

Beautification Minutes of February 3, 2014, 4:30 pm at Town Hall.

Present: Barbara Rushmore, Ross Sormani and Anika Costa.

Excused absences: Ghee Patrick, Bill Docker and Dot Freitas.

BR moved to approve the Minutes of January 13, 2014, omitting the paragraph paying O'Brien for the Underberg-Davis Bench, which has been paid previously. RS seconded. So voted 3-0.

Financial Report: RS moved to pay Conwell Lumber \$11.98 from the Budget. AC seconds. So voted 3-0. RS moved to pay O'Brien \$1,080 from the Budget for slats for Town benches. AC seconds. So voted 3-0. Balance: \$4,865.74 in the Beautification Gift Fund and \$10,541.73 in our Budget

A wide-ranging discussion about future projects ensued. AC asked "Is the Joseph Memorial Tree a Black Pine?" RS wants the tree shown to its best advantage by the lighting. AC suggests metal bird baths with drilled holes and sand in them for cigarette butts in the parks. AC to order same. RS says Bayberry Gardens and Garden Renovations have Beautification Committee Accounts. The new DPW Assistant Director is Eric Larson should be on our agenda for the next meeting. We should all come back with ground cover suggestions. The curb on the island at Standish and Bradford Sts. needs repair. AC to contact Ray Duarte.

Our Next Meeting will be at 4:30 Monday, March 3, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,



Barbara Rushmore