

**MINUTES  
CITY OF CEDAR HILL  
BEAUTIFICATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY BOARD MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 19, 2019**

The Beautification and Environmental Sustainability Board met on Thursday, September 19, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Briefing Room of the Government Center, 285 Uptown Blvd., Cedar Hill, Texas. The following Board members were present: Lester Singleton, Brian Hart, Gregory Glover, Bernetta Jo Young, Sandra McLain, Gerald Malone, Jai-W Hayes-Jackson, Roland Fuller, Andrew Adams, Delores Shaw, Robert Largent. The following Board members were absent: none. The following City staff members were present: Duy Vu. Additional attendees: none.

**I. Call meeting to order**

Malone called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

**II. Approve minutes of August 15, 2019**

Shaw motioned for the approval of minutes from August 15, 2019. Gerald Malone seconded the motion. The minutes for the August 15, 2019 minutes were approved unanimously.

**III. Oath of Office**

No oath of office was administered. McLain will be notified to contact the City Secretary to complete her oath of office.

**IV. Citizen's Forum**

Malone opened the Citizen's Forum. No speakers were in attendance. Malone closed the Citizen's Forum.

**V. BES Board short- and long-term planning**

Vu presented the current BES Board Programs. The following topics were discussed in the brainstorming session.

- Beautification
  - Enhancement of green space requirements
  - Find public art opportunities outside of traffic signal boxes
  - Year long Bitter for Litter campaign
  - Increase BES Board cleanup frequency
  - Require developments to track trash buildup
- Environment

- Water testing enhancements
- Bird City status for the City
- Green space requirements for commercial property
- Expand Adopt Cedar Hill to waterways
- Sustainability
  - Charging stations at commercial properties
  - More EV for the City
  - More solar opportunities
  - Increase Green Award amount
  - More rain barrel classes
- Look into town comparisons
- Enhance communication
- Look into past Governor's Community Achievement Award recipients

Further future program discussion was tabled to the next meeting.

**VI. Environmental Manager's Report**

Vu updated the Board on Environmental operations.

**VII. Adjourn**

Hart made a motion to adjourn. Malone seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 7:51 pm.