

MEETING MINUTES



Village Of Homewood
Beautification Committee
August 7, 2018

Homewood Village Hall Board Room
2020 Chestnut Road
Homewood, IL 60430

CALL TO ORDER – 7:10 PM

ROLL CALL - Sean Nettle, Annie McLaughlin, Laurie Klupchak, Becky Herkert, Sue Tomlinson, Vivian Harris-Jones; John Schaeffer

PUBLIC COMMENTS-

AGENDA ITEMS

- New member, Ciarra Stanton, was announced.
- There was a discussion of the plants used in the center of the above-ground pots on Dixie: These worked much better than last year's Cleome. Calibrachoa worked well, but need pruning at times.
Harwood planters: Should all of the planters be the same, or should there be some variation from planter to planter. This will be discussed later.
- Sweet Potato Vines: While they work well in the hanging planters by the tracks, is it time for a change elsewhere, e.g., the hanging baskets on Ridge? Dragon wings did well.
- Discussion of the Scarecrow Contest: We will have a booth for this at the Aug. 18 block party. Prize money is available this year. There probably isn't time to create a prototype this year, so we might use photos. Committee members will man the booth, two people at a time: 11:00-12:30: Annie M. & Sean N. Vivian and Arla 12:30-2:00: Laurie & Ciara & Mary. 2:00-3:30:
- Beautification Awards: There was some discussion on how we decide: By section or general objective criteria? This will be discussed at a future meeting.

GENERAL DISCUSSION

We'll discuss Fall Fest and Beautification Awards and Ceremony further in Sept.

ADJOURNMENT - 8:35 P.M.