



COMMITTEE MINUTES

COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM COMMITTEE

October 3, 2023 / 6:00 PM
Kingsville Arena – Room C
1741 Jasperson Drive, Kingsville

PRESENT: Carol Dunn
Karin Sonnenberg
Jessica Towle
Janet Willoughby
Heather Crewe, Recording Secretary
Karen Loney, Staff Liaison

REGRETS: Alan Batke
Councillor Thomas Neufeld

A. CALL TO ORDER

Chair, C. Dunn called the meeting to order at 6:10 p.m.

B. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

The Chair reminded the Committee of their duty to disclose any pecuniary interests as they arise.

C. ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CIB Dances

**Moved by Janet Willoughby
Seconded by Heather Crewe**

THAT the CIB Fundraiser dance on November 24, 2023 proceed as planned.

CARRIED

2. Speakers for May

D. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

**Moved by Janet Willoughby
Seconded by Heather Crewe**

THAT the Communities in Bloom Committee Meeting Minutes of September 5, 2023 be approved.

CARRIED

E. STAFF REPORTS

1. K. Loney, Manager of Recreation Programs and Special Events

- a. CIB 2024 budget was submitted with no changes as we will not participate in the National Judging competition.
- b. Volunteer Ambassadors were consolidated across all event committees.



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F. INFORMATION ITEMS

- a. Pumpkin Parade – all items arranged for November 1st event
- b. Meditation Trail – Podcast complete and will be sent for review
- c. Invasive Species Grant – no deadline for submission but need to do
- d. Commemorative Tree Program – is an idea that could be persud but more research would need to happen

G. NEXT MEETING DATE

The next meeting of the Communities in Bloom Committee will take place on November 7, 2023 at Kingsville Arena – Room C @ 6:00 P.M.

H. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Jessica Towle
Seconded by Janet Willoughby

THAT the meeting adjourn at 8:00 p.m.

CARRIED

CHAIR, Carol Dunn

RECORDING SECRETARY, Heather Crewe