

Beautification & Natural Environment
May 29, 2007

Meeting called to order at 12:10 p.m. by Chairperson Tilley.

<u>IN ATTENDANCE</u>	Chairperson	P. Tilley
	Councillor	E. Müller
	Town Clerk	M. Blackmore
	Enforcement Officer	S. Berger
	Katimavik Students	C. Karras
		K. Seltner

<u>REGRETS</u>	Recreation Director	G. Gosse
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<u>KATIMAVIK STUDENTS</u>	Cr. Müller introduced the Katimavik Students who will be working with the Town for the summer.
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<u>GARBAGE/RECYCLE CONTAINERS</u>	The garbage/recycle containers have been delivered. Recreation Director will co-ordinate the placement of same when he returns from vacation.
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<u>HERITAGE SOCIETY LOCOMOTIVE</u> the	The locomotive has arrived. The Heritage Society will clean up area and paint the locomotive. It was suggested that maybe the Mayor would do a formal acknowledgment from the Town.
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<u>CLEAN UP</u>	Discussion took place re the removal of car wrecks and properties which need attention. It was decided that some commercial properties need cleanup. It was suggested that maybe the Recreation Director could apply for a JCP Grant in order to get manpower to clean up the embankments along the roadways. The last cleanup of the campaign and a barbecue will take place when the Recreation Director returns.
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<u>SHORELINE MARKET FEES & HOURS</u>	Discussion took place re promoting the Shoreline Market. It was suggested that the fees would be waived for 2007. The specific hours of opening would also be waived for this year as well.
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<u>TREE PLANTING</u>	NF Power is contributing \$3500 for tree planting. Trees will be planted at the Shoreline Market and near the War Memorial on Pleasant Street.
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<u>SHORELINE MARKET</u>	It was decided to place a barrier around the Shoreline Market. Director of Public Works will be responsible for installing the posts.
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ENVIROFEST

Discussion took place on the Envirofest Booth. It was decided that the Promotional Co-ordinator do a back drop and a slide show. Items of interest would be our newsletter, promoting the gardening endeavour, garbage nets, trail map, hazardous waste and the yellow bag campaign.

TIDY TOWNS
WORKSHOP

Town Clerk and Chairperson Tilley attended a Tidy Towns Workshop in Gander May 11th. They presented a few ideas to be used on the day of the judging, namely a reception with the judges and volunteers, a slide show, provide copies of newsletters, new garbage/recycle bins, have folders prepared for the judges with a letter from the Mayor.

2008 TOURISM GUIDE
ENTRY

Promotional Co-ordinator is preparing a submission for the 2008 Tourism Guide. Items of interest are Bare Mountain Trail, Tidy Towns, Clarenville Caribous, Trail System, Shoreline Market, Island Cove. Upcoming events are Clarenville Days, Arts Under the Stars, etc.

FRONT WALKWAY

It was decided to seek quotes to have work done to the front walk to the Town Hall.

STUDENTS

The Town has been approved for 4 students. 2 will be hired now and 2 for July.

ADOPT A SPOT

Correspondence received from an Adopt a Spot holder outlining the dissatisfaction with issues regarding damages to their Adopt a Spot while snowclearing and doing maintenance on Butler Crescent. It was agreed that the Adopt a Spot holder be written encouraging them to continue with the Adopt a Spot and advise them that the Public Works Department will be notified of their concerns.

NEXT MEETING.

At the call of the Chair.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Respectively submitted,

Paul Tilley, Chairperson