# Taking Pride in Where We Live

# **Board Meeting Minutes**

Day/Date/Time:	Saturday/April 14, 2018/10:00 AM
Location:	Ted Foley's House
Attendees:	Jennifer Lorenzen, Ted Foley, Stephanie Neurer, Cassie Tompkins (CM Pro Services)
Excused:	
Members Present (#):	0
Called to Order:	10:04 AM
Called to Close:	12:20 PM
Duration:	2 hours/16 minutes
Minutes Prepared By:	Stephanie Neurer, Secretary
Minutes Approved:	Saturday/May 12, 2018/12:00 PM

### Agenda

BOARD VOTED IN FAVOR (3 to 0) for the following action: Meeting minutes for March are approved.

#### **Recurring Business:**

- 1. Design Review(s)
- 2. Review Compliance Issues
- 3. Management Report
- 4. Gate Updates
- 5. Common Area Maintenance
- 6. School Bus Stop(s)
- 7. Electrical Box Key
- 8. Member Suggestions
- 9. Improve Communication with Membership
- 10. Street Sealing
- 11. Flooding
- 12. 4 Way Stop

#### **New Business:**

- 1. Community Outreach
- 2. Bridge Repair
- 3. Facebook Page

### 1. Design Review(s)

Exterior changes/modifications must go through the Design Review process

- DRC Guidelines (as stated in CCRs) currently do not exist.
  - Steph sent draft to Jennifer, Ted and Cassie no responses yet
  - Design Review Document to be first priority with new board members

#### 2. Review Compliance Issues

Issues with compliance notices, concerns from homeowners and special circumstances to discuss

#### 3. Management Report

Cassie provides Management Report prior to each monthly meeting for discussion/approval

 BOARD VOTED IN FAVOR (3 to 0) for the following action: March Management Report approved

### 4. Gate Updates

Gate is working correctly

- BOARD VOTED IN FAVOR (3 to 0) for the following action: Gate Guidelines to be "adopted" as official HOA document
- Guardian to improve back gate with fencing/pedestrian gate and remove large rocks used to eliminate cars from driving around the side gate(s) – later in the year
- Ted working on pedestrian gates on front gate

#### 5. Common Area Maintenance

Landscaping went out to bid last month

- BOARD VOTED IN FAVOR (3 to 0) for the following action: Mago Landscaping will start ASAP and begin with 1 year contract
- Purchase new sprinkler heads and install in the Spring
  - Will focus on exterior perimeter to reach trees first do the rest later if needed

### 6. School Bus Stop(s)

Discussion on improving or moving the bus stop for safety purposes. Still getting many reports of unsafe activities

- Working with Transportation Department on bringing front bus stop into the community
  - Route June conversation
  - o Parent parking define
- Bring front bus shelter inside gate to new bus stop
- Bus committee Jennifer
- Jennifer will contact person who built front bus shed to get a quote for the exact same one for the back gate
  - o Back bus shed will go in front of the existing light in the easement on the corner
  - LVB will have to get documentation for easement with current homeowner which will stay in place should they sell the property

#### 7. Electrical Box Key

Cassie looking into getting a key made or changing the lock

#### 8. Member Suggestions

Member contacted the board to provide suggestions for improvement.

• Announce Board long-term goals and track progress toward achieving them – add to website

### 9. Improve Communication with Membership

Suggested ways the Board can improve communication with homeowners.

- Biannual community meeting (in addition to Annual Membership Meeting)
- Monthly board meetings are open to the membership
- More updates on current projects email blasts
- Online/paper surveys (not official voting) to get overall opinions on most common unknowns or complaints in CCRs?
  - Height of landscaping in front yards
  - Carports
  - Building materials
  - Color schemes
  - Signage
  - Yard decor

#### 10. Street Sealing

Received bids on street sealing – cannot afford to take on this project at this time

### 11. Flooding

**BOARD VOTED IN FAVOR (3-0) for the following action:** Get DrainPro into the community ASAP the next time we get a heavy rain so they can research the flooding on 33<sup>rd</sup>

Jennifer will let Cassie know next time the street is flooded

## 12.4 Way Stop

Discuss a 4 way stop at the intersection of 33<sup>rd</sup> Avenue and 290<sup>th</sup> Avenue

• BOARD VOTED IN FAVOR (3 to 0) for the following action: Ted will install the 2 additional stop signs

## 1. Community Outreach

**BOARD VOTED IN FAVOR (3-0) for the following action:** Jennifer will get a "Holiday Decorating Contest Winner" sign – no more cash prizes

### 2. Bridge Repair

BOARD VOTED IN FAVOR (3-0) for the following action: Get 3 bids on bridge repair

### 3. Facebook Page

**BOARD VOTED IN FAVOR (3-0) for the following action:** Transfer administrative responsibilities for the community Facebook page to the Lacamas Hood community group.