# Elizabeth Townes Board of Directors Meeting Tuesday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2009 6:28pm

Directors attending: Samantha Corning, Gwen Crawford, Barbara Gillis, Ginger Hall,

Mary Lennert, LaDonna Walden

Hawthorne Management, Angie Baxter in attendance

Minutes taken by: Samantha Corning

## Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 6:28 PM by outgoing President, Barbara Gillis

#### **New Board Positions**

Motion to accept:

LaDonna Walden: President Barbara Gillis: Vice President Mary Lennert: Treasurer Samantha Corning: Secretary Gwen Crawford: at-large Ginger Hall: at-large

Motion 2<sup>nd</sup> All in favor

#### **Financials**

Financials were reviewed. Outstanding delinquencies was noted as \$7384.46 Motion to accept December 2008 financial statement Motion 2<sup>nd</sup>
All in favor

# **Old Business:**

#### **Timothy Court Sewer**

Board will schedule the jetting of the lines 2 times a year, long term. This is an acceptable approach as stated by the contracting companies that have reviewed the damage and do not see the need to do the complete repair. We will continue to monitor to assure the damage does not get any worse.

#### Timothy Court curb repair

Two bids received thus far. Board requested clarification from one contractor regarding repair dimensions and whether work will be guaranteed for a certain time period. Potential start date for project is early spring.

#### **Retention Ponds**

Board is requesting a quote, from AA TexLawn, to determine the cost of maintaining the retention pond overgrowth, grading and the application of rip-rap at current overflow

drainage locations.

## **Entrance Caps**

Board was presented with two design options. Work to be completed early spring. Motion to accept design option 2 Motion 2<sup>nd</sup>
All in favor

## **Terminex**

Board reviewed plan to continue yearly maintenance with Terminex at a cost of \$24.00/ unit/year for the 2009 calendar year. Late charges have been applied to those units that have failed to pay the 2008 Terminex Special Assessment thus far.

## **Tree for 9714 Elizabeth Townes Lane**

Tree will be replanted with a mini crepe myrtle.

## **New Business**

## **Garbage Can Violations**

Board decided on protocol to handle residents who do not abide by the community Handbook guidelines with regards to Garbage can rollout. 1<sup>st</sup> violation will result in a letter being placed on the residents garbage can highlighting the proper times to place/remove cans to/from the curb. 2<sup>nd</sup> violation will result in a letter sent from Hawthorne Management. 3<sup>rd</sup> violation will result in the resident appearing before the Board for a hearing.

## **Lift Station**

Community is running on 1 pump again. Need to replace the broken pump immediately. Board will send a flyer out to all residents highlighting what can/cannot be flushed in the sewer system.

Motion to accept Motion 2<sup>nd</sup> All in favor

#### **Pressure Washing**

More estimates needed before decision can be made. Will be revisited at later date.

## Community walk-through date

Tabled until February 2009

## **Elizabeth Townes website**

Board requested a redesign. Will be implemented early February.

# **Guest Parking**

Will be discussed in more detail during February board meeting. Reviewing the rules for those residents who may come home at lunch and whether they should be permitted to park in guest parking for the 40 minute duration they are home.

## 2009 Goals

Fix Entrance Caps
Maintain lift stations
Communication to residents

# **Next Meeting**

February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2009 @ 7 PM

# **Adjournment**

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM