Hyalite Foothills HOA Board Meeting

January 10, 2023 - Called to order by President

Attendees: Sean Burrows, Sallee Nelson, Martha Case, Anne Dingerson

## 1. Approve previous minutes

a. Motion to approve from Sallee, 2nd by Martha - Motion passed.

## 2. Old Business:

- a. Update on Architectural Application reviews;
  - i. Lot 38 documentation and drawings are inconsistent in terms of determining house color. Next steps follow-up with homeowner to clarify exterior color
    - 1. Approved via email correspondence with the homeowners
  - ii. b. 318 Starling discussion on septic permitting for adu with additional water plus 1,000 sq ft add-on
    - 1. Variance update was accepted by the homeowner, homeowner will provide photo documentation of the variance compliance. Awaiting final photo documentation.
- b. Re-activate bylaws (modern standards) (Anne)
  - i. Sean providing introduction to Mari and Bob so that Anne can begin by-laws re-fresh
- c. Revise architectural standards (Arn)
  - i. Waiting report from Arn
- d. Assessments for violation (Sallee)
  - i. Some discussion on comparable neighborhoods to solicit for guidance on violation governance. Sallee will take the next steps.
- e. Hyalite Creek proposed subdivision update (Sean)
  - i. Fact finding next steps concluded December 9th, we are still inside the appeal window. Sean will reach out to determine final timing.
- f. Any snow removal issues?
  - i. We are relying on the board/neighbors to give feedback on the condition of the roads when it snows or thaws. We need to remain vigilant in terms of feedback in order to optimize snow removal.

## 3. New Business:

- a. New Architectural Reviews
  - i. Nothing new in the queue.
- b. 25 S. Chickadee request for change in setbacks
  - i. The board will not approve any variance requests without a submitted and completed architectural application and review by the architectural committee.
    - 1. Policy motion to approve by Martha
    - 2. Second by Sallee, Sean, Anne
- c. Reported covenant violation at 646 Meadowlark
  - i. Some discussion regarding the on-going issues with machinery and materials storage by a tenant.
  - ii. Board has drafted a notice of violation and will send to the residence.
- d. Other identified covenant issues

- i. No additional issues to discuss at this time.
- e. Bright lights: request for neighborly consideration made in November newsletter. Do we (HOA Board) need to take additional action?
  - Corrective actions taken; newsletter campaign and additional communications.
    Downward facing fixtures are part of the architectural review policy which most homes have.
  - ii. Board has completed action on this item.
- f. Meadowlark Park: Mike Certo had volunteered to lead improvement efforts. We had asked him to check in with previous volunteers (Pat Wilson) and bring proposal to board.
  - i. Waiting on word from Mike with a proposed plan for board approval. The work will be volunteer only and maintained by volunteers or sustainable.
- g. Posting of architectural reviews to website
  - i. Anne hasn't done this yet but will reach out to Tim our web designer.
- h. Posting of board minutes to website?
  - i. Anne hasn't done this yet but will reach out t in o Tim our web designer.

## 4. Treasurer's Report

- a. Circulated by Martha in prep for this meeting
  - i. November Summary
    - Lawyers bills to fight the Hyalite Creek subdivision have been paid. We were only slightly over budget for this. Dues letters were printed in November.
  - ii. Mail correspondence for newsletter and Hyalite Creek communication has put use nearly at our annual correspondence budget. We will likely go over budget this year.
  - iii. Some discussion on the by-law revisions/amendments, how much legal fees might be plus correspondence.

Meeting adjourned - Motion by Sallee, Second by Martha, Sean and Anne

- 5. Items to carry forward for future discussion:
  - a. Wood chips for playground
  - b. Noxious weed letters to specific properties
  - c. Shade shelter near playground
  - d. Cougar sign at 19<sup>th</sup>
  - e. Ideas foYou r Spring newsletter
  - f. Summer ice cream social
  - g. Saving some young evergreens in Cougar Park
  - h. Date for park mowing. Do we mow Meadowlark Park?
  - i. June yard sale