### LAKEWOOD FOREST FUND, INC.

MINUTES OF THE OPEN SESSION MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF LAKEWOOD FOREST FUND, INC. HELD ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2020 AT 7:00 PM AT LAKEWOOD FOREST FUND OFFICE, 12415 LOUETTA ROAD, CYPRESS, TX 77429

#### DIRECTORS PRESENT

**DIRECTORS ABSENT**Sandy Matto, Trustee

Bob Lewis, President Boe Bowen, Vice President (via video conference) Bobbi Munz, Secretary Scott Johnson, Treasurer Christy Jones, Trustee (via video conference) Paul Marshall, Trustee

## IN ATTENDANCE

Heidi Flores, General Manager, Lakewood Forest Fund, Inc. Lieutenant Garza, Harris County Constable Precinct 4 John Murphy, Certified Arborist TX3814A, Yellowstone Landscape Tree Care Division (5) Resident(s)/guests present

# ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM, CALL TO ORDER AND ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Due to the notice of the meeting having been given and a quorum being present, the open meeting session was called to order at 7:00 pm with B. Lewis presiding and H. Flores assisting in recording the Minutes.

### SECURITY REPORT

Lieutenant Garza provided an overview of incidents for Lakewood Forest during the month of September 2020 which included a total of 434 contract calls.

### PRESENTATION OF TEN- YEAR TREE PLAN

J. Murphy presented a summary overview of the ten-year tree replacement plan derived by Yellowstone Landscape for the association. The plan entailed an evaluation of association common areas to rate existing trees and devise a replacement planting schedule for the next ten years based on the condition of these trees. Total tree count was 475 with budget projections for 1-3 years estimated at \$ 50,850; 4-6 years estimated at \$ 47,850 and 7-10 years estimated at \$ 30,100. Potential replacement suggestions were live oaks, red oaks, red bud and vitex trees.

#### CONSIDERATION OF MEETING MINUTES

On a motion duly made by S. Johnson, seconded by P. Marshall, through unanimous vote, the open session meeting minutes for September 14, 2020 were approved as presented.

### TREASURER'S REPORT

<u>Financial Overview</u>: Financial information provided in Board Packet reflected the below figures. Report Date 09-30-2020

Total Operating Fund: 539,074.39Total Reserve Fund: 638,438.19

- Total Community Projects Fund: 308,965.85

- Total Contingency Fund: 25,000.00

- YTD Income: 1,746,894.65

YTD Operating Expenses: 1,320,406.67

- Collection Rate: 97.7% of annual assessment billed has been collected

### 2021 BUDGET APPROVAL

On a motion duly made by S. Johnson, seconded by P. Marshall, through unanimous vote, the board approved the 2021 budget as presented with the 2021 annual maintenance rate set at \$ 630.00/per lot.

#### **NEW/OLD BUSINESS**

- Update given in regards, to written confirmation from HCPCT4 Capital Projects Division indicating that Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Phase 4-1C project along North Eldridge Parkway was expected to be completed on October 2<sup>nd</sup>. Fund Office scheduled irrigation repairs approved at September meeting to be initiated in (3) phases.
- Update given on Grant Road Wall Project indicating that final phase is underway with demolition completed week of September 28<sup>th</sup>. Construction on final phase to begin once utilities are located, survey completed, landscape removed and walk thru with AEI and EDP.
- Owner, M. Cuellar affected by phase 3 of Grant Road Wall Project, requested that chain link fence also be installed along his property; H. Flores to put in request with contractor.
- Design plan for pond beautification submitted by Pearce Scapes provided to board through portal; tabled for future discussion.
- No response received from Judge Hidalgo to inquiry from Paul Marshall dated August 21, 2020 concerning public inquiry regarding issues related to Hurricane Harvey; tabled.

### **HOMEOWNER FORUM**

Board responded to questions from residents.

#### ADJOURNMENT OF OPEN MEETING SESSION

Open meeting session adjourned at 7:53 pm.

### SCHEDULING OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on Monday, November 2nd at 7:00 pm at Fund Office, 12415 Louetta Road, Cypress, TX 77429.

## RECAP OF EXECUTIVE SESSION

- -Approval of 2019 audit draft presented by McCall Gibson Swedlund Barfoot PLLC
- -Approval of September 14th executive session meeting minutes
- -Discussion held regarding dispute related to Grant Road Wall Project
- -Annual renewal of flood insurance policy for Fund Office at a cost of \$ 2,923.00
- -Copier lease and maintenance service/supply agreement bid out in September; board approved to terminate the existing copier lease, maintenance service/supply agreement and engage in a sixty month lease through Houston Copier Leasing; monthly copier lease cost \$ 94, with black pages at .01 each and color pages tiered from .03 through .05 each
- -Board approved fall mulching of common areas at a cost of \$ 6.500.00; fund from operating account
- -Board approved account renewal for electronic voting for 2021 election with VoteHOANow at a cost of \$ 1,535.00; fund from operating account
- -Board approved the use of hydro-excavation on phase 3 of Grant Road Wall Project; price dependent on variable factors / fund from reserve account
- -Approval for legal referral of (2) accounts due to outstanding compliance issues
- -Approval for filing (1) lawsuit in regards to compliance issue
- -Approval for filing TRO in regards to (1) account related to lot maintenance
- -Pending litigation; owner to enter into Agreed Judgment and pay all legal fees affiliated with this matter

Approved Date