

# Centerville City Beautiful Commission

Minutes – November 11, 2014

Meeting called to order at 7:10 PM.

Present: Jan Prettyman, Bill Abrams, Marilou Enslein, Allen Nelson, Sherry Leighty, Judi Hetzer, Yvonne Jacobson, Patty Kraft, Debbie Schmidt, Tom Wheeler, Bonnie Seckley, JoAnne Rau (Council Liaison), Mary Lou Pence (Staff Liaison).

Guest: Julie Wheeler

A motion was made by Debbie Schmidt to accept the minutes from the October 7, 2014 meeting. Motion was seconded by Patty Kraft. Motion carried.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Thank you note was received from The Mayor's Summer Landscape Award winner, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pangburn. The award was presented at the October City Council Meeting. Picture was in the Town Crier.
- Numerous pictures have been taken, pertaining to City Beautiful Commission and will be in the Town Crier and on the City Facebook.
- The Centerville High School, venue for the Spring Seminar, has been reserved for Saturday, March 14, 2015 @ 10 AM. Logistics for the seminar will be discussed at the January 2015 meeting.
- Bonnie Sekley has submitted her resignation from the City Beautiful Commission to the City Council.
- Karen Beal will be on LOA following surgery, scheduled for November 17, 2014.
- The Holiday Walk and Annual Community Tree Lighting events are scheduled for Sunday afternoon, November 23<sup>rd</sup>. The Walk is from 1 to 5 PM with the lighting of the Community Christmas Tree at Benham's Grove at 5:30 PM. Entertainment and refreshments will be available.

## OLD BUSINESS

- Location and time for December 2<sup>nd</sup> CBC annual Holiday meeting. Debbie Schmidt will send out an email for venue and time for event.
- Zone Boundary research: Mary Lou Pence said this is a winter research project.

- Guidelines for judging Summer Landscape and Holiday Lighting Awards will be discussed in the spring.
- 2014 Holiday Lighting Awards -- Patty Kraft
  - Deadline for submitting winners is 12/8/14.
  - Gift Certificates per Mary Lou Pence are for \$25 to Doubleday's.
  - Announcement of winners will be made at the December 15<sup>th</sup> City Council Meeting.
  - Application for new CBC members is in the packet.
  - Business Awards also. Email nominations to CBC members.

## NEW BUSINESS

### Council Liaison Comments:

Per Joanne Rau: Costco will be opening on November 13.

Per Mary Lou Pence: City Manager would like for Arbor Day for the Commission to consider planting trees at the Iron Gate Park/Firehouse area on Iron Gate Park Drive.

### **Announcement by Patty Kraft:**

HEART WHOLE AGAIN! Announced she is getting married on December 27<sup>th</sup>.  
Our congratulations to Patty!

Motion to adjourn meeting made by Tom Wheeler and seconded by Allen Nelson.

Adjournment at 7:35 PM

Submitted by Karen Beal