

# Woodstock Beautification Committee

## Minutes

### Regular Meeting

September 14, 2017

11:00 AM

1. Call to order 11:00 AM

Meet at Noren Garden area and report to Room A to continue.

Attendance: Judith Gries, Marilyn Pomeroy, Edie Pearce, Marian Hallowell

Excused: Charlotte Davis. Chad Hart, Mary Seney

2. Approval of April Minutes: Hallowell, Pomeroy

3. Treasurer's Report: \$600.00

4. Old Business:

a. Town Common: Pomeroy and all discussed condition of roses on Common. Gypsy Moths damage substantial throughout all roses, though definitely stressed, bloomed. Pomeroy noted two diseased trees to be eliminated on Common. Committee considering planting a tree next year.

b. South Woodstock Common, oak seedling to be planted by QC Garden Club project, still open.

5. **New Business:**

a. FYI WALK OCTOBER 15

b. Tour of planting changes at Town Hall. All agreed on simplification of overgrown plantings and new selections by Judy Walberg with aid of and Town Highway Dept.

c. Discussion of Noren Town Garden. See below.

d. Plantings been consisting replanted. Because of poor soil conditions, area too hot weather-wise, salt from snow removal, creeping Juniper, individuals walking across planting areas and despite extra watering, plantings are in poor health.

e. Motion made: (see below) Hallowell, Seconded, Pearce, All: Yes

f. Motion: Noren Garden area: Ask John Navarro/Highway Department to care for the area. Gries will contact John Navarro. Beautification Committee will make their emphasis on Town Common(s) and if requested would be available for advising on any other Town Hall garden area plantings.

g. Adjourn: 12:00 PM Next meeting Oct 21<sup>st</sup> @11:00 AM Room A