

## Wexford West Homeowners Association Board Meeting Minutes:

#### <05/14/2024> Wexford West Community Park Palm Harbor, FL 34683

**Meeting Called to Order:** by **Ken** > at **7:05** p.m.

**Quorum Established:** In attendance - < Michael, Matt and Ken along with several other home owners >

**Approval of Minutes:** < Motioned by Ken, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Michael >.

## **FINANCE/VENDOR Updates**

- Individual purchases on HOA CC rolls up to master (it appears duplicate, but really not)
- Operating Reserve (Matt now moving money a bit more)
- Our community accounts, no maintained primarily in money market, are earning increased interest
- Outstanding dues: Incorrect owner listed on a few addresses
- Matt suggesting checking addresses against property appraiser site prior to next annual mailing
- Annual dues: Michael says he will call the few late stragglers

# **ACTION ITEMS/Discussion/New Business**

- Duke/CR1 entrance: New trees, fixed irrigation. Michael to follow up with DUKE for sign lights not working on CR1.
- Community garage sale needs to be scheduled
  - Jackie will do FB poll for community garage sale (would like to do now, but might be fall based on temperature)
- Fountains (Valve and Solenoid issue)
  - O Discussion around replacing vs. repairing. We are being challenged to find vendors to service. System is 25+ years old. initial whispers to repairs come in at \$20k +
- Irrigation cut off sprinklers around pond trail
- Added "beware of alligator/do not feed" signs
- Lighting Duke Energy estimate on CR1 lamppost
  - Replace \$8k > so, for now, we will keep
- Could not move it because of where it is to relation

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- Violations Tracker/Schedule
  - o Consider starting with email rather than formal letter
  - Ken would like a more formal process notice, team will formalize process
- Infrastructure replacement cost analysis/plan
  - Initial plan developed and proposed to board
  - Needs revisions for Existing vs Capital Improvement (new improvement needs voted, whereas existing)
  - O There are several items that need attention in the immediate future, coming years:
    - Signs
    - Fountains
    - Retaining wall (May be County responsibility)
    - Playground
    - Swings
- Plan to build additional board participation
- Swings in the park replacement
  - Matt to look back at links and make a decision by next meeting

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

- LED lighting / Duke Energy
  - Actual cost is \$91/month for 10 years. Or, \$10,920
    - Matt says it looks like we are paying \$48/month for rental
    - Questions: How long have we been paying on the old equipment?
      - Service on old equipment?
    - Matt to reach back out to Duke and ask for a contract on the rental line items
- Cover for pump at Daventry will assess need for replacement prior to purchase
- HOA software
  - Still on Mike radar
- Initiate process for to assess increasing dues
  - We first would like a full replacement/ongoing cost analysis to support case in process
  - Matt proposed no prepaid return envelopes
  - We will include comparisons of surrounding area of HOAs
  - Ken and Matt have both shared initial analysis we can build on

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#### **OPEN AGENDA - PUBLIC COMMENTS**

- Thanks for the alligator signs
- Thanks for Park cleanup and staying on Duke for CR1 entrance
- Looking forward to community garage sale
- A lot of discussion around the fountains many homeowners expressed the reservation to continue repairing vs. replacing.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at <8:16> p.m.

The next Board meeting will be held on <June 11, 2024 > at 7 p.m.