Residential Beautification Award – Scoring Matrix

Landscape maintenance	0 = High grass, or no landscaping 1 = No trees, just bushes and grass 2 = Plants are alive but could use some attention watering or pruning 3 = Neatly trimmed grass, pruned bushes and trees 4 = Mature landscaping, neatly trimmed, beds are mulched,	
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	4 = Mature landscaping, neatly trimmed, beds are mulched,	
	edged, and free of tree limbs	
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Litter, junk, debris, &	0 = Property has inoperable vehicle or vehicle parked on grass 1 = Property has some litter or junk (ie. appliances or indoor	
weeds	furniture on porch)	
	2 = Property has minimal litter, weeds, or debris in yard	
	3 = No litter, junk, or debris	
	4 = Property free of weeds	
	5 = Not a single thing out of place, perfect	
Use of sound	0 = No landscaping	
landscape practices	1 = Has minimal landscaping	
	2 = Some organization in the landscape but has a limited	
	variety of plants	
	3 = Property is nicely landscaped with a variety of plants	
	4 = Uses a variety of plants including a mix of colors, textures, and varied heights to create visual interest	
	5 = In addition to plant variety the property incorporates	
	hardscape like walls, paths, or rocks to enhance the landscape	
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Appearance of home façade	 0 = Building not well maintained 1 = Paint and building siding are well maintained with no chips, cracks, or major damage. 2 = Paint or siding color is complementary, not garish. 3 = Cohesive design elements improve the building aesthetics creating a warm inviting atmosphere 4 = The facades decorative features accentuate the buildings architectural details 5 = The building, fence, and porch are in good repair 6 = The façade is visually appealing and enhances the character of the surrounding neighborhood 	
Overall appearance from curb	0 = No curb appeal 1 = Ok 2 = Good 3 = Excellent 4 = Almost perfect 5 = Perfect	
Seasonal display (In December ONLY Criteria)	0 = No seasonal decorations 1 = Good use of seasonal color 2 = Fantastic seasonal decorations 3 = Impressive use of decorative lighting 4 = Overall display is visually pleasing 5 = Over the top level of holiday/seasonal spirit displayed	
Extras	5 = Use of attractive art pieces (ie. pottery, ironwork), potted plants, birdhouses, patio or lawn furniture, fountain, decorative mailbox, hanging baskets, or ornate house numbers	