



# City of Barrie

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## Minutes - Final Communities in Bloom Committee

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Thursday, October 10, 2019

4:00 PM

Georgian Room

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### For consideration by the City Building Committee on November 12, 2019.

The meeting was called to order by the Chair, K. Bagnell at 4:13 p.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

**Present:** 4 - K. Bagnell  
A. VanderWerf  
D. Brooke-Bagnell  
D. Ramsay

**Absent:** 2 - Councillor M. McCann  
J. Brady

#### **STAFF:**

Acting Deputy City Clerk, T. McArthur  
Parks Horticulture Foreperson, M. Boyd.

The Communities in Bloom Committee met and reports as follows:

#### **RESULTS OF THE 2019 COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM PROGRAM**

M. Boyd, Parks Horticulture Foreperson informed the Committee of the results from the Communities in Bloom (CIB) Awards night that she attended in Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. She advised that the City received 5 Blooms Silver in the Large International Category, a close second of just 1.5 marks behind Coquitlam, British Columbia who also received 5 Blooms Silver. Ms. Boyd noted that Judges Alex Pearl and John Lohuis mentioned that the City has a very dedicated team and are leaders in so many areas.

Ms. Boyd provided a copy of the 2019 Judges' Evaluation to the Committee for review and will be discussed at the next meeting.

**PREPARATIONS FOR MUNICIPAL AWARDS CEREMONY**

The Committee discussed preparations for the 2019 Communities in Bloom Municipal Awards Ceremony to be held on November 16, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at the Southshore Community Centre.

The meeting adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

CHAIRMAN