

**VALLEJO BEAUTIFICATION
COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES
September 6, 2023**

CALL TO ORDER Meeting called to order by Chair Weyrich at 6:00p

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Present:

Chair Weyrich
Vice Chair Tennyson
Commissioners Wright, Slater, Reyes
Staff Secretary Loughmiller

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA By motion of Commissioner Slater, 2nd by Vice Chair Tennyson, Motion approved unanimously to approve the September 6, 2023 agenda with the removal of Item 9B to be added to the next month's meeting agenda (Commissioners Howard, Woodson absent)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES By motion of Commissioner Slater, 2nd by Vice Chair Tennyson, Motion approved unanimously to approve the July 5, 2023 minutes (Commissioners Howard, Woodson absent)

COMMUNITY FORUM –

Resident Walter Kidwell shared his concerns about homeless individuals in his neighborhood. Staff Secretary Loughmiller gave him her business card and asked him to share his contact information with her so she can try to assist.

ACTION ITEMS

None

NEW BUSINESS –

- A. Mid-Year Budget Request Development – Annual budget is \$400/year. Budget asks for mid-year can be added to the calendar if submitted by November/December

REPORT OF PRESIDING OFFICER – Chair Weyrich reported that he attended a planning meeting for the upcoming Coastal Cleanup Day. He also volunteered at last month's Capitol Stairs project. He explained that he was approached by the Mayor's Office about a possible project to renovate the existing Japanese garden outside of City Hall in time for the Sister City visit next October. He would like the Commission to contact Public Works about replacing dead trees along Georgia Street, possibly through the Urban Forestry project through the California Firefighters grant.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY – Staff Secretary Loughmiller provided an update on illegal dumping statistics and the partnership with Recology. She also mentioned that Public Works is planning to install a dog waste bag dispenser at the top of the Capitol Stairs as well as a garbage can.

REPORT OF THE SUBCOMMITTEES

Business Recognition Program Update – Vice Chair Tennyson is planning to work with Minuteman Press in Vallejo to create awards for the program.
Graffiti Abatement/Street Mural Program – Commissioner Slater will attend Arts and Culture Commission meeting to share information about this program at their meeting on September 25th.

FUTURE PRESENTATION REQUESTS – No new requests

ADJOURNED 6:31p

Next Meeting: Wednesday, October 4, 2023

Chair Signature

Date

Secretary

Date