

Total 12/ 4 inch plants + 2 white gaura /6 inch = TOTAL NUMBER 14 PLANTS

Town Office Building:

- 5/ 36 inch hayracks
- 2/ 44 inch hayracks

FLOWERS:

- pink dragon wing begonias
- purple heliotrope
- yellow lantana
- white gaura/ or white alyssum (lobularia)
- blue scaevola
- sweet potato

2 wooden ground level window boxes (town clerk door)

FLOWERS:

- pink dragon wing begonias
- white baby wing begonias

DOT'S BRIDGE - 4 WOODEN WINDOW BOXES

flowers:

- pink dragon wings
- white gaura (6 inch)

- yellow lantana
- blue scaevola
- sweet potato vine

PERGOLA PARK / RIVER BANK PARK

- 1 large wooden window box
- 1 front planter (street level)
- 2 small elevated planters

FLOWERS:

- pink whopper begonias
- yellow lantana
- blue scaevola
- sweet potato vine
- white gaura (6 inch)
- sweet potato vine
- 2 Prince Tut (6 inch)
- yellow thunbergia

MEMORIAL HALL:

- 2 wooden window boxes

FLOWERS:

- pink whopper begonias
- yellow lantana
- blue scaevola
- white alyssum
- sweet potato vine

flag pole area:

- verbena bonariensis 606 Jumbo flat

REARDON WALKING BRIDGE:

- 8 / 44 inch hayracks
- 2 / 80 inch hayracks

FLOWERS:

- pink dragon wings
- yellow lantana
- blue scaevola
- white alyssum or white gaura
- sweet potato vine

WELCOME SIGNS:

- 3 / 55 inch hayracks (Rt. 100 N, Rt. 9 E, Rt. 9 W)

FLOWERS:

- pink whopper begonias
- yellow lantana
- blue scaevola
- white gaura or white alyssum
- sweet potato vine

PETTEE MEMORIAL LIBRARY:

2 planters

FLOWERS:

pink whopper begonias

yellow lantana

blue scaevola

white alyssum

HANGING BASKETS: DOT'S BRIDGE & RT. 9 EAST

20 / 17 inch hanging baskets

FLOWERS:

pink dragon wing begonias

yellow lantana

blue scaevola

white petunias

sweet potato vine

Motion to approve plants and number of barrels with selected plants for 2019 season (2020 budget) as well as approve proposal to select board of \$29,000 for use as a line item budget for the 2020 barrel program.

Motion: Keith, Second: Melanie

In Favor: 5

Opposed: 0

Approved

Next Meetings

Thursday November 29th, 2018; 8:00 am Location: Town Hall – meet to present request for line item to select board

Monday, December 10, 2018; 9:00 am. Location: Town Hall- regular meeting scheduled

Adjourn

Motion: Alice, Second: Anne

In Favor: 5

Opposed: 0

Meeting adjourned at 9:54 am.

Respectfully Submitted,

Melanie Lopez

Secretary