

Meeting Minutes for Downtown Beautification Committee

11/12/14 From 7:30pm to 9:35pm

Attendees	Julie Lloyd, Jamie Ronga, Kerry Blasch , Midge Vicendese, Gail Nelson
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NJDOT Grant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We should hear result from NJDOT in Nov/December of 2014.
Design Standards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standards were submitted, however we may need to make a few more specific notes to ensure its done consistently. • We decided that benches should be 6' on street when used and 8' in park settings. • We decided to use large double cans in parks and single cans (possibly with split recycling/trash liners), but we need town input. • We need to ask Mistretta what the ideal sidewalk width should be and add that to our standard. We would word it in such a way that if a specific location couldn't attain the desired width they would ask for a design waiver from the planning board. • We have also asked that the DBC be included in the formal checklist of a planning board applicant. Awaiting decision.
Memorial Park	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A township committee has been formed in response to a proposal from Ted Romankow to fund raise to enhance the veterans memorial. Julie met the committee and expressed our desire for the streetscape specs to be used in the enhancement. They agreed with the use of the specified pavers, light poles and even benches. He plans to install a rock based sign so this shouldn't interfere with our goal of having consistent signage at all of our parks.
FLAG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Midge offered to contact the LL and possibly the Mayor to try to get the flag reinstalled.

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EMO Facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• They accepted our streetscape suggestions and will implement with façade improvements.
Marketing Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gail did a great job outlining our mission as a committee. We decided to all come up with some initiatives for the next meeting to discuss.