

Communities in Bloom Committee Meeting Minutes
April 23, 2024
Town Hall Chambers

In Attendance:

B.J. Scott – Chair
Wendy Ryan – Vice Chair
Pat McGilvrey
Donna Owens
Windy Desjarlais
Joyce Taylor
Rhonda Oczkowski – Recreation Programmer

Regrets:

Wayne Oliver - Councillor

1. Call to Order

1:34 pm

2. Approval of CIB, April 23, 2024 Agenda

Additions 4f. Pitch in

5. Vista Village

Wendy Desjarlais moved to approve agenda with additions. CARRIED

3. Approval of CIB March 13, 2024 Minutes

Wendy Desjarlais moved to approve the CIB March 13, 2024 minutes as presented. CARRIED

4. Business Arising from the Minutes

a. Terms of Reference

The Terms of Reference has been accepted by Town Council.

b. New Focus Activity

To work on educational pieces such as composting, recycling, rain barrels, drought resistance Gardens.

c. School Gardens

Canyon School planted marigolds with assistance from the Bluemouse Greenhouse. Pincher Planters donated 120 pots. On May 2 sunflowers will be planted. CIB will purchase prizes to award for the sunflower growing. Vista Village received left over plants that were not needed for the project.

d. Recycle Fair

Donna Owen and Pat McGilvrey have volunteered to help out at the Recycle Fair on June 8.

e. Yard of Week Format

This committee has decided to go with recognition of "Best Drought Tolorant Garden". Committee members will keep their eyes open for such gardens to refer for recognition.

f. Pitch in

Wendy Desjarlais has her work place Visions doing a clean up and has challenged ATB. Canyon School and Livingston School will be participating in a clean up.

5. New Business

a. 2025 CIB Symposium

Town Council has inquired if we were still considering hosting the 2025 CIB Symposium. This committee does not feel we could do it due to the time constraints. The committee would like to reconsider for 2027.

b. Vista Village

Vista Village is looking for volunteers to help with their gardens.

6. Bank Accounts

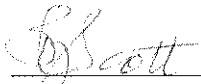
Vision CIB March 31, 2024 has a balance of \$5212.23

7. Next Meeting

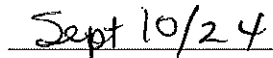
June 19 at 2:00 pm

8. Adjournment

2:47 pm



Approved by B.J. Scott



Date