

Building and Grounds Committee Report
EMCC Board of Directors meeting
August 28, 2011

--This year we changed procedures in planting and maintaining the flowers around the club in hopes of avoiding a substantial rise in cost.. We held the costs down but the maintenance part needs reworked. We are working on another strategy for next year which should clear this problem up.

--The new fibre optic wire for the infamous storm warning system has been started and is scheduled to be completed after Labor Day.

--The stone patio and gas fire pit have been completed and are ready for the cooler nights to come! Many thanks to Bill Hutchinson for the many hours he committed to overseeing this project!

--A yearly evaluation of the timber has been done by our forester. It has been reported that all is healthy, including the hemlock! Once again he has recommended to not harvest any timber at this time due to the value and demand. When the market improves it is the intent of the building and Grounds to recommend a select cut.

There are no major projects planned for the coming year. Our focus will be on maintenance.

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Chairman -- Building and Grounds