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OCTOBER 26, 2021 - MEETING MINUTES  
**BEAUTIFICATION COMMISSION**  
CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS

CITY HALL – COMMUNITY ROOM  
31555 ELEVEN MILE ROAD

**CALL TO ORDER BY:** Jennifer Chinn at 6:05 PM. in the City Hall South Conference Room.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rita Roberts, Betti Pool, Jennifer Chinn, Kathie Brown. Carol Kurth, Katherine Massey

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Jawahar Babu, Sherry Jones

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Charmaine Kettler-Schmult, Staff Liaison

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 21, 2021:** Motion by Betti Pool, second by Katherine Massey, to approve the minutes of as submitted. Motion carried: 6-0

**CORRESPONDENCE AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

None

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:** Motion by Kathie Brown, second by Katherine Massey to approve the agenda the addition of item 7B. Keep Michigan Beautiful Award event. Motion carried: 6-0

**REVIEW OF CALENDAR:** The Commissioners reviewed the calendar. Add Spring plant swap on May 21<sup>st</sup> and Carol Posby Litter Walk on April 23. No meeting in November and December.

**OLD BUSINESS ITEM:**

- A. Update of aesthetics on Pedestrian Bridge on M-5 at Folsom and Freedom Roads. Charmaine checked with City Hall and city staff do not do maintenance on that bridge. That is MDOT's purview. Resident wants to present his vision for improvements to the Beautification Commission. The resident will be invited to our January meeting.
- B. Kathie Brown, Jennifer Chinn and Jawahar Babu attended the Keep Michigan Beautiful Award ceremony in Lansing where they were presented a Merit Award for the Carol Posby Litter Walk. They brought a wonderful display showing our litter walk program. There were speaker presentations about Pure Michigan, the M-5 Pipeline and how the Zoo configured used firehoses for monkeys to play on and feed on. They sat with Marian McCellan, the Mayor of Oak Park, and she talked about **the** improvements of the I-696/Coolidge Hwy overpass bridge and the sunflowers leading up to the bridge.

**NEW BUSINESS ITEMS:**

- A. BC Awards Program Rehearsal – Carol, Jennifer and Betti rehearsed their presentations for the Awards Program on Thursday, October 28, 2021.

**COMMISSIONER COMMENTS:**

None

**Meeting adjourned:** Motion to adjourn by Jennifer Chinn at 7:09 PM.