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Halifax Beautification Committee

Meeting Minutes

September 19 2022

Meeting opened at 3:15 as that is when we achieved quorum

Members Present: Amy L. Troup, Shirley Graf, Colby Silva

Guests: Scott Materna, Colby's adorable children!!!, Diane Salvetti And Jeremy Gillespie

Amy read the agenda for approval

Motion for approval of the agenda by Shirley and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Colby

All in favor

Went right into an appointment for Scott Materna regarding the new garden that is being created by the new handicap ramp project.

Scott said that it will have a walking stick tree and boxwoods with rocks that will be held in by cobble stones. This creation is due to Cathy Drinan's, former Board Of Health Agent, favorite tree.

Shirley wanted to motion that we make it in honor of Troy Garron

We had a discussion that unfortunately it is usually someone who has passed on that receives a dedication.

The committee voted to be involved in the gardens dedication through the board of selectman when they had a full board again.

The committee also added that it would not have a financial responsibility for its care, however, would assist in helping get a sponsor to care for it. Much like in the way of the Margaret Fitzgerald Garden

Motioned by Colby, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Shirley

All were in Favor. Scott thanked us and left.

3:40p.m.

Interview with Jeremy Gillespie

He loves outdoor landscaping and the New England Character

He is from Arkansas.

He cleans up his neighborhood however has had conflicts of timing on participating directly in our clean up events

Member of the Monponsett Watershed

Talked a lot about the wellbeing of the lakes and trash that he has removed from the lake.

He uses two trash barrels that he has removed from the lake.

Likes to fish and kayak

Talked about Jet Skis and their dangerous habits (half wakes and jumping of the large waves)

Colby Motioned sending our committees recommendation of Jeremy Gillespie to the selectman for their appointment of Jeremy to the Beautification committee

2<sup>nd</sup> by Shirely

All 3 members were in Favor

Now the selectman have two to appoint as the committee has two open seats

Diane Salvetti and Jeremy Gillespie

Amy will send these recommendations and the dedication of the garden topics to the selectman for their discussion and action.

Cumberland Farms is using plastic bags that may or may not be banned.

Amy agreed to notify Bob Valery as he is the enforcer of the plastic bag by law

Clean up day

Discussions on the attached list for notifying Halifax and The area of the clean up day scheduled for

October 22<sup>nd</sup> 2022

Or any day in that time period

Amy agreed to ask the selectman for permission to use the dumpster for clean up in the weeks surrounding that day!

Motion to have Amy use up to \$100 to buy grabbers for the Clean up day made by Shirley and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Colby voted 3-0

Next meeting October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 3pm in the Selectmans Room

Motion to adjourn made at 4:42 pm by Colby and 2<sup>nd</sup> by shirley

3-0

Shirley Shob 6/6/2023

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## 2023 Revenue / Expense Report

From 07/01/2022 to 07/31/2022

01-693-5534		Beautification Comm -Expense		Account Type:		E		Available	% Exp
Year	Eff Date	Type	Description	Bal. Forward	Revenue	Expended	Encumbered		
2023	07/01/2022	BDAPP	FY23 Appropriations	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00%
01-693-5534 Ending Bal				500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00%
Period Total					0.00	0.00	0.00		
5500 Other Supplies Ending Bal				500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00%
Dept 693 Beautification Committee Ending Bal				500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00%
Fund 01 General Fund Ending Bal				500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00%

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## 2023 Revenue / Expense Report From 07/01/2022 to 07/31/2022

26-693-5502 Beautification Gift - Expenditure									
Year	Eff Date	Type	Description	Bal. Forward	Account Type: Revenue	Expended	E Encumbered	Available	% Exp
2023	07/01/2022	BDCFw	FY23 Special Revenue Carry Forward	4,312.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,312.91	0.00%
26-693-5502 Ending Bal				4,312.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,312.91	0.00%
Period Total					0.00	0.00	0.00		
5500 Other Supplies Ending Bal				4,312.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,312.91	0.00%
					0.00	0.00	0.00		
Dept 693 Beautification Committee Ending Bal				4,312.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,312.91	0.00%
					0.00	0.00	0.00		
Fund 26 Gifts and Donations Ending Bal				4,312.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,312.91	0.00%
					0.00	0.00	0.00		
Grand Total				4,812.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,812.91	0.00%
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