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Date: May 22, 2024

Attendance: Maureen Allen, James Byrne, Sylvia Banzon, Scott Horsfall, Don Huibregtse, Micah Loucks, Mark

Murray, and Deb Wallace (appointee)

Not Present: Clint Fretz

Attendance: Mary Helton, Michael and Karen Moore, Mike & Kim Cain, and Craig Chase.

Welcome		
Introduction	Welcome- James Byrne Meeting called to order at 5:30 pm	
TOPIC	DISCUSSION/VOTE	ACTION ITEM
Approve Previous Minutes Board Vacancy	April Board Meeting Minutes Motion: James motioned to approve the minutes with the modifications discussed at the meeting. Second: Don Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, and Mark. Oppose: None Abstain: James Consideration of two Board Candidates Deb Wallace was invited to introduce herself. She tells us that she is recently retired and really enjoys our community, and it is wanting to find ways to contribute. She can share her business and conflict resolution skills and would like to participate on the Board. Motion: Mark motioned to appoint Deb to the Board. Second: Scott Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, and Mark. Oppose: None Abstain: James Jennifer Ryan was a no show to the meeting. Her interest and consideration will be deferred for future vacancies.	N/A

PUBLIC COMMENTS/	COMPLAINTS	
PODLIC COMMENTS/	Concern: Disabled vehicle in driveway. Can it be removed or placed in the garage? HOA should not	Office to send an eyesore letter to homeowner owning the
	allow junk vehicles in the driveways.	vehicle.
	the eyesore definition of our HOA. According to Resolution 16 No person subject to Lakeland Village covenants, by laws, or other rules or regulations shall: B. Engage in noxious or offensive activities, which include but are not limited to: 6- Allowing or contributing to the accumulation of garbage, refuse, litter and/or unsightly materials, including inoperable vehicles, on private or community property.	
	Concern: Do we have any way of making that LARGE roaming dog who seems to belong to a trailer on Homestead stay at home? I worry that some families may have a 2- or 3-year-old child playing in their own yard being confronted by an	
	animal twice their size! I know the board has no jurisdiction, but can they offer a solution? (The office has had 4-5 calls about this dog.) LLVCC Response: The animal in question is not	
	owned by a member of our HOA. This is not in purview of the HOA. Homeowners will need to contact the sheriff department to have the animal taken away or to find the owner responsible.	
	Mason County Ordinance 4.08.050 states: (a) It shall be unlawful for the owner or keeper of any animal to enter or trespass onto private property of another without the express permission of the owner or caretaker of said property; or to allow	
LETTERS TO THE BOA	said animal to run at large onto any public property or the public right-of-way within Mason County.	
OFFICER REPORTS		
President	President's Report- James Byrne	
Vice President	VP Report- Mark Murray	

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Treasurer	Treasurer's Report- Sylvia Banzon Assets:	
	- Checking: \$28,328.19	
	- Savings: \$5.00	
	- Litigation: \$92.165.75	
	- Reserve: \$110,339.42	
	- MM: \$299,292.75	
	- CD: \$82,690.99	
	Budget 2024-2025	
	Total Revenue: 82.1%	
	Total Expenses: 8.6%	
	Payment Plans	
	- Information Only: We have three	
	homeowners on a payment plan for their	
	dues this year.	
	daes this year.	
	Community Directory	
	- Discussion and Review- 150 members	
	included.	
	- Cost- print on demand	
	- Publication dates- once a year	
	Discussion : To add public services phone numbers	
	to the directory.	
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	Motion: Micah motioned to approve the current	
	layout and distribute once a year.	
	Second: Mo	
	Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark,	
	and Deb.	
	Oppose: None	
	Abstain: James	
NEW BUSTNESS		
NEW BUSINESS	None	
	None	
OPERATIONS		
Maintenance	Power Wash Tennis Courts- Don Huibregtse	
	- PO #25 - Tennis Courts Maintenance-	
	\$650.00 quote. Funds available in the budget	
	from Maintenance and Contract. Approved	
	for \$700 at the last meeting. Paid and	
	closed.	
	Discussion : Work is still in progress. Should be	
	completed this coming week.	
	Document Shredding- Don Huibregtse	
	Discussion: The company charges \$1 a pound to	
	shred. Should we do a shredding event and invite	

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in the community? The cost for us to shred current accumulated old documents is \$800.

Motion: Mo motioned to have the shredder company come to the community and send an invite to the community to use if needed.

Second: Scott

Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark,

and Deb. **Oppose:** None **Abstain:** James

Office

Privacy Rights (tabled)

- What is considered private information?
- Policy on privacy

Reserve Study Annual Capital Expenses Scheduled for 2024- Mary Helton

- Replacement of office computers STP **Discussion:** Reserve study recommends replacing our computers this year. We currently have computers that are very slow and incompatible with some of the new applications. We have received two bids for the replacement of hardware. One is \$3500 for the hardware and \$900 for networking. The second quote requires us to buy the computers, which is a cheaper option for us, and \$780 for networking. Mary recommends approving the second quote as is reasonably cheaper and she has worked with the technician in the past on other projects and he has been very helpful.

Motion: James motioned to approve the IT Rogue (second quote) minus monitors purchase as the current monitors are still in good condition.

Second: Deb

Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark, and Deb.

Oppose: None Abstain: James

Website: Resident-only Portal

- STP from Shameless Promotions

Discussion: We want to create a password protected website where our clients can access information that we do not want to go public. This will allow us to post the directory online and provide another way for online payment. There

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was discussion on the type of information to be available.

Motion: James motioned to approve STP with modifications on the type of information available.

Second: Scott

Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark,

and Deb. **Oppose:** None **Abstain:** James

Background Checks- Mary Helton

- Update: Authorization form to be approved **Discussion:** Form was provided to all Board members for review, approval, and completion.

Motion: Sylvia motioned to approve the proposed

form.

Second: Micah

Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark,

and Deb. **Oppose:** None **Abstain:** James

Fishing Derby- Maureen Allen

 There was a lot of participation and fun times. We didn't have young children this year, but it was very nice.

Inventory Update- Mary Helton (tabled)

Beach Authority and CPR Class – Mary Helton

- We had 22 individuals taking the class and 21 were trained and certified. All our beach attendants are now trained and certified.
 Question: It was brought up at training; should we consider having an AED at the gazebo?
- Discussion: AEDs are very expensive, there were concerns about securing the device from theft, cost of staff training, etc. We need to research this topic and maybe work on it for next year's budget.

Patrol/Compliance

Incident Tracking Log

Review and approval.

Motion: Don motioned to approved log as

presented. **Second:** Deb

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Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark,

and Deb. **Oppose:** None **Abstain:** James

Complaint Tracking Log

Motion: Don motioned to approved log as

presented. **Second: Mo**

Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark,

and Deb. **Oppose:** None **Abstain:** James

Security: Re-keying and Re-issuing keys

- **PO # 23-** Re-keying- \$245.68 total. Funds available in the budget from Maintenance-Supplies. Approved for \$500 at the last

meeting. Paid and closed.

COMMITTEES

Architectural Control (ACC)

Chairman's Report- James Byrne

ACC Logs Approval- Don Huibregtse

Review and approval.

Motion: Don motioned to approve log as

presented. **Second:** Micah

Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark,

and Deb. **Oppose:** None **Abstain:** James

New Construction Pending and Permits Log-Mary Helton (tabled)

Lake Management

Chairman's Report- Scott Horsfall

 PO #24- Survey of Lake Anderson- \$650 quote. Funds available in the budget from Lake Maintenance- Noxious Weeds

Discussion: We had a meeting with the committee. The lake treatment took place yesterday. When AquaTechnex did the survey, they found more weeds in the lake than in the past.

Email Discussion:

• During its survey of the Lake the week of May 6th, AquaTechnex found more weeds that needed treatment than has traditionally been the case – the current estimate is for treatment of 12.6 acres,

Board Meeting Minutes compared to 4 to 8 acres in the past. The additional growth is probably due to the clear conditions on the day of the survey (allowing AguaTechnex to discover more weeds that might have been obscured in the past), the fact that we are getting to the first treatment later than normal, and general conditions conducive to weed growth. The estimate for the treatment of Lake Anderson is \$7935. This is above the amount approved at the last meeting and over the budgeted amount. During a meeting of the Lake Committee held on May 15th, it was stated by AguaTechnex that, due to the later nature of getting started, the two treatments generally undertaken by the Board could be combined into one. This might make the second one unnecessary. We will monitor the lake and see if further treatment is necessary, but of course that will be brought to the Board, if necessary, at a later Because we want to get the treatment completed by Memorial Day weekend, we are asking the Board to vote on this motion by email. **Email Vote: Motion:** Scott motioned to approve the quote for the noxious weeds' treatment for \$7935 that exceeds the budgeted \$7500 and to treat the lake before Memorial Day weekend. Note: This motion replaces the motion voted at the last meeting. **Second:** Mark Ayes: Sylvia, James, Scott, Don, and Micah **Oppose:** None **Abstain:** Maureen, Clint, and Mark **Slide Gate Inspection Quote Discussion:** Waiting until the summer to work on this. **Reserve Study Docks Inspection Quote Discussion:** Waiting until the summer to work on this. Chairman's Report- Maureen Allen No hearings

Safety Sheriff's Report- Maureen Allen MAY CITIZENS AUXILIARY ADVISORY SHERIFF'S **MEETINGS**

Hearing

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Crime within Shelton has recently elevated. The latest gang related drive by event ended with 20 rounds shot into a private residence. No deaths reported.

For years the Sheriff's Department has had knowledge of a serious animal abuse situation and legally could not enter the property. Luckily a dog escaped, was caught in an emaciated condition which gave the Sheriff's Department the right to enter the property to return the dog and then proceeded to shut down the horrific nightmare situation. Found 67 dogs in terrible condition and 1 dead horse. Total Vet bill for dogs came to \$1000.00. Mason County Humane Society helped to place surviving animals. Donations helped to pay the debt.

The Sheriff talked extensively about security cameras. He emphasized the importance of investing in cameras for homeowners and recommends "FLOCK CAMERAS". He also wants all HOA'S and large housing developments to start and maintain a neighborhood Block Watch plan.

Guest Speaker, Mr. Steve Dunkel (Mason County Auditor), addressed the multiple serious issues that have and could occur during voting processes. Received voting envelopes containing white powder, bombs in election boxes, and stolen boxes as examples. We are in crazy times. Efforts are actively occurring to address sent ballots by deceased individuals, folks who vote in two different counties and states, or just don't cancel their voting location and vote at their new home county. Shelton and Belfair in person voting locations do not have an accurate way to monitor double voting. The only ID verified are the last "4" digits of SS number. The East Coast vote closure drastically interferes with West Coast voting as the winner is announced before the polls close on the West Coast. A meeting attendee addressed the issue of outside envelope party marking as an invasion of privacy and if outside letter does not match the inside selection the vote is NOT counted in a Presidential Election. The attendee marked "I" as independent and voted for another party. However, the vote was not counted because the envelope did not match the inside vote. The

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person simply expressed they are an independent to be free to vote for any person of any party. Mr. Dunkel said in the future encourage an Independent to run for office so your vote will count!!!!! Voter fraud is a major problem that has not been eliminated in Washington State at this time. Need volunteers to count ballots.

WORK GROUPS

Strategic Planning Work Group

Work Group Report- Sylvia Banzon

 Boat Launch Landscaping and Storage STP Approval (tabled)

Discussion: We would like to have organize the Boat Launch area. We are thinking of adding a total of 5 kayak/canoe organizers; that will provide storage for 30 of them off the ground. We would like to get rid of the grass, put some film to avoid grass growth and place gravel. We want to number the racks and the stalls so every homeowner would have a specific storage stall. Underneath the kayaks racks would be gravel as well. Because the work is close to the lake, we may need a county permit and that will determine the final cost of this project.

Table vote until we have the total cost.

- Boats vs Trailers

Discussion: We have some trailers without boats in the boat launch area as we are looking to organize the area. We need to discuss this issue. The original intent of the Boat Launch Storage was for boats to be stored either on their own or on a trailer but not store just the trailers. Something to think about and vote at a future time.

 Beach and Playground Landscaping STP Approval

Discussion: This STP was done by two community members to beautify and maintain the beach and playground areas. There was a discussion on the type of wood chips to add to the playground area. It cannot be chips that are hard.

Motion: James motioned to approve the quote

including the wood chips for \$2500.

Second: Mo

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	Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark,	
	and Deb.	
	Oppose: None	
	Abstain: James	
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Resolution 26	Work Group Process- Mark Murray	Board members to review
	-Resolution draft	draft and send changes to
	Discussion: Mark provided a draft of resolution	Mark.
	26 and requested feedback by the next meeting	
	and hopefully we can have a final draft to be voted	
	on at the next meeting.	
	on at the next meaning.	
	ACC Members Appointment- James Byrne (tabled until the Resolution above is approved)	
Security Cameras	Work Group Report- James Byrne (tabled) - Criteria selected for bids.	
OLD BUSINESS		
ADJOURMENT TO EX		
	Motion: James motioned to adjourn meeting to	
	Executive Session @ 6:35 pm.	
	Second: Don	
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Board members attendance to meetings.

Discussion and Review of Bylaws Article IV-

D- Removal- A Director shall become disqualified if he or she is no longer a member or a member in good standing; or misses three consecutive meetings without reasonable cause, as determined by the Board of Directors.

New Issues:

Dog Complaint

Discussion:

Follow the process for dog barking.

Retaining Wall

Discussion:

Complaint from homeowner for construction of a wall that is a replacement of an existing wall.

- Utility Easement Issue

Discussion:

Start the eyesore letter process. Illegal dumping letter. The placement is in covenant land.

- Removing Trees

Discussion:

Not an issue. No action needed.

Mailboxes Discussion

Discussion:

It is the homeowner's responsibility to maintain, add, alter and/or modify the mailbox hut. The Board does not have any responsibility as to where mailboxes are placed or how they are placed. No action needed.

- Inheritance Fees Discussion

No action needed.

RESUME MEETING		
	Back in session at 7:25 pm	
	Motion: James motioned to send the drafted	
	response letter to our attorney in response to the	
	letter he received about trees removed.	
	Second: Don	
	Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark,	
	and Deb.	
	Oppose: None	
	Abstain: James	

	Motion: James motioned to send the response letter received about the dog concern. Second: Mark Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark, and Deb. Oppose: None Abstain: James	
	Motion: James motioned to appoint Deb Wallace Safety Chair and Don to be the second Director for the committee. Second: Micah Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, James, Micah, and Mark. Abstain: Don, Deb	
	Motion: James motioned to send a dog barking letter to the owner to 241 E Rainier Dr. Second: Deb Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark, and Deb. Oppose: None Abstain: James	
	Motion: James motioned to reply to the complainant that the retaining wall built is a replacement and not a new wall. Second: Micah Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark, and Deb. Oppose: None Abstain: James	
	Motion: James motioned to send the homeowner a letter about illegal dumping and an eyesore letter for the yard. Second: Don Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark, and Deb. Oppose: None Abstain: James	
DDIOD ACTION TTEM		
PRIOR ACTION ITEM DISCUSSION	Action Item List- James Byrne	
D13C03310I4	- Review and discussion.	

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UPCOMING MEETINGS		
June 26, 2024	5:30 PM Board of Directors Meeting	
June 26, 2024	7:00 PM Community Meeting - Guest Speaker- Mason County Sherriff- Ryan Spurling	Topics and questions from
UPCOMING EVENTS		
Aug 3, 2024	Garage Sale	
Aug 17, 2024	Annual Community Picnic	Maureen and Deb volunteered for Picnic Workgroup
ADJOURNMENT		
Motion to Adjourn	Motion: James motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:43 pm. Second: Scott Ayes: Maureen, Sylvia, Scott, Don, Micah, Mark, and Deb. Oppose: None Abstain: James	