

June 14, 2023 Beautification Meeting Minutes

May 10, 2023 minutes were read and approved with revisions.

Treasurer's Report: Diana Lince reported a balance of \$3270.38.

John Caron: John said there have been aesthetic improvements to the cell tower at Blossom Heath, but no structural repairs have been done.

John reported noisemakers and a dog are being used to remove the geese at Blossom Heath.

John stated the clock at Little Mack/Harper Ave. has been repaired.

John also said the rain gardens in the City Hall parking lot have been weeded and filled with river rock.

John also reported the brown pot by the guard shack at the Lac St. Claire marina has been planted.

Jeff Fisette: Jeff reported new lights have not yet been installed at Donaldson/Jefferson Ave. or at the Milk River/Jefferson Ave.

Jeff also said the flowers that were planted at the golf course are doing well.

Jeff stated he will see if he is able to treat the phragmites at Veterans Memorial Park when he has them treated at the golf course.

Updates: Eileen Miskiewicz said the last Farmers Market went well.

Denise Pecherski said even though the irrigation system is functioning at the Milk River sign, more water is needed on the flowers. The flowers that were planted there earlier need to be replaced.

Diana Lince reminded members to check on their beds regularly. She also said South Lake would like us to move the large pot from Greenwood Elementary to the South Lake administration building. Currently, there are no solutions to this issue.

Lillian Claycomb encouraged members to nominate homes and businesses for the yearly Beautification Awards. She also provided addresses of nominees for members to view and consider.

Lillian also reported the purple loose strife at Waves appears to have been removed.

Lillian also asked John Caron about the sprinklers being turned off at City Hall for the Memorial Day parade. John said that is standard procedure, and he will check to see how long the system is turned off so the watering of beds will not be an issue in the future.

New Business: The annual picnic is scheduled for August 9, 2023 at Blossom Heath Park at 6:00 p.m.

A clean-up is scheduled for I696/11 Mile on Monday, June 19, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Next meeting is scheduled for 7/12/23 at 6:00 p.m..