

Image and Beautification Board Meeting

Tuesday, May 14, 2019

Meeting was opened at 7:00 p.m.

Members Present

Jennie Stewart	Leo Gordon	Caroline McDonald
Andrew Fields	Lynn Gordon	

Jennie welcomed the Board Members to the meeting.

Adopt A Street Program

Andrew is still working on the letter that will be mailed to churches and businesses in Bellefontaine regarding the Beautification Action Day in September. He is also working on two residential flyers.

Vietnam Memorial

No update on the Vietnam Memorial. Space is complete for the memorial bench that was to be donated by SGT Vassallo's husband.

Beautification Action Day

Since the April 27 Beautification Action Day was rained out, a new date was scheduled. The new date is July 13 with a backup date of July 20. Jennie and Caroline will continue to attempt to reach someone at the Matthews-Dickey Boys and Girls Club. Caroline will also contact Riverview School District again about participation.

Planting

Jennie and Shelly cleaned out the flowers beds on Monday, May 13. Planting is scheduled for Saturday, May 18 at 9 a.m. Leo will contact Mark regarding mulch.

Jennie has completed the watering schedule and will send a copy to everyone via email.

Violations

Members were encouraged to go through their Wards and report homes with tall grass. The Building Department can be contacted if the house is vacant and Joe Regan can be contacted for businesses.

City Trash Cans

The old City trash cans built by the Boy Scouts were looked at and it was decided to paint them.

Resident Participation in Clean-Ups

Some initial ideas were mentioned such as:

- Messages on Marquee at Klein Pak and digital sign at City Hall
- Flyers
- Providing information at Front Desk and Recreation Center
- Earlier push
- Signs
- Identifying problem areas and mailing letters to residents

Next meeting the Board will spend time working on ideas on how to reach out to get residents more involved in our Beautification Action Days. Everyone was asked to bring ideas.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:03 p.m. The next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 11, 2019.