

Grosse Pointe Park Beautification Commission Meeting Minutes – May 6, 2026 at 7:00 PM

Location: City Hall

Call to Order: Lisa Kyle, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 7:08pm.

Roll Call/Attendance:

- Present: Lisa Kyle, Kelly Konieczki, Anne Billiu, Jim Creighton, Pat Deck, Armen Gulian, Lindsey Studders, Lindsey Winn
- Excused: Barbara Miller, Chris Danel, Shellie Hansen
- City Council Member: Brent Dreaver
- City Liaison: Tom Jenny (excused)

Approval of Minutes: April 15, 2026

Pat Deck moved to approve the minutes, Cheryl Gauss seconded the motion. The minutes were approved with consensus.

Chairman's Comments:

Lisa informed everyone of the newest roster available in the online folder and provided to members. The new roster includes detailed contact information for programming. Includes social media accounts. Brent Dreaver asked for April monthly report to include in the City Council packet every month moving forward. If any commissioner wants to add anything to that monthly report Lisa will include it.

Financial Report:

\$438.46 was used for volunteer supplies. That still needs to be calculated into the expenses list. There is a floral arrangement reimbursement still not received. There is an additional \$30.00 for name tags to be deducted. Proposal to approve \$734.00 for the Patterson Park Bathroom Beds. Pat Deck moves to approve, Lindsey Winn seconded. All in favor and motion passed. Lisa Kyle scheduled a special meeting to occur Saturday May 9, 2026 at Patterson Park at 11:00 am. Will post on city webpage and plan to vote on plan to spend \$1000 on raised beds at Patterson Park splash pad,

Correspondence:

Ava Lox to receive an award that was missing.

Community Engagement:

Brent Dreaver informed us about efforts to improve the list serve and include correct email addresses.

New Business:

Lindell Lodge secured for June 3 event. Guests will include Lawrence Law from DNR. Shellie Hansen to send up a sign-up sheet for potluck.

Forestry:

Tom Jenny submitted our 43rd year application for Tree City, awarded. Mike Gilmore to help with the Fall Tree Sale. Pick up will be at the Fall Plant Exchange. Trees selected will include serviceberry, redbud, tuliptree, and chinkapin oak.

Sustainability:

A separate sheet was provided with the list of everything to be aware of. Kercheval After 6 dates secured, as well as a Park Market Farmers Market kids activity date. Lindsay Studders to lead.

Old Business:

Monday the City Council will present Arbor Day poster contest winners at 7pm. The bylaws meeting will take place next week to finalize recommendations. No action needed.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:52pm