

*KURE BEACH  
BEAUTIFICATION MEETING  
MAY 11, 2009*

*The meeting was called to order at 4:00 PM at the Town Hall with the following in attendance:*

<i>Candace Clark, Co-Chair</i>	<i>Priscilla Smith, Secretary</i>
<i>Tony Gonsalves</i>	<i>Herb Weibe</i>
<i>Ron Eccleston</i>	<i>Bob Falco</i>
<i>Elaine Eisberg, Alt.</i>	

*Also attending: Barry Nelder, Liaison*  
*Russ Marini, RTM Landscapers*  
*Dean Lambeth,, Council Member*

*By motion made, seconded and carried the minutes of the April 13<sup>th</sup> meeting was approved.*

*OLD BUSINESS:*

- A. Sandman project. There will be three (3) trees planted*
- B. Standard signs. Funding for this project will be in the 2009-2010 budget*
- C. Atlantic Avenue: The new walkway in under construction and should be completed by September. Russ Marini from RTM Landscapers is here to make a presentation for the landscaping of Atlantic Avenue.*
- D. City Hall Landscaping. This item has been completed.*

*NEW BUSINESS:*

*Mr. Marine of RTM Landscapers presented the committee with a plan for the landscaping of Atlantic Avenue. The design calls for the use of 478 plants. The plants include Ilex vomitoria Schillings, Rosa Rugosa, Serenoa Repens or Yucca Recurvifolia, Lantana, Chrysanthemum Dianella and Junipers. These plants are salt resistance and require low maintenance. The total estimate cost is \$ 25,800.00. If a different landscaper is chosen there is a charge of \$350.00 for the design and presentation. There was no estimate for the first years maintenance which will be required. The committee thanked Mr. Marini for his work and presentation.*

*By motion made, seconded and carried the Beautification Committee recommends this plan be adopted for the Atlantic Avenue Project and forwarded for bid. The bids should include one year of warranty and service.*

*Bob Falco was scheduled to speak at this meeting. Due to a lack of time, Mr. Falco will be rescheduled and will be the first item of business at the June 8<sup>th</sup> meeting.*

*Tree City. The committee needs a project head to coordinate the tree city, planting, etc. Mr. Falco has agreed to peruse the information regarding this project and advise the committee if he feels he will be able to help.*

*The meeting was adjourned at 5:30 PM. The next scheduled meeting will be June 8, 2009 at 4:00 PM in the Town Hall.*

*Respectfully submitted,*

*Priscilla Smith*