



# City of Barrie

70 Collier Street (Box 400)  
Barrie, ON L4M 4T5

## Minutes - Final Communities in Bloom Committee

---

Wednesday, October 17, 2012

4:30 PM

Georgian Room

---

**For the consideration by the Community Services Committee of the City of Barrie on  
November 21, 2012.**

**The Communities In Bloom Committee met at 4:35 p.m. and the following were  
in attendance for the meeting:**

Present:

Councillor B. Jackson

D. Bagnell

K. Bagnell.

Staff:

Parks Horticulture Co-Ordinator, M. Boyd

Recording Secretary, S. Corbett.

**The Communities In Bloom Committee met and reports as follows:**

### **SUCSESSES AND AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT OF THE SHOWCASE**

The Committee agreed to defer this item to a future meeting date.

### **MUNICIPAL AWARDS CEREMONY UPDATE**

Mona Boyd, Horticulture Supervisor for the City of Barrie provided an update regarding the Municipal Awards Ceremony. She commented on its success and the increased participation of the City of Barrie residents over last year.

**NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM AWARDS CEREMONIES UPDATE**

Mona Boyd, Horticulture Supervisor for the City of Barrie, provided an update regarding the 2012 National Symposium and Awards Ceremony. She commented that Strathcona County, Alberta obtained one half of a point higher than Barrie allowing them to take the top spot in the category of Class of Champions (Large Category).

Ms. Boyd noted the high level of the competition within Barrie's category in 2012 and the closeness of the scores between each community. She stated that special recognition was given to the City of Barrie for the proposed Waterfront and Marina Strategic Plan.

**The Committee adjourned at 4:53 p.m.**

**CHAIRMAN**