

MINUTES OF WESTON TOWN BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE MEETING ON MAY 1, 2019

Present – Lyette Segerdahl, Jim Jamieson, Karin Giannitti, Nancy Thiel, Ryan Gussen, Cynthia Williams

Non-members present were Town Administrator Jonathan Luiz and Anne Hunt, Weston Library.

Contracts: Weston Arborists: Contracts 2, 3, and 4; Louis Tenn: Contract 6; Ryan Gussen and Juan will split Contracts 1 and 5.

Minutes: Motion made, seconded and passed to approve the minutes of April 3, 2019. Claudia will need to select the mulch where needed for contract 1 and 5.

In order to have the contracts for 1 and 5 completed by Memorial Day, Ryan said he will ask a friend to help.

Watering: Mattera says we can use the cart but Beautification must purchase a watering tank and find a waterer. Jonathan said he would take care of attaching the watering can to the cart.

Historic District Commission: Nancy reported on her meeting with HDC. She gave a presentation. They asked for construction drawings for the sidewalks. They wanted a photo of the lamplight. They were not happy with the bench that Nancy suggested. They also asked if the bench needed to be on a pad of concrete. The next meeting will be next Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. Nancy is hopeful that they will vote at that time.

New Business: Anne Hunt wanted to discuss the Garden Club proposal for a Shakespeare Garden at the Library. It was the sense of the meeting that Nancy and Claudia should meet with Anne about a location for the proposed garden.

Proposed sidewalks: Jonathan said that the Spring of 2020, \$400,000 is locked in with state for the sidewalk construction.

Fundraising: Nancy asked if anyone knew of a veteran who might agree to chair or co-chair the fundraising for the proposed Town Green.

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 2019, AT 1:30 P.M.

Submitted by

Cynthia Williams

May 4, 2019