Mountain View Park Community Club Board Meeting Minutes May 18th, 2025

Board Members Present: Andy Quast – President, Molly Graham – Treasurer, Audrey Spence – Secretary, Emilie Woodbridge, Tom Morgan

Welcome and Call to Order: Established a quorum and Andy called the meeting to order at 4:09 PM.

- 1. **Approval of Agenda:** Agenda was approved as distributed.
- 2. **Approval of Minutes:** Minutes from 3.2.25 Motion by Andy, seconded by Molly. Approved.
- 3. Treasurer's Report:
 - a. Account balances as below. Recent board approved spending for critical projects have gone over our budgeted funds. There continue to be significant upcoming expenses and we will need to initiate a special assessment.
 - b. Additional reporting and budget planning will occur once tree and infrastructure quotes are finalized.
 - c. <u>Balance Sheet</u> dated 5.15.2025 reflecting total funds of \$43,622.05 as follows:

Checking (BofA) balance \$6,474.65
Checking (WA Fed) balance \$990
Money Market 0859 (WA Fed) \$36,157.40

4. NEW BUSINESS:

- a. Canal Tree Clearing Planning
 - i. The Board discussed the future need to clear ~20 trees along the canal and dam, per the Dam Safety Inspection Report.
 - ii. Some cedar trees may be of logging value, but may require DNR permits.
 - iii. Plan to request worst-case scenario bids (tree removal, no stump grinding, logs pulled to dam base).
 - iv. This effort will likely be tied to the future special assessment.
- b. Legal & Special Assessment Planning
 - i. The Board will develop details for a special assessment with legal consultant.
 - ii. Initial target is to include seismic study at a minimum, potentially for low-spot reinforcement, tree removal, and emergency outlet as possible once estimates are available.
 - iii. Goal is to fund necessary infrastructure improvements while managing long-term financial planning.

5. ON GOING BUSINESS:

- a. Tree Cleanup in the Park
 - i. A large downed tree is impeding mowing and site safety.
 - 1. Board discussed whether to self-manage or hire professionals.
 - 2. Audrey volunteered to get three vendor quotes (Pacific Tree, Snohomish Tree, and King Tree).
 - 3. Goal is to have quotes ahead of the Annual Meeting to inform the membership.
 - ii. Roof Repairs -Tree damage to the picnic structure roof was discussed.
 - 1. Andy and Tom may repair it themselves or explore an insurance claim (\$500 deductible).
 - 2. Tree must be cleared first for safe roof access.
- b. Dam and Emergency Infrastructure Updates
 - i. Seismic Grant & Monitoring:
 - 1. No FEMA grant awarded yet. Seismic bid in hand, but unclear next steps without FEMA funds. Monitoring equipment remains a priority.
 - ii. Emergency Outlet & Siphon:
 - 1. Emergency outlet bid from AUS confirmed at ~\$12,000 for a 5–7 business day response (not the ideal 24–48 hours).
 - 2. Permanent siphon bid revised down to ~\$40,000 from \$65,000, but excludes several cost components (labor, site prep, decommissioning).
 - 3. Consultant is needed to evaluate decommissioning of existing outlet pipe.
 - 4. Full execution of siphon project is dependent on further evaluation and budgeting.
- 6. **Next Board Meeting:** The Annual Meeting is next (June 14 Flag Day). The board may meet again before summer ends to finalize bids and begin special assessment process.
- 7. Adjournment:

Meeting adjourned at 5:07 PM by Molly, seconded by Andy.

Minutes drafted and submitted by Audrey Spence - Secretary

Approved on: 7.20.2025 As Submitted