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KWPB was recognized with the KAB President's Circle Recognition and Affiliate Good Standing Award for excellence achieved last year (hanging in Council Chambers). (cost \$55/2018 KWPB Budget \$1,700)

In 2018, KWPB met 12 times. Mayor Pro-tem Val Carr was appointed City Council Liaison. The first meeting planning session identified the 2018 work program with members resolving to improve community outreach, and better address weeds, cigarette litter & graffiti. (Gifts-meeting space by City)

Mobile Art Protection. In cooperation with the WP Arts Alliance, KWPB rounded up and deposited the art benches for storage in the Park State Bank basement. (Gifts-transport by Carl Andersen; storage by PSB)

Outreach & Awareness. KWPB continues its Facebook and web presence. KWPB distributed Foxworth 25% coupons throughout the community to encourage mowing and weeding. 2018 beautification awards recognized the Rasmussen & Langley yards and the Gold Hill South sign reface - all exemplary landscaping & design projects that beautify Woodland Park. KWPB also helped with the Forest Edge cleanup by Victory Life Church. (cost \$33.44/Gifts-25% coupons by Foxworth)

Adopt-a-Garden & Adopt-a-Spot. One new garden was adopted in Bergstrom Park by the Teller Business Builders. To date, 6 gardens and 26 roadside spots are adopted. Adoptees are a network of diligent volunteers that are recognized, supported and funded by KWPB. (cost \$568.09)

Annual Clean-up: A total of 148 volunteers participated on June 9th in the 16th annual City Clean Up. This is KWPB's largest event aimed at decreasing litter and increasing vibrancy throughout the community. Volunteers picked up trash and debris from 24 areas including roadside and from parks, vacant lots, school grounds, creeks & neighborhoods. We hope you can all make it to the 2019 cleanup on **JUNE 8** (June 22 backup). (cost \$137.35/Gifts – 24 grabbers, trash bags by KAB, dumpster by Teller Waste)

Teen Recycling. On Aug 20, KWPB purchased a shed and put it by the Park-n-Ride dumpster. This shed will help reinstate the Teen Recycling Program in 2019. (cost \$490.00/Gifts-transport by Carl Andersen)

A great big THANK YOU to all the volunteers, businesses and sponsors for this event including Kiwanis, Holmes Therapeutic Massage, LDS Church, Gardeners with Altitude, Main Street, WP Community Church, Teller Business Builders, Charis, Teller Waste, Newmont, WP Planning Commission, WPSD, KWCC, WP Teen Center, WP Clothing.com, WP PD, Paradise Pines HOA, Impact Church, Meet Up, WP HS, TCSAR, 2 Good Capital, Teller County Dems. --- You make WP beautiful in every way! ---

Hwy 24 Underpass. Volunteers met on June 30 to paint



a rainbow
keyboard on
the north wall,
covering up
the graffiti.
Many thanks
to the kids,
Main Street,
and the
Planning
Department

for designing and installing this art. Thanks also to Sherwin-Williams Manager Ryan Hilby for the paint & supplies. Starting on October 20, volunteers began painting

Fix-a Residence/Business. KWPB provided beautification assistance to a senior property owner to address a code violations.

the underpass handrail to cover rust and peeling paint. (cost

\$89.91/Gifts-paint, supplies by Sherwin-Williams & City)

2019 Recommendations: KWPB will maintain existing programs and introduce new ones as ideas arise. (2019 KWPB budget \$1,800)