# The Colony at Edina Board Meeting Minutes

October 20, 2020

There was no open forum – security concerns were addressed with a conversation about improving lighting around the property. We are researching options and testing some products.

## Opening

The regular meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm on October 20, 2020 in The Colony Commons by Jeff Hamm.

#### Present

Jeff Hamm, President, Mariah Shriver, Treasurer; Natalie Ionescu, Secretary; Kelly Neff, Hailey Ciardelli, Cindy Schneider, Sue Neuhart, Michelle Blessing

## Absent

N/A

## **Approval of Agenda**

The agenda was unanimously approved as distributed.

#### Approval of Minutes

Hailey motions to accept the September minutes and Mariah 2nds. The minutes of the previous meeting were unanimously approved as distributed.

#### Treasurer's Report

Account Balances	October 2020
Operating Checking	\$250,372.68
Operating Savings	\$41,825.46
Replacement Reserves	\$257,550.63
CD Replacement Reserves	\$244,941.35 (CD and savings)

- Annual budget meeting got moved to November 11/9 at 6:00pm
- Audit is ongoing
- Sue is now a check-signer
- The Treasurer's manual will be presented at the budget meeting and will include:
  - Monthly processes
  - Annual processes
  - Staff info and pay plus benefits
  - List of accounts and locations
  - $\circ$   $\;$  How to's (changing signers, accessing accounts, audit info)  $\;$
  - $\circ$  FAQs

## Management Report

- Julian will be back Wednesday
- Interior door painting in 6405 is complete and Julian is stripping wallpaper in 6300 to prep for paint
- Fall landscaping clean-up is scheduled for October 30th
- Tree trimming and removal is complete
- Metallic labels for garage identification have been printed and will be adhered to door frames

- Heat sensor inspections
- Reserve study visit is rescheduled for November 30th
- First round of furnace inspection notices went out and many have now turned in inspection reports
- Fall tuckpointing still pending as we have funds remaining from earlier contract
- Michelle will continue to provide quarters to residents as an ongoing service for laundry machines
- Field audit postponed due to quarantine, but auditor has all documents and Quickbook files needed to start
- Insurance walk-through scheduled for October 28th
- 12-month lease for 6421 2A has been signed by renters, effective November 1<sup>st</sup>
- Proposals for garage roofs and living room bump-outs arrived and will be reviewed we can't have any further work done before Spring 2021
- Kevin has installed several test lights around the property and will have Muska Electric install a new sensor for timed lights

# **Action Items**

- Proposals for 2 furnace replacements in 6423
  - Mariah motions to move forward with bid from Edina heating and cooling and Hailey seconds
- Determine amount of 6308 2C sales proceeds (\$155,688.99) to be transferred to reserves
  We will not touch this until we've had our budget meeting (November 9)
- Finalize Rules & Regulations that now include attorney's revisions and updates to matrix
  - Mariah will make matrix updates about garage floors
  - Michelle will reprint using cheaper methods
- Michelle still needs to look into water softeners

## **New Business**

- Party room re-opening plan
  - We will not open it for the rest of the year
- Sue will set up meetings with the security task force in the upcoming weeks to start getting actual proposals
- Pressure washing garages
- Jeff motions to approve purchase of new lights (\$800) for the property and Mariah seconds

# Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 6:59 pm motioned by Jeff and 2nd by Hailey. The next meeting will be at 6:30pm on November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 in The Commons.

Minutes submitted by Natalie Ionescu