



## **Heartland Beautification Committee Agenda August 1, 2019 at 11:45 Stettler Recreation Centre Board Room**

### 2019 Projects

*Environmental Action  
Stettler Blooms  
Tidiness  
Parks and Trees  
Heritage Conservation*

1. Agenda/Agenda Approval
2. Confirmation of the July 4, 2019 HBC Minutes
3. Business Arising from the July 4, 2019 HBC Minutes
4. Statement of Revenue & Expenses as of July 31, 2019
5. Sub-committee reports
  - a.) Stettler Blooms
  - b.) Environmental Action
  - c.) Tidiness
  - d.) Parks and Trees
  - e.) Heritage Conservation
6. Next Meeting –September 5, 2019
7. Adjournment

**"Keeping Stettler Clean and Green"**

**MINUTES OF THE HEARTLAND BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**July 4, 2019**

**Present:** Councilor Cheryl Barros, Chairperson Rob Spencer, G. Fix, K. Kilgour, J. Newton, B. Robbins

**Call to Order:** Chairperson Rob Spencer called the meeting to order at 12:10pm

1. **Additions/Agenda Approval**

Chairperson R. Spencer moves that the agenda be approved as presented.

MOTION CARRIED  
Unanimous

2. **Confirmation of February 1, 2018 HBC Meeting Minutes**

Moved by G. Fix that the Minutes from the June 6, 2019 Heartland Beautification Committee Meeting be approved as presented.

MOTION CARRIED  
Unanimous

3. **Business Arising**

None

4. **Statement of Revenues & Expenses**

Moved by R. Spencer that the Statement of Revenue and Expenses be approved as presented.

MOTION CARRIED  
Unanimous

## 5. CIB Judging

- Waiting to hear back from Tim Berry regarding SUV for tour
- Grace spoke with Brenda regarding using real dishes for the lunch and supper and she was on board with it
- Cloth napkins were donated by Canadian Linen
- Lunch will be for the parks staff at around 30 people
- Supper will be at the hub and for 30 people as well
- July 18<sup>th</sup> Judges will be having supper at BP's
- Everyone should be wearing name tags
- Rob will send invitation to council
- Grace will invite media to meet for photo opportunity along the way
- Brad mentioned the WS Park enhancement committee
- Going on tour will be Rob, Grace, 2 Judges, Brad, (room for 1 more)

## 6. **2019 Projects**

### a) Stettler Blooms

- Community gardens needs some work at #2
- Work bee planned for Community Orchard for the 16<sup>th</sup> to clean it up before judges come
- Rob would like to borrow a weed eater to do the edges of the orchard

### b) Environmental Action

- Gail Kunstman donated \$200 towards material to make some reusable produce bags to give out.
- Businesses were invited to meet and discuss the proposed single use plastic bags ban and no one showed up so this is a sign that not that concerned?
- Proposed bylaw will go to the committee of the whole and BOT meetings. It was suggested that Grace contact the places that just passed the bylaw to see how it has been going.
- It was also suggested that they make a shop Stettler reusable bag with sponsors on it to sell at a set price anywhere in Stettler. It would be cheaper to purchase in bulk.
- Walk N Roll results are Stettler is behind as there needs to be a correction on one submission. Ponoka and Wainwright are getting their youth to log trips
- Grace will talk to HYC and Library groups to do the same.
- Stettler Vet Clinic will be nominated by the Beautification Committee for the Eco Excellence Award.
- Mark Fox for individual award and Vince Miazga for Item Longevity Award
- Non profit award will be the Superfluity Crafters

c) Tidiness  
None

d) Parks and Trees  
None

e) Heritage Conservation  
None

6. New Business- None

7. Correspondence  
None

8. Next Meeting August 1, 2019

9. Adjournment- 1:10pm

August 5, 2019

## GREEN TIP OF THE WEEK

### "Eco Award Recipients"

Congratulations to Stettler area's Eco Excellence award recipients for 2019:

- **Mark Fox** (individual category)
- **Superfluity Crafters** (non-profit/institution category).

The business category will be presented at the Stettler Gala Awards in October.



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## GREEN TIP OF THE WEEK

### "Item-longevity Award"

Congratulations to **Vince Miazga** on receiving the "Item-Longevity" Stettler Eco Excellence award this year. He has mowed his lawn with the same lawn mower for 42 years. We congratulate him on thinking "longevity" instead of "throwaway"!



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## GREEN TIP OF THE WEEK

### "Scour pads"

Use orange or grapefruit mesh bags to make scour pads.



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## GREEN TIP OF THE WEEK

### "Biodegradable vs Compostable"

Biodegradable plastic means the material breaks down into ever smaller pieces more quickly than a regular plastic product but the petro-chemical makeup of the material remains in those pieces and gets into our water, soil and our food chain.

Compostable plastic is plant-based and breaks down completely into organics. If possible, choose compostable.



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