

THE ASSOCIATION OF UNIT OWNERS OF FIRELIGHT MEADOWS CONDOMINIUMS, INC.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Date:Time:Location: Hammond Property ManagementTuesday6:00 p.m.50 Meadow Village DriveApril 7, 2020Mountain TimeBig Sky, MT 59716

	Agenda	Presenter	Action
Call to	Order	Matt Walker	-
6:00	Member Forum (new items for next agenda)		-
	Minutes of March Board Meeting	All	Approve
	Schedule next Board Meeting	All	-
Repor	ts		
6:15	Property Management Report	HPM – Josh	Discuss
	 Compactor roof estimate update 		
	 Roof leak list & poss. Ins claims 		
	Rule & Parking Enforcement Report	HPM – Derek	Discuss
	Communication from Owners	HPM – Seanna/Katie	Discuss
New E	l Business		
6:40	Bus stop cleaning	HPM – Scott	Discuss
	Bust stop route	Karla	Discuss
	Building painting/peeling repair work	Karla	Discuss
Old B	usiness		
7:05	Window replacement estimate update	Karla	
	Insurance bids update	Karla/Carol	Discuss
	Parking/Paving update	Karla	Discuss
	Landscaping RFP update	HPM -	Discuss
7:30 A	djourn		-

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Firelight Board Meeting 4/7/20

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Firelight Meadows Board Meeting March 10, 2020, 6:00 PM at HPM

Meeting Minutes

Call to order

Matt Walker called the meeting to order at 6:03 pm.

Attendance

Board members in attendance included Matt Walker, Laura Gregory, Curt Wilson, Karla Yeager, Carol Powell, and Steve Cherne (phone). Others present included the association's CPA Doug Shanley (phone), and Scott Hammond, Josh Hickey, Katie Coleman, Derek Weinrich and Seanna Farrow of Hammond Property Management.

Member Forum & Next Meeting

- List of roof leaks and potential insurance claims related to leaks
- Roof shoveling cost update
- Condo hallway heating options

The next board meeting was scheduled for Tuesday, April 7 at 6:00 pm.

January Meeting Minutes

There were two changes noted to the meeting minutes that Seanna will add. Curt motioned to approve the meeting minutes as amended; Carol seconded. The minutes were approved as modified.

Financials

Curt and Doug reviewed the Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual statements for January through December 2019. Overall, the association was under budget \$33,326.67. Highlights included:

- Landscaping upgrades were approved for 2020
- Condo carpet cleaning expenses were accrued and added to reserve account
- Roof Snow Removal expenses were over budget, and the amount budgeted for 2020 was increased
- Chimney cleaning and condo utilities came in under budget

REPORTS

Property Management Report

Josh's managers' report was included in the packet. Josh has been looking into unit A-20's water situation regarding their cold-water source being undetermined and not metered. He can schedule Manhattan Plumbing and Heating to investigate the issue further, but there is a chance that walls will need to be opened (at the HOA's expense) to determine where their cold-water is coming from. If this is the case, owners affected by this invasive work will be notified. Karla recommended contacting Kurt Lawrence and Mike Bishop for drywall work.

HPM has been fielding phone calls for roof leaks and interior damages. The board would like to see a list of any interior damages reported to HPM, and potential claims from roof leak damage. This will be discussed further at the next board meeting.

The compactor experienced a hydraulic pump failure and was repaired as quickly as possible. A new light was installed above the compactor on a temporary wood platform that will be upgraded after the snow melts. Matt conveyed the importance of keeping the compactor area as clean as possible at all times.

Josh received a quote for potentially building a roof over the compactor area. To build a structure that matches the existing enclosure, the cost was between \$14,000-\$16,000. The board does not approve of this estimate; however, Curt motioned to allow HPM to spend up to \$1,000 on finding a design to present to the board. Laura seconded his motion, and all were in favor.

The board noted that outside the condo buildings, the tall ashtrays were filled for several days with beer cans. Karla and her husband called Big Sky Cleaning and asked someone to take care of this, which they did, but it was noted that Big Sky Cleaning needs to be more diligent about these high traffic areas.

Campus Cable/Satellite Situation

Katie has been communicating with Brant of SatPro about the HOA's current cable/satellite situation in the condo buildings and chalets. Currently, the rules and regulations specify that each chalet cannot have more than one dish on each building and owners must tie into a shared satellite dish. However, this rule is quickly becoming outdated as technology advances and more options become available. Owners are opting for cable services that are either not supported by the existing satellite dish or for a service that cannot tie into a shared dish, so many chalet buildings have multiple dishes.

The condo building crawlspaces are inundated with unlabeled cable wires, and work from technicians often result in service being lost to other units.

The board agreed to review a quote from Brant outlining the work and cost associated with cleaning up a duplex, a fourplex and a condo building and will consider the quote in terms of addressing the whole campus. Afterward, the board will discuss the potential project of rewiring and servicing the associations cable/satellite needs.

Rule Enforcement

A rule and parking enforcement report was included in the meeting packet and discussed briefly.

Owner Communication

One owner reached out to HPM regarding dog waste. Seanna will be emailing the association in the spring with a friendly reminder to clean up dog waste.

NEW BUSINESS

Landscaping Request for Proposal

HPM drafted a request for proposal for 2020 landscaping services. The RFP will be sent out to bid to several Big Sky contractors. The board discussed separating the irrigation portion of the contract from the general landscaping duties due to the age and sensitivity of the system. HPM will revise before sharing with contractors.

Window Replacement Project – Bulk replacement cost

Karla researched contractors that were willing to provide her with an estimate for replacing windows on campus at a bulk discounted rate.

Compactor Discussion

Karla reached out to Solid Waste Solutions regarding the bi-annual maintenance of the compactor and the situation where the compactor was out of commission following the most recent inspection of it in January. Karla also reached out to Republic Services about the price the Firelight HOA is currently being charged for pickup services. Evidently a contract with them was not renewed and prices increased. With a new contract, prices will be lowered.

OLD BUSINESS

Parking/Paving Update

Karla has worked with High Country on determining where to pave new parking spaces (approximately 40 total). There are a few areas for other potential spots to be added. The board approved moving forward with the yellow spots highlighted on the map that was provided at the meeting by Karla; the blue and green spaces will be discussed later. Curt noted that there may be additional projects for the group to consider. It was also noted the current bid does not include damages to the irrigation system that will likely happen during construction.

Contracts have been signed with Apex to move forward with the condo entryway paving project and the funds are currently available for this work.

Insurance

Karla continues to work with Blane at HUB International on alternative insurance options for the campus. Carol has also investigated an option with an insurance representative out of state that is familiar with large condo associations and is waiting for more information to provide the board with.

Exterior Lighting

Carol presented an estimate to the board for potentially replacing all exterior light fixtures. This project will need the approval of the membership and has been tabled for further discussion and presentation at the annual meeting.

Adjourn

Laura motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:37 pm.



Chalets

- Monitored ice damming on roofs
- o Continued roof shoveling as needed
- Shoveled out fire hydrants
- Continued trash cleanup as snow melts

Condos

- Monitored Ice damming on roofs
- Cleaned up walkways and around parking blocks as weather allowed
- Shoveled out propane tanks and fire hydrants
- o In the process of troubleshooting plumbing in A20
- Continued trash cleanup as snow melts

- Compactor

- Continued to monitor owners for disposing of garbage improperly
- Cleared snow in and around compactor
- Replaced hydraulic line in compactor
- Had roll offs delivered for spring cleaning
- Continued trash cleanup as snow melts

- Other

- Reached out to Morrison-Maierle regarding asphalt sealing rotation. Major sealing will be done Summer of 2021. They will send someone up this Summer to look at current cracks to be fixed this summer.
- APEX expects to start entrance project in June
- o Working with TD&H to get a plan put together for the trash compactor roof

	Roof Leak List 2019-2020 (As of March 2020)							
Unit Date Address HOA Repor		Date Reported	Leak location	Damages				
216	Firelight Meadows	1/27/2020	Kitchen ceiling	Paint needed				
D8	Firelight Meadows	1/28/2020	Master bedroom exterior wall	Minor trim repair				
406	Firelight Meadows	2/14/2020	Entryway	Paint needed				
C20	Firelight Meadows	2/17/2020	Kitchen	Paint needed				
	Firelight							
B15	Meadows Firelight	2/19/2020	Master bedroom	Paint needed				
216	Meadows Firelight	3/2/2020	Wall between the front door and kitchen	Paint needed Potentially electrical damages,				
304	Meadows Firelight		Kitchen vent	damages to cabinets, ceiling, walls				
302	Meadows Firelight	3/11/2020	Kitchen above refrigerator	Paint needed				
229	Meadows Firelight	3/10/2020	Back wall to left of sliding doors	Paint needed				
D20	Meadows	2/12/2020	Window leak	No damages noted at this time.				
288	Firelight Meadows	3/14/2020	Dryer vent leak	No damage				
336	Firelight Meadows	3/22/2020	Near back door	Paint needed				

	Parking Violations										
					Towing		Repeat				
Make	License Plate	Date	Time	Location	Deadline	Comments	Offender	BOOTED	TOWED	TOWED BY	Towed Date
Toyota	-			Neighboring driveway		NO PERMIT/ NO PARKING	AREA				
Toyota				Neighboring driveway 225		3-cars-wide	TRUE	TRUE	TRUE		
Chevy	esf367	03/08/20	4:30:00 AM	Overflow Parking between C & D		Trailer					
Honda	6225246	03/07/20	4:45:00 AM	Firelight		Fire-lane					
Honda	California srbc562	03/05/20	4:00:00 AM	Firelight		Fire-lane					
Honda	617868c	03/04/20	6:00:00 AM	Neighboring driveway	03/04/20	Invalid Pass/blocking neighbo	or				
Ford	•			Neighboring driveway 173		Blocking Neighbor					
Ford	aajy0663	03/01/20	5:00:00 PM	Neighboring driveway		Fire-lane					

Rule Violations								
Property Warning								
Unit	Owner	Date	Manager	Category	Action Taken	Issued	Fine Issued	Notes
120 Firelight Drive C07	Christianson/Stewart,	03/30/20 12:04 PM	NA	Noise Violation	First Warning	Yes	No	Noise complaint from neighboring unit;
	Andrew & Rachel							sheriff was called previously.
441 Firelight Drive	Wermers, Clara Urban	03/25/20 8:00 AM	NA	Garbage		Yes	No	trash can left outside after pickup day

Firelight - Owner Communication

March 10, 2020 Board Meeting

From: C7

Sent: Monday, March 16 **Subject:** Dog complaint

Hi Seanna, we've sent a complaint before about the unit above C-7 with a dog and it has not been resolved. I'm all but certain the tenants are not owners and thus not eligible to have a pet. I believe they are tenants but relatives of the owners. This does not absolve them of the rules of not having a pet. I'm pretty chill but the repeated behaviors is too much to deal with. Our association rules need to be enforced.

Appreciate your help in this matter.

Thanks!

From: Seanna
Date: Mar 24, 2020

Hi AJ,

The person with the dog in C-17 is the daughter of the owners. I think I would like the board's input on this one before I do anything else.

Can you tell me what problems you've been experiencing recently? Last time it was regarding barking, and they purchased a bark collar for the dog which I've been told has helped.

Thanks,
Seanna Farrow
Hammond Property Management

Hi Seanna,

Ya - this is a tough one for sure. The barking has subsided but I'm still dealing with the negative factors that come with a dog that isn't yours. It's not a single thing but multiple. Biggest thing is playing fetch with the dog in the unit and hearing the racket that ensues. I know this comes across during a time when we are locked down more or less but this activity was a problem and occurred far before COVID was a thing.

I'm not sure what really can be done but wanted to at least have something formal on the books for this. Appreciate your time and attention.

From: 278 Candlelight Sent: 4/3/2020

Subject: RE: FL Board Meeting Packet for 4/7/2020

Hi, Seanna,

Hope you guys are all doing well and staying safe. I was wondering if you could put an item on the agenda. It would be a nice show of solidarity for the board to help out those in difficulty with HOA fees. I'm not sure how it would look but I'm hoping it's something that will be discussed. I'm going to try to join the meeting. On the 7th

Stay inside. Stay safe. All the best from Hong Kong. Greg Hunt

Landscape Maintenance Bid Sheet

Bid Price for Scope of Work "A – J" (Mowing, Trimming, etc.)	\$ 51,200.00
Bid Price for Scope of Work "K & L" (Weed control and Fertilization)	\$ 5,000,00
Bid Price for Scope of Work "M" (Spring Irrigation System Startup)	\$ 3,000,00
Bid Price for Scope of Work "N" (Fall Irrigation Shutdown/Winterization)	\$ 2,000.00
Total	\$ 61,200,00
**Hourly Rate for Scope of Work "O" (Irrigation System Maintenance)	\$ 80.00/hr
**Hourly Rate for miscellaneous landscape work outside of contract	\$ 80.00/hr