# STRATA COUNCIL MEETING VAS 2893 North Oaks

Thursday, March 14th, 2019, 9:30 am Location: SL 22

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: SL3, SL4, SL10, SL 17, SL18, SL19, SL22.

**OPENING OF MEETING:** the meeting was called to order at 9:33am by Chair SL18.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: motion to approve Agenda: moved SL19, seconded SL4, approved.

**APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF:** February 7th, 2019. Motion to approve Minutes: moved SL10, seconded SL3, approved.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

# a) Update on Lighting in the Complex - SL 3:

- outside electrical outlets most of the work has been completed; electrician is continuing;
- replacement of globe lights work has been completed but is an ongoing job as they burn out;
- lighting at entrances a large reflector has been placed on the realtor signpost which is helping increase visibility; an electrician is scheduled to examine connections to the lights on the pillars.
- b) Care of East Side Hedge at Unit 26 SL 18: the work is pending.

# c) Storage of Owners' Spare Keys- SL 18:

- steps are being taken to update security and paperwork regarding the storage of spare unit keys. Council will move forward with this at the next scheduled Council meeting.
- motion to purchase safe/security box: moved by SL4, seconded by SL22, approved.

# d) Water Seepage - SL 10:

- the issue has been discussed and Council will proceed in the next Council year;
- a town engineer will be called in.

# e) Preparation for the Annual General Meeting - SL 17:

• Council responsibilities and meeting procedures were discussed and finalized.

# \*\*\* REMINDER: AGM IS ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20TH, 2019, 6:30 PM. LOCATION: KIWANIS MEETING ROOM \*\*\*

# f) Snow Removal - SL 18:

- the Town of Gibsons offered some service to help clear the outside sidewalks. A thank you note will be sent to acknowledge;
- the snow removal company plowed our driveways two times;
- a young man was hired to clear accumulated snow behind vehicles;
- Council wishes to thank the residents who shovelled walkways and offered help during our inclement weather.

# **CORRESPONDENCE - SL 17:**

- a) insurance: receipt of estimated premium, letter to broker to reconsider increased premium, appraisal report, invoice, reply from broker re: increase, request from strata to redirect emails to strata address, receipt of insurance renewal proposal;
- b) snow information for residents: snow plow is scheduled, thank you for assistance and offer of help from residents, two notices of compost pickup, three responses from residents:
- c) from webmaster: two emails invoice forthcoming, invoice attached;

- d) delivery of AGM Notice Papers: three emails, three phone calls and one mail-out to off-site residents;
- e) from electrician: request for information; reply with information;
- to residents regarding delivery of extra information for AGM; request from resident for an additional AGM packet;
- g) repair of gutter caps and fascias: three emails to repairman;
- h) notice to residents re: repairman will be on site; two responses;
- i) from realtor: request for forms and information.

#### **FINANCIAL: SL 10:**

# a) February Statement:

Assets - \$134 889.48
Beginning Bank Balance - \$17 699.38
Deposit - \$3 583.28
Total Withdrawal - \$3 351.35
Bank Total - \$17 931.31

Motion to approve the February Financial Statement: moved by SL3, seconded by SL10, approved.

# b) Funds Transfer:

- discussion took place regarding the benefit of transferring funds to a savings account to gain interest;
- moved by SL3, seconded by SL19, to transfer \$10 000 from the Chequing account to the Plan 24 Savings account. Approved unanimously;

# c) Insurance:

- a detailed analysis of the Renewal Proposal took place;
- coverage options were discussed at length;
- · information will be brought forward to the Annual General Meeting.

# **NEW BUSINESS:**

# a) Lawn concerns - SL 18:

- the gardeners will be starting their work at North Oaks soon;
- some weed-filled areas of lawn need attention.

#### b) Upcoming Condominium Home Owners Assn. Seminar - SL18:

• registration for April's seminar has been tabled until the new Strata Council convenes.

## c) Hot Water Tanks - SL 10:

please check the age of your hot water tank... is it time to replace?

**NEXT MEETING DATE:** TBA. The next scheduled Strata Council Meeting will be determined by the newly-elected Council.

**ADJOURNMENT:** the meeting was adjourned at 11:59am. Moved by SL3, approved.