

City of Madison
Beautification and Tree Board
Tuesday, April 19, 2016
Council Chambers, City Hall
5:30 p.m.



Attendees:

Karen Lawler, Beth Agee, Amber Braman, Julie Ray, Karen Forsyth, Hollye Raines, Gerald Clark, Franklin Wetzel, and, Liz Smith.

Absent:

Alice Tucker, Meredith Kilby, and Marsha Harris

Minutes

Proceedings:

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Karen Lawler.

Karen introduced and welcomed our new member, Wetzel Franklin.

The minutes from the meeting held March 15, 2016 were approved as written.

Treasurer's Report

Julie Ray reported that the current balance is \$23,417.17

Beautification Awards/Judging

Amber Braman reported as of today she had received 6 applications paid through PayPal (one for two properties) and 5 paid via mail.

She will work with Meredith Kilby to get an article in the Madison Record.

The luncheon is scheduled for June 23. Liz Smith is working with Best Western to finalize the menu. She will forward the menu choices to the Board members and ask everyone to send her their vote.

Amber is working on the plaques and gave the approximate cost as \$19.99 - \$22.99 with gold on black lettering. Each plaque will include the business name and landscaper name.

Parker's Florist estimated a large arrangement to cost ~ \$65.

Other Business

A Madison resident was questioning why the roses had not been pulled along Gillespie. Julie Ray will send an email to Public Works requesting they pull the roses along Gillespie.

The Gateway

The Board will plant lantana and butterfly bushes, as well as day lilies for fill-in on April 23 at the Gateway. Everyone is welcome.

Hollye Raines reported the Madison Chamber Luncheon will be held tomorrow, April 20. There will be a PowerPoint presentation about the upcoming Beautification Awards/ (judging).

The meeting adjourned at 6:05p.m.

Prepared by Karen Forsyth