# **Kingswood Homeowners Association**

Meeting Date: January 17, 2024 – 7:00pm Central

Meeting Location: St. Charles Public Library with Zoom Option

**Zoom Information:** 

Meeting ID: 889 6174 8705

**Passcode:** 574979

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88961748705?pwd=MkFjVWZKK2c1MXV2Qjgya2ZmMGRuQT09

# **Board of Director's Meeting Minutes**

# I. Call Meeting to Order

- a. A motion was made by Jonathan to call the meeting to order at 7:02PM.
- b. The motion was seconded by Jake.
- c. Vote in favor was unanimous, motion passes.
- **II. Establish Board Quorum** Jonathan Bierman, Jake Koors, Dave Sladek, Junaid Ansari and Ross Totten.
- III. Homeowners In Attendance Gordon Marshall, Jessica Koors, Joseph McGraw, Rob Sweas, Hassan Lakhani and Chris Hollingsworth

## IV. Approve Previous Meeting Minutes (10/16/2023 and 11/29/2023 Board Meeting)

- a. A motion was made by Jonathan to approve the 10/16/23 and 11/29/23 meeting minutes.
- b. The motion was seconded by Ross.
- c. Vote in favor was unanimous, motion passes.
- V. Treasurer's Report The Treasurer's Report was given by Jake Koors:
  - a. Operating Funds:
    - i. Checking Account Balance: \$12,040.19 as of 01/11/2024
  - b. Reserve Funds:
    - i. Money Market Account Balance: \$14,827.47 as of 01/11/2024
  - c. Delinquencies: \$51,435.32 as of 01/11/2024

#### VI. Old Business

- a. Review & Approve Revised 2024 Budget
  - i. The Board reviewed the revised 2024 Budget for the Association and answered questions from homeowners.
    - 1. A motion was made by Jonathan to approve the 2024 Budget.
    - 2. The motion was seconded by Ross.
    - 3. Vote in favor was unanimous, motion passes.

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#### VII. New Business

## a. Ratify Approval of Accounting Only Management Contract

- i. In an effort to reduce operating costs (From \$13,000 down to \$4,800), the contract with PMT has been changed to accounting only. Accounting questions should be directed to PMT and all other inquires may be sent to the Board at president@khoa.org.
  - 1. A motion was made by Jonathan to ratify the approval of the new PMT (accounting only) management agreement.
  - 2. The motion was seconded by Jake.
  - 3. Vote in favor was unanimous, motion passes.

#### b. Foxfield Drive Retention Pond Beaver Issue

- i. Beaver activity was reported in November 2023 and several large trees have been damaged by the beaver(s).
- ii. The Board has taken preventative measurers to protect the remaining trees by installing steel fencing around the trunks.
- iii. Initial estimates from trappers have ranged between \$3,500 and \$7,000 to trap the beavers.
- iv. The Board has contacted St. Charles, Kane County and the DNR to see if there is any municipal assistance that can be provided.
- v. The Board has also reached out to the new development (Charlestowne Lakes) to see if they are willing to help cover costs as well.

#### c. Review of 2024 Service Contracts

- The Board is reaching out to the Pond Maintenance, Lawn Treatment and Tree Maintenance vendors to review contracts and potentially bid out these services to ensure rates are competitive.
  - A motion was made by Jonathan to table further review of this topic until the April 2024 meeting when additional proposals have been obtained.
  - 2. The motion was seconded by Ross.
  - 3. Vote in favor was unanimous, motion passes.

### d. Homeowner Survey

i. The Board will be working to put together a survey to gather homeowner feedback as it relates the HOA and will give homeowners the opportunity to provide comments as well.

# VIII. Open Forum was held and the Board responded to questions and feedback from Homeowners in attendance.

#### IX. Adjourn Meeting

- a. A motion was made by Jonathan to adjourn the meeting to order at 7:33PM.
- b. The motion was seconded by Ross.
- c. Vote in favor was unanimous, motion passes.