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JANUARY 2024 Newsletter

WGI ENTRANCE SIGNS

We are happy to announce that work on the two entrance signs will begin this month. These new signs will have our new logo as shown at the top of this newsletter. It will have a cement foundation, brick columns and brick walls that will be much more sustainable.

NEW BOARD MEMBER

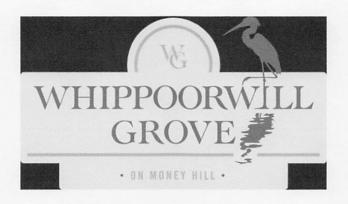
We want to welcome William "Billy" Simmons as our new Board member. Billy has previously served on the Board and we look forward to working with him in the future. Our Board membership has increased to nine (9) members, the maximum allowed by our Bylaws.

HAYRIDE MEET & GREET EVENT

The weather could not have been better for our Hayride. Juliette Thompson, Executive Director of Alegria Center on Highway 1083 was our host for the Hayride and made the evening special for the riders. We were not a big crowd, but met some neighbors as we shared desserts, coffee and hot chocolate. A special thanks to Chief Brewer for his letting us use the fire station that night.

PROPOSED CHANGE TO WGI COVENANTS

Some of our members have questioned why it is that we have covenants that require that views from the street side of a residence be free of things like boat trailers, recreational vehicles and utility trailers but that these items are allowed to be visible from the lakes. It seems to them that the spirit of the covenant requiring such items to be hidden from view should apply equally to the lakeside of lots that border the lake as well as the street side. The Board has considered this question and agrees. We will be mailing out a proposed change to the covenants to apply similar restrictions for these items regarding visibility from the lakes in January. There will be more explanation and instructions included there. Please look for this in your mail box.



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LAKE UPDATE

Last year's drought has been hard on our lake levels. We have been running the pump on Lake Egret for thirty (30) days (November 9 - December 9) as well as the pump on Lake Heron (November 18 - December 2) to assist in maintaining the lakes. Mother Nature has finally been sending rain to help us fill up the lakes again.

CAT SITTER NEEDED

One of our residents, JenniferHernandez is looking for a cat sitter who would be available to drop by her house daily to replenish cat food, water dishes and clean litter boxes. For more information please reach out to Jennifer at thehenleys3@comcast.com or call her at 318-402-3669.

WALDHEIM WASTE

There is a new vendor offering waste services - Waldheim Waste. They are offering twice a week pick up for \$30 a month. Service starting February 1, 2024. If interested, please call 985-265-8538 or email at waldheimwaste@yahoo.com.

WGI DUES INVOICES

It is that time of the year again and the 2024 dues invoices will be coming out shortly. Be sure and pay timely as late payments are subject to additional fees.

ADVOCATE NEWSPAPER DELIVERY

If you receive the "The Times Picayune/New Orleans Advocate" via home delivery, please note that this service will be discontinued in the near future. The Advocate is offering another experimental service for us to receive the daily newspaper. Please email us at WGI,Board@gmail.com if you are interested.