

WEST ALLIS BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE MINUTES
Monday, January 20, 2014 - 7:00 PM
West Allis City Hall Conference Room 118
7525 W. Greenfield Ave.

The meeting of the West Allis Beautification Committee was held on Monday, January 20, 2014, at 7:00 PM. at City Hall.

Present: Mike Rushmer, Mary Johnson, Charlene Dempsey, Virginia Stuller, Judy Hutto, Deb Plantiko

Excused: Karen Timonen, Lori-Kay Horvath Pat Wolfe, Sharon Plucinski

OLD BUSINESS

Approval on minutes from the November 9, 2013 meeting (No minutes taken only Mike Rushmer and Mary Johnson attended)

Continued discussion of the Beautification Committee Mission Statement

Continued discussion the Beautification Awards Guidelines

The need for the "Porch Award" signs was discussed, Virginia will contact the WAWM School District to approach the Art students for developing a design for a sign to be displayed at the residence of the Winners

NEW BUSINESS

Keep Milwaukee Beautiful – Virginia will be the representative for the committee

Committee Reports:

Deb indicated that funding through block grants is going to be limited. There was brief discussion regarding recruitment of potential private foundation grants. Virginia volunteered to explore the availability of funding through grants.

Mike indicated that Forestry will only be planting trees along 2013 capitol improvement projects this spring.

2014 Meeting Dates (please mark your calendar)

March 10	May 12
July 14 (review properties)	September 15 (awards ceremony-tentative)
November 10	January 14, 2015

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 PM.
Respectfully submitted,

Michael G. Rushmer, Chairman