Minutes of

The Strathmore Court Homeowners Association, Inc. Board of Directors Meeting

Held on June 14, 2016

- I. **ATTENDANCE** Gene Dolinger, Sharlene ladanza, Charles Congema, Helene Singer, Jong Hsu, Phyllis Krilovich, John Romashko Jr., Bob Pavlecka, John Hatgis (for The Management Co.)
- II. **ELECTION OF OFFICERS** slate unanimously approved: President-Dolinger, Vice President-Cruz, Secretary-Singer, Treasurer-Romashko
- III. MINUTES of 5/10/16, 4/5/16, 5/24/16 meetings approved unanimously
- **IV. MANAGEMENT REPORT** discussed, including financial, legal matters, fines and violations, homeowner correspondence, home sales, modification results.

V. REPORT OF OFFICERS

- **A. President** Requesting that no Board business be discussed or responded to on Facebook. The <u>strathmorecourt.com</u> website must be the source of official Board communication.
- **B. Vice President** Submitted email correspondence from the Town, but is awaiting more details regarding ongoing projects. Hoping to meet with Hwy. Dept. personnel shortly.
- **C. Treasurer** Some budget areas are already in arrears, with large expenditures for trees and winter/storm cleanup. More funding is needed for necessary tree work.
- **D. Secretary** Reviewing Maintenance Guidelines, Information Packet to finalize both. Toiletries successfully organized by a committee and then delivered to grateful recipients at the soup kitchen.

VI. COMMITTEES

A. **Architectural** – Letters of closure are required for home sales. When a fence or other structure is on common ground, the letter cannot be given, because homeowners cannot sell property that they do not own. Guidelines for motorcycle parking/storage will be developed.

Fence survey is ongoing.

- B. **Recreation** Hot Dog Picnic, sponsored by The Management Co., will be held on 7/9/16. Reservations are required.
- C. Pool Report submitted by committee Chair, Charlotte Romashko -Opening Day is Saturday 6/18. Meeting scheduled with Big Splash personnel later this week.
- VII. **CLUBHOUSE RENTALS** June 18, 24, 25, 2016
- VIII. **PROJECTS** Driveway sealing of Levitt homes will be done June 15,16,17. Clubhouse renovations are postponed, but closet door next to kitchen will be repaired, pool pergola has been power washed and cleaned, and side area sidewalk leading to pool entry door will be power washed.
- IX. HOMEOWNER CORRESPONDENCE discussed

X. **NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Possibility of adding personnel for summer work discussed motion defeated
- B. Board Social/Homeowner Information Meetings/Open Board Meetings options discussed - dates and formats to be announced; topic of first Info Mtg. will be financials.
- C. John Hatgis (TMC) will be at the clubhouse one hour before upcoming scheduled Board Meetings (5:00 pm) to meet with homeowners.
- D. Town island removal project discussed
- E. Bulk mailing suggestion to explore use as a cost saving measure.
- F. National Grid deposits of \$250 to be returned to homeowners as soon as possible passed unanimously
- G. Facebook will no longer be used for Board/homeowner communication. Emails, e-blasts, and the community website will be the appropriate

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vehicles for questions, issues, etc. and additional efforts to be made to obtain more resident email addresses for the database.

- H. Dumpsters Recycling dumpsters have been removed along with the signs labeling them. The other 2 dumpsters will be locked in order to prevent misuse
- Tree Work TMC is following up on homeowner requests; only dangerous, dead, or diseased trees will be considered for removal, due to financial constraints.
- J. Problems with recreational vehicles/quads/motor bikes racing on common grounds.

Respectfully submitted,

Helene Singer

Secretary of The Strathmore Court Homeowners Association, Inc.