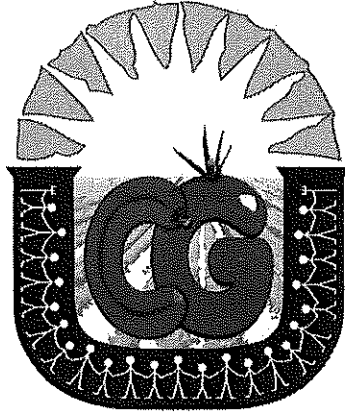


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Uxbridge Community Gardens

April 8, 2019  
Uxbridge Town Hall  
21 S. Main St, Uxbridge

## Meeting Minutes

**Call to Order:** 7:00pm

**Quorum:** 5/5 in attendance.

**Minutes of December 4, 2018:** Kris Holt reporting. Minutes read & accepted as written.

**Treasurer's Report:** Balance as of 4/8/19 is \$13,169.89. There is one returning gardener who has a hardship. A motion was made and seconded to waive the \$20 fee. The motion was approved 5/5.

### Old Business

1. Available gardens – Barbara will call gardeners we haven't heard from. There are several open gardens available (12). Plan to close 88,89,90,98,99, & 100 for the season.
2. URI seed program – Seeds have been sorted and will be dropped off at the Uxbridge Public Library. Other local garden clubs will be notified.
3. Preparing / maintaining abandoned plots – suggestions were made for volunteer efforts. Difficult to get student volunteers in the summer. Plan to ask boy scout troop for help. Plan a UCG workday to clean up abandoned plots.
4. Road Closures in spring – Plan to sink 6x6's and chain off roads from closure to opening day. We could also see if National Grid will drop off telephone poles to help block gardens in the off season. Kim will call National Grid. To check if Dave S has an auger to help sink 6x6's. (6) 8 ft sections will be needed. Barbara will talk to DPW about chain that is up at Sutton St that is no longer used. A motion was made to spend up to \$500 to secure the gardens. The motion was approved 5/5. Kim & Brenda will coordinate.

5. 2019 events/dates – reviews. Opening day on the 20<sup>th</sup>. 10-12pm. Kris will bring EZ up, table and banner. Jackie and Tina will be there. Brenda will bring up seeds. Coffee & donuts will be available. Jackie to bring coffee, Dave will bring pastries.

**New Business**

1. Opening day – Sat April 20<sup>th</sup> (as above)
2. Mowing – Kim will check with DPW to get on regular schedule (every 2 weeks)
3. All garden meeting first Monday in May – use opening day instead
4. Water deliveries / permanent supply (well) – discussion ongoing.
5. Shed – Ed is doing repairs, Brenda is painting. To be delivered this season. Barbara to get permission from the BOS. To be placed at 43 & 53.
6. Board terms expiring 2019 (Kim/Barbara)
7. UYSL Soccer – an email was sent asking for UCG to help with cost of port-a-potty and dumpster rentals. A motion was made and approved 5/5 to donate \$210 towards the cost of the dumpster rental

**Next UCG Meeting TBD**

Respectfully Submitted,

Kristen Holt  
UCG Secretary

Barbara Hall	Chairperson	<u>Barbara D. Hall</u>
Kim DeMers	Vice Chair	<u>Kim DeMers</u>
Jackie Wheelock	Treasurer	<u>Jackie Wheelock</u>
Kris Holt	Secretary	<u>Kris Holt</u>
Tina Saucier	Member at Large	<u>Tina Saucier</u>