

Beautification & Natural Environment
March 28, 2007

Meeting called to order at 12:15 p.m. by Chairperson Tilley.

<u>IN ATTENDANCE</u>	Chairperson	P. Tilley
	Councillor	E. Müller
	Town Clerk	M. Blackmore
	Recreation Director	G. Gosse
	Enforcement Officer	S. Berger
	Recording Secretary	J. Reid

GARBAGE/RECYCLE
CONTAINERS

Final clarification on the design of the garbage container was received today, therefore the order for the containers will be placed with Carter's Wholesale in the amount of \$2666.86 this afternoon.

TIDY TOWNS

Application for competition for 2007 Tidy Towns has been submitted. Town Clerk presented information regarding a workshop for Tidy Towns to be held in Gander on May 11th. It was suggested that the Town have representation at the workshop.

LIGHTING THE FALLS

Discussion took place on the lighting of falls.
RECOMMENDATION: Chairperson Tilley will speak to representative of Artifact Design Studio for a cost estimate for a concept design for the area and a representative from HATCH for a cost estimate for engineering for design work.

COMMUNITY GARDEN

Community Garden Project still in the planning stages. Committee working on having this ready for early summer.

SHORELINE MARKET

An advertisement is being prepared for the rental of the kiosks at the Shoreline Market, which will be available for rental May 1st. Since a portion of the gasoline tax rebate which was to be used for this project is now being used for other areas, Cr. Müller will be looking at a revised work plan for this year.

SIGNAGE - BARE
MOUNTAIN

Discussion took place regarding directional signs, as a tourist attraction to be erected at Bare Mountain.

KATIMAVIK STUDENTS

The 9 Katimavik students are finishing up their projects and would like to do a project for the Town. Several areas were discussed with no decision made yet.

MONUMENT AT

MEMORIAL/MANITOBA

DRIVE

Cr. Müller reported work will commence soon on repairs to the monument at Memorial/Manitoba Drive intersection.

GREEN FUND

Cr. Müller informed the Committee that she will be applying for Green Funding again this year, namely Persona for \$2500 and Canada Green for \$15,000.

EARTH DAY

Earth Day is scheduled for April 22, 2007. Recreation Director asked for ideas as to what could be done for bring public awareness. It was decided that a letter would be sent to schools, organizations, service groups, etc. in an effort to get a group of leaders to organize clean ups for the week.

RECOMMENDATION: That we would kick off the Yellow Bag Campaign on Earth Day and continue with it until Saturday, April 28th at which time a reception, with draws for prizes, be held for the participants.

NEWSLETTER

It was decided that the next newsletter would go out before Earth Day, April 22nd.

MEETINGS

It was decided that the committee will be meeting on a weekly basis while we are into the busy cleanup season. Next meeting scheduled for April 4, 2007.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

Respectively submitted,

Paul Tilley, Chairperson