

**Town of Glastonbury
Community Beautification Committee
Regular Meeting Minutes of Wednesday, November 14, 2018**

1. Roll Call

Present: Robert Shipman, Chairman
Della Winans, Vice Chairman
Jarrod Sansoucy, Secretary
Linda DeGross
Debra DeVries-Dalton
Kate Morgan

Absent: Mark Babineau

2. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES - Minutes of the Regular Meeting of October 10, 2018

Della made motion to accept the minutes which Linda seconded; all in favor 5-0.

3. 244 NAUBUC AVENUE – landscaping for a change of use from residential to hair salon – Town Center Mixed Use and Flood Zones – Attorney Meghan Hope - Chrisoula LaBella, applicant

Jarrold suggested changing some of the 20 daylilies to 10 daylilies and 10 *sedum autumn joy*.

Della requested to plan and plant the perennials in clusters of three instead of a bunch of single plantings.

Bob suggested, in the future, working together to eliminate the hedgerow of burning bush, as it is considered an invasive species; this was just a note to the owner, not a change to the plan. (Jarrod did question that the hedge might actually have been planted on the neighbor's property.)

Linda made motion to accept the plan with the above listed changes, which Jarrod seconded; all in favor 5-0.

4. OTHER BUSINESS

As Meghan Hope was present for the Naubuc Avenue project, Bob thought it would be a good time to chat about the changes that the Committee reviewed for 80 Glastonbury Boulevard and Edge Fitness at 2855 Main Street. A few members had weighed in via email but were unable to talk in a group about the changes and the Committee's concerns. Everyone felt a combination of both native and non-native trees to help screen the abutting property and also deal with possibly wet soils. Wet soil plant suggestions were made, including *taxodium*, *tulip tree*, *dawn redwood* and *magnolia virginiana*

Meeting adjourned at 8:45pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Jarrold Sansoucy