



COMMITTEE MINUTES

COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM COMMITTEE

JUNE 1, 2021 @ 5:30 P.M.

Via - Zoom

A. CALL TO ORDER

Councillor T. Neufeld called the Meeting to order at 5:35 P.M. with the following persons in attendance:

MEMBERS OF COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM COMMITTEE:

Councillor T. Neufeld
M. Fogal
J. Willoughby
T. Oswald
H. Crew
A. Tobin
K. Sonnenburg

MEMBERS OF ADMINISTRATION:

K. Loney, Manager of Recreation Programs
and Special Events

Absent: A. Batke, M. Tremaine-Snip

B. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

Councillor T. Neufeld reminded the Committee that any declaration is to be made prior to each item being discussed and to identify the nature of the conflict, if any, as the agenda items come forward.

C. STAFF REPORTS

1. Committee asked to complete the Parks and Recreation survey
2. Canada Day activities being planned such as a driving scavenger hunt, 500 gift bags to be handed out, virtual fireworks

20-2021 Moved by M. Fogal seconded by, J. Willoughby to receive the report as presented

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D. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

1. Communities in Bloom Committee Meeting Minutes May 4, 2021

21-2021 Moved by A. Tobin, seconded by J. Willoughby to receive the minutes of the Community in Bloom Committee Meeting dated May 4, 2021

CARRIED

E. NEW AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Best of Garden Process
 - a. Will be a challenge to pick eight gardens
2. Garbage Pick up
 - a. Clean Community Challenge: Communities in Bloom details to be posted on June 5th
3. Canada Day
 - Community Clean Sweep
 - Similar to June 5th event 5 minutes 5 days (in 2017)
 - First five days in July
 - Post pictures of people doing it with #KingsvilleBlooms
 - Astrid to create text to give to Karen to put in Canada Day bags
 - Packet of Wildflower Seeds Giveaway
 - Have libraries, business, Parks and Recreation give out
 - Should we ask Home Hardware
 - Councillor T. Neufeld to ask Home Hardware options
 - To hand out at Open Streets
 - Community Craft Commemorating Canada Day
 - Create wind chimes with recyclables
 - Advertise at end of school year
 - Elder College did a Beach combing craft project and turn things into art
 - Marcy to look if there is an interest from the Elder College to do this later summer
 - Nature Journal Club
 - Start a club
 - What do I see, what do I wonder about this



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- Good for all ages
 - Pictures, numbers and words related to nature
 - Astrid willing to lead
 - To work with Karen to develop the club
4. Bee Friendly – deferred
 5. Open Streets
 - a. There will be an information booth hosted by the Town at Open Streets, CIB is encourage to volunteer and are able to provide information.
 - b. To look if the seed packages can be handed out.
 6. Potential Downside of Honey Bee Keeping – deferred
 7. Kingsville Times - Online Articles
 - a. Times is interested doing an articles to inform the community
 - b. See if would do an article on Clean Sweep
 - c. Marcy to approach someone to if they are interested.

F. NEXT MEETING DATE

1. The next meeting of the Communities in Bloom Committee shall take place at the call of the Chair.

G. ADJOURNMENT

022-2021 Moved by J. Willoughby, seconded by M. Fogal to adjourn this Meeting at 6:23 P.M.

CARRIED

CHAIR, T. Neufeld

**RECORDING SECRETARY,
K. Loney**