

GARDEN CLUB EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING 03/30/2026

Magnolia Place Classroom

Attendees: Delores Garbarini, Chair; Peggy Threadgill, Vice-Chair; Vicky Aranda, Treasurer; Carol Goodman, Secretary; Operations Managers, Sandy Balch, Kay Hampton, Steve Lindor

Meeting called to order 10am

OLD BUSINESS

- A. Delores reported on the meeting she and Vicky had earlier in the month with Jennifer Fox, Asst. Exec. Director. There is no money available for the Garden Club from the Jim Davis fund. Jennifer was open to our "needs list" and forwarded the list to Brad Harrington, Director of General Services. A meeting of the officers will be held soon with him. The safety issues are priority for the discussion.
- B. The status of the update to the Garden Club By-Laws was discussed. Delores and the other officers have been working on this project. Delores tightened the language of the by-laws and removed redundancies. Also, Appendix I, the lottery, has been changed in some areas.
- 1). Temporary beds will truly be considered "temporary" to ensure all members are able to have a bed if they want.
 - 2). A process for a greenhouse lottery was added in case it is ever needed. It mirrors the garden space lottery process.
 - 3). The Executive Committee can reserve up to 10% of primary empty beds.
 - 4). The term, "mobility impaired" aligns with the ADA definition.
 - 5). Questionnaires must be turned in with dues by November meeting. Dues can be charged to Erickson account.

The by-laws will be presented in May to membership and voted on in June.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Operations Managers' Report

- Steve had no issues to report. He is encouraging all those in East Garden to clean up their area.
- Kay reported all Far West beds are taken
- There is one open bed in the West Garden
- Sandy currently has no report currently for the cutting garden.

Meeting adjourned at 11:00.