Garden and Beautification Meeting 8/31/2022 at 11:09AM ended at 12:06PM

Budget

* $1700-$1229
* $815, to pre-purchase for next year not including winter and fall
  + Pre-buy soil $200
  + Pre-buy marigold seeds 35-40$
    - Potentially collect seeds too
  + Pre-buy mulch, 8 yards are $216
* There is $407 left for fall and $407 left for winter
  + Fall
    - **September 10th Fall Decoration Day 9:30A-10:30AM**
    - Take down day 11/26 9:30AM-10:30AM
    - Note, local first if prices are reasonable
    - Mums, 15 total plus more for embellishing without the corn stalks
      * Fire Station
      * Police station
      * Sign ports
      * Welcome sign
      * Gazebo smaller mums for new window box railing planters that were a donation
      * Going to Agway for dirt and fall extras unless they have what we need up in Pembroke at wholesale prices
    - Buying kale, sedum and mini pumpkins
    - Looking to get our pumpkins at the best price again
      * + **Voted on by Jess, Zoe, Mike and Ana everyone was in favor**
  + Winter
    - Dates will be decided at late **September meeting 9/29/2022 11:00AM**
    - We have $407 to spend

Things are going up in price with receipts still coming in

No Corn Stalks this year with the drought

* Voted to buy more pumpkins and flowers with a focus on perennials where we can put into the gardens later

Fall Bulb Drive

* Boxes at the Fire Station, Library, Town Hall and Police Station
* Use sign from last year
* Collect at Lamson Farm Day

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