

Pittsfield Beautification Committee
Minutes
October 15, 2016

Diana opened the meeting at 9:05 am at the Aranosian Garden.

Members Present: Diana, Tina, Nancy, Carol, Gail, Matt and Nick

Members Absent: Jason, Paula, Jane, Carole, Ryan, Lucien, Pat, and Justin

Secretary's Report: There were no minutes from September presented

Treasurer's Report: There was no Treasurer's report

We need to invest in a new hose in the spring to make the watering of Aranosian easier. Carol also suggested we get hose guards.

Nick replaced the perennials that died at Aranosian, because they are living plants Millican's does not guarantee. Nick said it was only about \$24 to replace. He has added irises to the Washington House garden as well as butterfly bushes in front of the wall.

Carol has been putting water in the tree bag for the dawn redwood.

Frank went over the different types of pruners, where and how to use them and how to clean. He went over the details of pruning the perennials and bushes that are on Aranosian.

Carol will type up the details at a later date, review with Frank, then send out to everyone. She will also organize the planting of the bulbs when they come in.

The next meeting will be at Nancy's house on November 5th at 6 pm.

The meeting ended at 10:45 am