



SMALL TOWN, BIG BEACH

## Beautification Board

TO: Linda Bender  
Mary Wayne Gilmore  
Margaret Griffin  
Marlene Johnt  
Rodney Powell  
Brooke Taylor  
Gary Sinak  
Mark Acreman  
Harlan Harrison

FROM: Evelyn Sanders, Chairman

DATE: March 7, 2019

The regular meeting of the Beautification Board is set for **8:30 A.M., Wednesday, March 13, 2019** in the Administrative Conference Room in City Hall.

Call Kathy Brown at City Hall (968-1166) if you are unable to attend the regular meeting.

FYI via email: Mayor Robert Craft  
City Administrator Steve Griffin  
Council Members: Philip Harris, Joe Garris, Jason Dyken, Steve Jones  
Jennifer Watkins  
Hanna Lairy

# **AGENDA**

## **BEAUTIFICATION BOARD**

**March 13, 2019**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Welcome guests and members
- III. Approval of Minutes from February 13, 2019 meeting
- IV. Committee Reports
  - A. Arbor Day –Marlene & Rodney
  - B. Beautification Award – Rodney & Marlene
  - C. Media -Mary Wayne
  - D. Website- Margaret
  - E. New Projects- Linda
  - F. Landscape Work Update -Harlan & Mark
  - G. Planning & Zoning Update -Jennifer Watkins
  - H. Council Update- Gary Sinak
- V. Old Business
- VI. New Business
- VII. Meeting Date and Time
- VIII. Meeting Adjourn

# Beautification & Tree City Board

## City of Gulf Shores

### Minutes of Meeting

February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019

The Gulf Shores Beautification Board met on Wednesday, February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019 in the Council Chambers in City Hall. Evelyn Sanders, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. and presided over the meeting.

**Members Present:** Evelyn Sanders, Rodney Powell, Margaret Griffin, Gary Sinak, Mark Acreman, Jennifer Watkins, Linda Bender, Harlan Harrison, Brooke Taylor, & Marlene Johnt. Kathy Brown was there as a guest.

**Approval of Minutes:** The Minutes from the January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019 meeting were reviewed. Linda moved to accept the minutes as written. Marlene seconded the motion. The motion passed.

**Arbor Day Report:** Evelyn reported that this will be the 35<sup>th</sup> Year that we have celebrated Arbor Day in Gulf Shores. Our first award was received in 1985. Rodney reported that everything is on schedule for the celebration. Harlan provided handouts describing each of the 6 trees in detail. Linda asked that we all be familiar with the trees and maybe do some research. Details for the day were discussed. Harlan reported that the Tree City Awards are in and he handed them over to Jennifer.

**Beautification Awards Report:** Rodney had no report.

**Media Report:** Kathy read a report from Mary Wayne stating that there are advertisements for Arbor Day on Facebook and in the Islander. Mark had flyers for everyone to distribute.

**Website Report:** Margaret Griffin had no report.

**New Projects Report:** Linda Bender reported that work has begun on the Sensory Garden. She requested an updated list of plantings from Mark.

**Landscape Work Update:** Mark reported that ongoing work continues on the Highway 182 median and the utility work on County Road 8 is underway. There are plans to redo the police station landscaping. There are also plans for major work on the landscaping around the three City schools to begin on June 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Planning & Zoning Update:** Jennifer Watkins had no report.

**Council Update:** Gary Sinak reported on progress throughout the City.

**Old Business:** Linda Bender confirmed that she will agree to serve for 3 more years on the Board.

**New Business:** There was no new business.

**Next Meeting:** The next meeting of the Beautification Board was set for Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019, at 8:30 a.m. in the Administrative Conference Room in City Hall.

With no further business before the Board at this time, Margaret moved to adjourn, which Linda Bender seconded. All of those present voted to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

Brooke Taylor