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## *NEWS RELEASE*

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### **Beautification Awards**

The last recipient of the 2014 Branson's Tree Board Beautification Award is Comfort Inn at Branson Meadows

located at 5150 Gretna Road. In addition to the 2014 Hotel of the Year Award and the Platinum Award from Choice Hotels, they can now add the Beautification Award the Maintenance Supervisor, Wes Stoddard, and Manager, Steve Graber, have been striving to achieve as they continually place an emphasis on the beautification of their property.



Pictured are (Left to Right), Tree Board Vice-Chair Clark Harris, Steve Graber, Wes Stoddard, Tree Board Chairman Greg Haston

The Beautification Awards will begin April 2015 and be presented on a monthly basis through October, with a recurring deadline for nominations on the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. The criteria for nominations are as follows:

- A commercial property located within the city limits
- Landscaped area(s) must be visible to the public

All nominations will be reviewed and monthly winners will be selected by the Tree Board. In addition to the publicity of the award, winners

will also receive a certificate and a sign placed on their property showcasing it as the Beautification Winner of that Month.

**Nominations may be submitted by contacting Planning Assistant, Tara Norback at 417-337-8544 or [tnorback@bransonmo.gov](mailto:tnorback@bransonmo.gov).**