

**Amherstburg Parks Advisory Committee  
June 3, 2014 at 4:00 p.m.**

**MINUTES**

**PRESENT**

Councilor Diane Pouget  
Dante Pagliaroli - Chair  
Paulette Drouillard  
Annette Zahaluk - Administration

**ABSENT**

Councilor Bart DiPasquale  
Rosa White  
Maxine Iler

**CALL TO ORDER**

Dante Pagliaroli, Chair called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

**ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA**

Moved by Paulette  
Seconded by Diane

**That there being no required changes the agenda be accepted as presented.**

**MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

Dante asked that the wording be amended under Order of Business # 3

Moved by Diane  
Seconded by Paulette

**That the minutes of the meeting of the APAC held on April 1, 2014 at 4:00 p.m. be adopted with amendments as discussed.**

## **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

### **1. Card Program**

The month of April was skipped since there was still snow on the ground so late into the season. Bart to get addresses for May, Paulette is June.

### **2. Beautification award**

Dante recommended that we get a stone engraved and pick the best house out of the 2014 Card Program list, few comments made that this is already done by the Horticulture Society.

Discussion to continue at next meeting; when more people are at the meeting.

### **3. Meeting with Beverly Williams**

New resident to the area loves the Town and would like to formulate ideas to perhaps enhance certain areas. She would like to put together some kind of plan for Richmond Street between Sandwich and Dalhousie to encourage local businesses to establish and also to increase traffic to existing businesses.

Beverly's' background is in Urban Design and if we had somewhat of a plan in place, the Town would be better set up if and when Grants come available.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- Comment was made whether it is possible to move some planters from Laird to Sandwich Street to add some color. Parks Dept. will try and move some planters around, if time allows.
- Recommendation was made to start phasing out the annuals/bulbs planted and start incorporating more perennials. Won't be as colorful, but will be cost savings.
- Horticulture Society will be donating a cheque once again to help fund the hanging basket program.

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- What kind of information is available in Town in regards to the Bike trails, if any?

Find out information from Lasalle and their trail system in regards to stencils.

- Any background information available on Angstrom Park?

### **NEXT MEETING DATE**

Next meeting is set for August 5, 2014 at 4:00 p.m. Town Hall, Board Room.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Moved by Dante  
Seconded by Paulette

**That the meeting adjourns at 5:10 p.m.**