



City of Barrie

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Final Communities in Bloom Committee

Thursday, August 18, 2022

4:00 PM

Virtual Meeting

**For consideration by the Infrastructure and Community Investment Committee on
May 31, 2023.**

The meeting was called to order by the Chair, K. Bagnell at 4:10 p.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

Present: 5 - K. Bagnell
Councillor A.M. Kungl
A. VanderWerf
D. Brooke-Bagnell
D. Ramsay

Absent: 1 - J. Brady

STAFF:

Committee Support Clerk, B. Thompson
Parks Horticulture Foreperson, M. Boyd.

The Communities in Bloom Committee met and reports as follows:

COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM INFORMATION/EVENTS/UPDATE

The Committee discussed the judges' visit and tour around Barrie, presentations by staff and Councillor Kungl, what worked and what didn't work this year, what changes can be made for future visits, the preference of new judges every year, lunches and dinners at the different venues, the airplane ride over the City for a more broader view, the different gardens and plants throughout the City, an invasive species located at Wilkins Park, as well as the positive feedback from the judges.

The Committee further discussed the conclusion of its term and meetings, inquired when the new term of Committee applications would be made available, as well as the start of the new Committee's meetings.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:53 p.m.

CHAIRMAN