



SWEENY BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

Thursday, February 5, 2026, at 5:30 PM

Sweeny Community Center Meeting Room; 205 W. Ashley Wilson Road, Sweeny, Texas

MINUTES

BE IT KNOWN that Sweeny Beautification Committee of the City of Sweeny met in **Regular Session on Thursday, January 8, 2026, at 5:30 PM** at Sweeny Community Center Meeting Room; 205 W. Ashley Wilson Road, Sweeny, Texas with the following agenda.

- I. CALL TO ORDER: Sanci Coufal called to order the meeting of the Sweeny Beautification Committee at 5:34pm on Thursday, February 5, 2026.
- II. ROLL CALL: Sanci Coufal, Ashley Rambo, Joanna Rambo, Starr Fitch, J’Cee Coufal, Kayla Peterson, Stacy McMullin, Ellen Farley, and Shelli Alfrey were present.
- III. TREASURER’S REPORT: **Current Balance = \$23,445.89**
- IV. CONSENT AGENDA: Motion made by Starr and seconded by Stacy to approve the previous minutes from regular meeting January 8, 2026. All in favor. Motion carried.
- V. NEW BUSINESS:

MEETING EXTENSION:

- Motion made by Joanna and seconded by Shelli to extend the meeting by 30 minutes until 7pm.
 - All in favor. Motion carried.

GARDEN AT SWEENY ELEMENTARY:

- First Baptist Church wants to split work and upkeep a portion of the atrium garden at the sweeny elementary school.
 - Sanci is waiting for more details on the matter

JR. HIGH VALENTINES DANCE:

- **Friday, February 13, 2026**; First Methodist Gym
 - Theme: Disco
 - 6 – 9PM setup begins at 5:30PM
 - Venue is booked; flyer has been approved by school and is posted on our Facebook.
 - Pizza will be donated by Wayman from Simple Simons, starting with 15 and 10 on standby.

- Kasey Kennedy will be donating his time and equipment to DJ.
- Ellen will get plates, napkins, candy, and drinks.
- Joanna will bring tickets.

SPRING CLEANUP EVENTS:

- Great American Cleanup
 - Motion made by Ashley and seconded to have the Great American Cleanup on **March 21st** at Backyard Park from 8am – 10:30am.
 - All in favor. Motion carried
- Don't Mess with Texas® Trash Off
 - **April 11th**
 - Backyard Park
 - 7:30am – 10:00am

CONEX STORAGE:

- Materials to repair the roof would be about \$900, not including labor
- Quotes for used/new containers
 - \$2,005 – Boxhub – 40ft High Cube Used (Wind & Watertight) container delivered to Sweeny.
 - \$2,400 – Containers X – 40ft Used (Wind & Watertight) container includes delivery & sales tax.
 - \$4,400 – Containers X – 40ft New (Wind & Watertight) container includes delivery & sales tax.
 - \$1,979 – Eveon – 40ft Used container includes delivery only.
 - \$1700 - \$2000 – Advanced Container – 40ft Used container only.
- No action taken.

KEEP TEXAS BEAUTIFUL:

- Governor's Community Achievement Award
 - Application period is open February 2 – March 12, 2026
 - Joanna is working on the application process
- Annual Recognition Report
 - The report has been submitted, and \$200 dues have been paid

SWEENY PRIDE DAY 2026:

- **May 1-2, 2026**; Backyard Park
 - Theme: "Sweeny Through the Years"
- Update and needs:
 - Pageant- **April 25th**
 - Chair: Ellen
 - Theme: "A Night in Pearls"
 - 2 minis signed up
 - Hart's Automotive will be Sponsoring the \$500 Queen and \$300 Best Beau scholarships.
 - Parade – Kayla
 - Grand Marshal: Wayman Hutchings
 - No fee or winner stipulations will be added.
 - Publicity/Sponsors – Ashley
 - Sponsorship forms and letters will be mailed/delivered soon.

- Facebook and the free newspaper will be used for publicity and marketing purposes
- Vendors – Starr
 - 7 vendors
- Cookoff – Sancj/Joanna
 - Forms have been posted online
- Entertainment – Ashley
 - DJ needed
 - Lineup has a few spots left to fill
- Cake Auction – Joanna
 - Beginning at 11:30am
 - Flyers and forms are posted on Facebook.
 - Letters to bidders will be mailed out soon.
- 5K – Melanie
 - Discussion about correlating to this year’s theme and making this an “in memorium” for walkers/runners. In honor of the Colton Schuerg 5K in the early 2000’s.
- Beautiful Baby – Kayla
 - Begins at 2:30pm
 - Working on forms and flyers.
- Children’s Entertainment – Kayla
 - We will have the same setup as last year.
 - Phillips 66 will be sponsoring a petting zoo again and the invoice has already been paid.
- Cornhole/Washers – TBD
 - We need chairperson for these events; We will reach out on Facebook to outsource help for these events.
- Car Show – Starr
 - Forms and flyers are posted on Facebook.
- Beautification Booth – TBD
 - Discussion about selling bbq sandwich plates on Friday night.
 - Kayla will do some research on the matter and report back at the next meeting.
- Security – Ashley
 - Ashley has contacted Sweeny PD for event security, and they have confirmed coverage for the event.
- Light Plants
 - Confirmed; they will be donated by Trilogy.
- Dumpster
 - Ashley has emailed the city. Waste Connections usually donates it.
- Port-a-cans
 - Joanna has accepted a quote from United for 4 standards, 2 ADA, and 4 handwash stations for \$1311.59.
 - Ashley has emailed the city to ask to use two of their cans.
- Recycled Art Contest – Ashley
 - Shelli, Stacy, Melanie and Starr will be blind-judging the contest.

Meeting adjourned at 7:02pm.

NEXT MEETING: MARCH 5, 2026

Respectfully Submitted,

Joanna Rambo

Joanna Rambo, Secretary

Passed and approved this 5th day of March, 2026.



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