



MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING OF COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, March 12, 2019

Kingsville Arena Room D

3:30 PM

A. CALL TO ORDER

Councillor T. Neufeld called the meeting to order at 3:30 P.M. with the following persons in attendance:

A. Batke
M. Baruth
M. Tremaine-Snip

Regrets: M. Durocher
C. Bedal

B. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

Councillor T. Neufeld reminded members that any declaration and its general nature are to be made prior to each item being discussed.

C. DELEGATIONS/PETITIONS/CORRESPONDENCE

None

D. AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA

Committee member A. Batke requested the addition of the Bee Pollination (presentation), Planting of the Native Tree and Revitalization of the Yellow Fish Program to be discussed.

E. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS

None

F. OTHER BUSINESS/UNFINISHED & NEW

1. CIB 2019

The committee brought up that a date still needs to be chosen for the Judges Tour (typically falls on the second week of July). There was also discussion of potentially choosing Del Fresco as a partner for the Tour. M. Baruth discussed that this year the focus of the CIB 2019 Tour should be more on a National scale and not just a local scale. Taking the Judges to various locations to showcase Kingsville such as local wineries, the dock and fisheries, dump

(where someone can discuss the steps and importance of recycling, compost, and garbage).

New Business

The committee discussed areas which they would like to focus on during the Judges tour consisting of the waterfront, wineries, dump, ERCA watershed management, local farms. M. Tremaine-Snip indicated that she liked the idea of having people come speak to the Judges versus the committee going out and taking them to multiple places. She discussed how this will allow for more time for the Judges to increase communication and ask more questions.

Some potential partners discussed include a rep from ERCA, Henry Denotter, Ken Vegh and Del Fresco. The focus of showcasing how Kingsville is a small community yet has such a large impact on a wider scale. T. Tremaine-Snip talked about creating a short video made up of small highlights and clips 'Kingsville in the News'.

2. Earth Day

This year Earth Day falls on Easter Monday April 22nd, 2019. M. Baruth indicated that Jack Miner will be hosting nature crafts during the day and a hike later in the evening.

The committee agreed on picking up garbage and creating a hashtag KingsvilleCleanUp# . The pickup location for garbage bags will be Jack Miner and the garbage bags will be provided by the Town.

CIB- 01-2019 Motion made by A. Batke and seconded by M. Tremaine-Snip for Earth Day Clean Up.

3. Shore Clean Up

TBD at a later date. Committee discussed having the Beach House Restaurant as a partner in cleaning up the beach. Focus on having the public outreach to see what service groups would like to participant in cleaning up the shore. Councillor T. Neufeld suggested advertisement be done through the Parks and Recreation Facebook page and through CIB.

4. Earth Hour

Earth Hour is on March 30th from 8:30pm-9:30pm. Councillor T. Neufeld asked that this be advertised through Parks and Recreation Facebook page.

5. Bee Pollination

The committee discussed potential dates for which the Bee Pollination presentation could be held either May 22nd or May 29th.

6. Revitalization of Yellow Fish Program

A. Batke requested the Town pay for the stencil marker. Councillor T. Neufeld told the committee he must first discuss with administration in further detail.

7. Planting of Native Tree

A. Batke requested for the Native Tree planting along with a plaque marking the first year CIB goes National.

CIB-02-2019

Motion made by A. Batke and seconded by M. Tremaine-Snip and M. Baruth for planting of the Native Tree and plaque.

G. Date of Next Meeting:

**April 16, 2019
At 4:30 pm at KINGSVILLE ARENA ROOM D**

H. ADJOURN

CIB 03-2019

Moved by Councillor T Neufeld and seconded by A. Batke to adjourn the meeting at 4:30 p.m.

CARRIED

CHAIR, Councilor T. Neufeld

RECORDING SECRETARY, M. DUROCHER