Community Improvement Team June 3, 2015

ATTENDED: K.Prizzia, S.Stegen, R.Heyl, V.Danskin, A.Cohen

CLEAN SWEEP: Next year Sue wants to address Retired Men to recruit 'leaders' for groups of volunteers. Also, more volunteers are needed for set up and clean up. Richard and Erica have the registration process fine-tuned. Next year a designated photographer is needed, as are earlier poster distributions and cards describing pick-up areas for distribution to volunteers.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY: SUNY New Paltz will hold is annual MADD on Saturday, October 24. CIT will participate.

GREEN JOBS: Amy mentioned this program, but had no details to share at that meeting. More information is needed.

ROTARY GARDEN: Has been totally ignored by the Rotary Club. Sue is trying to make appropriate contact with the club to create a cooperative relationship so that needed maintenance is done on a regular basis.

UL. CO. PROBATION HELP: Tammy continues to coordinate work areas with the work crew supervisor as needed.

WINTER HOLIDAY DECORATIONS: Chamber executive Director, Kathy Prizzia, will encourage businesses to decorate with white lights next season. Sue suggested "Light Up New Paltz" should begin Nov. 15 from the Thruway to the Wallkill Bridge.

NEW BRIDGE PLANS: Sue and Matt are attending planning meetings and report that the new bridge will not need to be painted, and that donw-facing lights will be installed on the pedestrian section.

GARDEN MAINTENANCE: Vici continues to work on the Community Center entrance rain gardens, municipal parking seedum triangle, and Friendship Garden in Peace Park.