

## **Landscape Committee Report to BOD 5.15.14 (Report Not Presented Meeting Postponed)**

**Cassia Replacement:** Milky Way, a warm season white flower blooming tree was placed between Bldg 22 and 23 completing the replacement of Cassia.

**Entrance:** Additional Egg Rock was placed where needed at entrance.

**Replacement Planting:** Spring review of plant replacement needs completed with our landscape contractors. Plants will be placed to take advantage of the rainy season.

**Irrigation:** A couple of irrigation heads popped, causing minor "gushers". The quick response by our landscape contractor is appreciated. Fourteen ( 14) Irrigation control box covers and water shut off box covers were replaced. Irrigation riser replacement on building side and lanai area continues. Irrigation wet check will be completed before the end of May .

**Outside Lighting:** Volunteer Stan Mohn realigned the Saratoga Boulevard landscape lighting, replaced lamps, fixed a fault in the wiring, replaced the electric eye for the lights at the entrance, replaced building light bulbs, as well as an outside receptacle (Building 22). Thank you Stan.

As a reminder, Please contact Stan 239 774 3405 if any outside building light (except the light over unit entrance door), lights sensors, or landscape lights is out.

**Thank You:** Volunteers: Gene Bisol, Mike Castoro, Eric Ehrman, Keith Ford, Don Glover, Dave Guilliams, Don Gurney, Rich Wilhelm, Bob Manchester, Stan Mohn, Jim Schulte, and Mike Sullivan. They hand watered the newly placed trees and bushes along the lakes, Saratoga Boulevard and Cassia Tree replacements.

Thank you to the volunteers who dead head the geraniums: Lorraine Ehrman, Lila Ford, Don Glover, Kathleen Hicks, Jane Hrdlicka, Diane Jensen, Kathy Manchester, and Pat Schulte.

Thank you volunteer Judith Matsuda for accounting and invoice processing help and Rich Wilhelm and Bill Penney for re-staining the benches.

Volunteer Mike Sullivan, who has been instrumental in plant/tree evaluation and purchasing at favorable cost, will be the summer landscape liaison with our landscape contractor. Thank you Mike.

The Landscape co-chairs again thank the volunteers, our board and residents for their support; as well as Bonita Vandall and Jacek (Jack) Szajkowski of Resort Management.

Have a great a great summer.

Respectfully submitted, Bob Kelley and John Ruscito, co-chairs