

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

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Firelight Board Meeting
Mon, Jul 19, 2021 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (MDT)

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Date:
Monday, July 19, 2021Time:
6:00 p.m. Mountain TimeLocation:
Go to Meeting (Virtual meeting)

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		Agenda	Presenter	Action			
Call to	Ord	er	Karla	-			
6:00	•	Member Forum (new items for next agenda)	-				
6:05	•	Minutes of June Board Meeting	Karla	Approve			
	•	Schedule next Board Meeting	All	-			
New Bu	ısin	ess					
6:10	•	Invasive Species Discussion	Discuss				
Old Bu	sine	ess					
6:15	•	HOA Legal Representative	Carol	Discuss			
6:20	•	Landscaping Cost-Share Program – finalize application	scaping Cost-Share Program – finalize application Karla				
6:30	•	HVAC System Research Update	Julie	Discuss			
6:40	•	Landscaping RFP 2022	HPM – Scott, Mike	Discuss			
6:50	•	Exterior Lighting Project – next steps	Carol	Discuss			
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7:00	•	Financials	Carol	Review			
7.05	•	Property Management Report o Paving o Irrigation	LIDM Dec Miles	Review			
7:05		Street signs	HPM – Dan, Mike	D. i.			
7:20	•	Rule & Parking Enforcement Reports	HPM – Derek	Review			
Adjouri	n		Karla	-			

Firelight Board Meeting Tuesday, June 22, 2021, at 6:00 pm, MDT.

Meeting Minutes

Attendance

Board members present included Carol P., Hannah D., Karla Y., Julie B., Curt W. (via phone), and Jim D.; other owners present included Steve M. (via phone). Scott Hammond, Mike Palmer, Dan Lukas, Derek Weinrich (via phone), Seanna Farrow and Katie Coleman were present from Hammond Property Management (HPM).

Call to Order

Karla called the meeting to order at 6:03 pm.

Minutes

Julie motioned to approve the May meeting minutes; Carol seconded. All were in favor and the May meeting minutes were approved as presented.

Next Meeting

The next board meeting was scheduled for Tuesday, July 20, 2021, via conference call. The board will meet on July 22 to discuss for a budget meeting.

Items for next meeting

- Invasive species schedule
- 2022 landscaping RFP
- HVAC system update

HOA Legal Representative

Katie provided Carol with a list of recommendations regarding options for the HOAs legal counsel. Carol spoke with Jennifer Favre first who isn't currently taking clients; Jennifer recommended Margot Ogburn. Margot expressed interest in working with the Firelight Meadows HOA and has reasonable rates. Carol also contacted other potential attorneys as well, but believes Margot is a good fit. Carol will arrange a meeting with the board and Margot for the near future.

Paving Estimates

Mike obtained an estimate from Big Sky Asphalt, in addition to the estimate from APEX. Bis Sky Asphalt quoted \$18,080 for the remainder of the paving work needed at the chalets. Hannah motioned to hire Big Sky Asphalt using the available landscaping funds to move forward with the paving work; Carol seconded, and all were in favor. HPM will move forward with scheduling the work.

Landscaping Match Dollars Program

The group further discussed the landscaping match dollars program and discussed the logistics of owners arranging for landscaping upgrades. For incidentals and potential damage repairs needed from installing landscaping there should be a contingency to cover those costs split half and half between the owner and the HOA. Scott suggested a clause that states the unit owner installing upgrades be held liable for repair costs associated with damaged irrigation lines. Vendors being hired to do the landscaping should be board approved, and the board will also share a list of preferred contractors. HPM will draft a standard application for landscaping upgrades to streamline the process and share with the board in the next week for approval prior to the July board meeting.

HVAC Systems

Julie researched options for air conditioning. So far, she has spoken with Air Controls about different options, and regardless of forced air or air conditioning, the exterior would be affected by the installation and noise of the system. Julie will have estimates and more information to share at the next meeting.

Outdoor Lighting Project

Carol has been researching options and pricing for replacing the exterior lights of the chalets with fixtures that are dark sky compliant, shining downward. She had a demo of the fixture she chose mounted outside of her front door as an example. The project will include the replacement of the front and patio light fixtures of the chalets (estimated \$280/each), and the deck light fixtures of the condos (estimated \$140/each). Carol will have final estimates to share as soon as possible. After discussion, Julie motioned to approve the proposed fixtures and fund the project by special assessment. Hannah seconded the motion; all were in favor, none were opposed. Julie offered to share contact information of a master electrician in the area that may be able to help with the project.

Financials

The group discussed past due accounts receivable and what the standard operating procedure is for placing liens on unit owners. The board agreed that any unit owners that are 90+ days in arrears should have a lien filed against them. There was no other discussion.

Property Management Report

HPM has been working with Track Utilities on seeding the landscaping areas damaged by the fiber optics work in 2019. Gallatin Water Works continues to repair damaged irrigation areas and repairing zone valves from the fiber optics work. Aside from main-line repairs, there are dozens of irrigation heads that must be removed of silt and dirt.

There was a damaged water pipe reported that affected units C-3 and C-5 because of a drywall nail that was drilled into the shared piping during original construction. Buffalo Restoration was called to facilitate repair work, and at this time the total repair costs do not meet the HOA's insurance deductible, and the costs will be billed to the HOA as a building maintenance expense. This is the second time the condo spigots have caused damage to more than one unit. The group discussed solutions and motioned for HPM to bid the replacement and improvement of the 22 other condo building spigots, not to exceed \$10k; Hannah seconded the motion, and all were in favor.

The 'Firelight Drive' street sign was repaired and repainted. Many other signs need repair or replacement as well, including the STOP signs. HPM suggested the board consider sign upgrades being incorporated into a package deal. HPM will get estimates to share at the next meeting and look at different options for the material of the street signs – i.e., metal, or wood.

Rule and parking enforcement reports were included in the meeting packet.

Other Business

The board discussed the current situation with the water and sewer district and the campus' failing and antiquated water system. It would behoove the board to consider hiring a consultant that can discuss options with the group. Townhall meetings can be arranged to educate and inform owners prior to Firelight HOA potentially applying for a grant. Jim made a motion to support the formation of a public water and sewer district for the Firelight community; Curt seconded the motion, and all were in favor, none opposed.

The board asked HPM to remind the membership via the next newsletter of HPM's office and emergency contact numbers, with a suggestion that short term rental units post this information inside of their unit. It was noted that HPM holds the expectation for their on-call staff that any emergency calls received should be responded to via phone within 15 minutes of receiving the call.

Adjourn

Julie motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:53 pm; Carol seconded.



Firelight Meadows Landscaping Cost Share Program 2021

Landscaping Installation Application

General Information:

- Allocation of 10% (\$5,000) of the Landscape Upgrade 2021 budget of \$50,000
- First-come-first-served basis for twenty (20) unit owners in good standing only
- \$250 allocation per unit (condo or chalet) per year; owner must spend a minimum of \$500 and will be reimbursed for half of the total up to \$250.
- Unit owner of record will be reimbursed \$250 after proof of purchases and inspection of satisfactory installation by Management.

Requirements for Landscaping Upgrades:

- An approved professional installer must be hired for the installation of landscaping improvements and must be capable of handling any necessary repair work from incidentals or damage to the irrigation system; proof of General Liability insurance is required to be on file with Hammond Property Management.
- 2. The landscaping upgrades must be completed in 2021.
- 3. Funds may only be used toward perennial trees, shrubs, bushes no annuals.
- 4. Landscaping cannot impede or reduce snow storage areas.
- 5. The board must approve the project in advance; an application must be submitted in writing with a **description**, **diagram(s)**, **drawing**, **or photos** of proposed landscaping.
- 6. A 'Call 811' location is required prior to digging.

OWNER INFORMATION

Owner Name:	
Unit Number:	
Phone Number:	
Email:	

LANDSCAPING IMPROVEMENT

Proposed landscaping improvement(s) – specific type *Please include with application a diagram(s), drawi	
CONTRACTOR INFORMATION	
Contractor/Company:	
Phone Number:	
Email:	
the landscaping upgrade. The owner of record is finar system; other incidentals will be split between the owner.	wher and the HOA at the discretion of the Firelight Board.
By signing below, I	
Owner Signature	Date
INSURANCE DOCUMENTS	
 Proof of Worker's Compensation or Independ Proof of General Liability insurance to be on fi 	
BOARD APPROVAL	
Board Member	 Date



Firelight Meadows HOA

Managers' Report – July 19, 2021

- Chalets

- o Reattached fallen heat tape
- Continued with cleanup throughout campus
- o Facilitated irrigation system repair with Gallatin Water Works
- Adjusted irrigation clocks accordingly for dry areas
- Replaced and repair broken sprinkler heads throughout campus
- o Repaired mainline irrigation break
- Continued resupplying dog waste stations
- o Took inventory of the number of signs and posts needed for replacement

- Condos

- o Adjusted irrigation clocks as needed
- o Continued with cleanup throughout campus
- o Replaced and repair broken sprinkler heads throughout campus
- Installed key lock box for crawlspace access
- Reattach fallen heat tape
- Replaced American flag
- Repaired broken handrail
- Secured electrical boxes to posts in parking lots
- o Communicated with Manhattan plumbing for hose bib replacements

- Compactor

- Monitored owners for disposing of garbage improperly
- Cleared trash out of the compactor area as needed

Firelight Rule Enforcement									
Unit	Date of Infraction	Category	Action Taken	Warning	Fine Issued	Notes			
297 Firelight Drive	07/02/21 10:29 AM	Parking		TRUE		trailer			
120 Firelight Drive C10	07/01/21 3:43 PM	Charcoal Grill		TRUE		grill, fridge and wood kindling. 2nd offense.			
365 Firelight Drive	07/01/21 3:41 PM	Other		TRUE		Workout equipment, bike/kayak in front yard.			
495 Firelight Drive	07/01/21 3:39 PM	Charcoal Grill		TRUE		charcoal grill			
386 Candlelight Drive	07/01/21 3:38 PM	Garbage		TRUE		garbage all over back of condo			
387 Candlelight Drive	06/25/21 7:25 AM	Other		TRUE		Screen door broken			
						Window coverings w/ patterns on FD/window			
509 Firelight Drive	06/25/21 7:22 AM	Other		TRUE		screen window broken and door			
394 Candlelight Drive	06/25/21 7:21 AM	Other		TRUE		screen window broken			
386 Candlelight Drive	06/25/21 7:20 AM	Other		TRUE		screen window broken			
302 Candlelight Drive	06/25/21 7:19 AM	Other		TRUE		screen window broken			
Firelight Parking Enforcement									
Vehicle	License Plate	Date	Time	Unit #	Location	Comments			
Jeep	aale7190	07/06/21	745 am		Overflow Parking	NO PERMIT			
Nissan	Mississippi jcb0819	07/06/21	745 am		Overflow Parking	NO PERMIT			
Subaru		07/06/21	745 am	441		Invalid Pass/ old pass			
Nissan	aalc9124	07/05/21	730 am		Neighboring drivewa	3-cars-wide			
GMC	Oklahoma jvt479	07/05/21	730 am	124	Candlelight	Fire-lane			
Subaru	North Carolina pkc7984	107/05/21	730 am		Candlelight	NO PERMIT/camping			
Toyota	c2d413	07/05/21	739 am		Candlelight	NO PERMIT/camping			
Subaru	na	07/02/21	415 pm	124	Candlelight	No plates.			
Toyota	cjd063	06/30/21	730 am	115	Neighboring drivewa	NO PERMIT			
Subaru	Oregon 215fsy	06/30/21	730 am		Starlight	NO PERMIT			
Toyota	aalc5626	06/30/21	730 am		Starlight	NO PERMIT			
Toyota	Wyoming 218819	06/30/21	730 am		Overflow Parking	parled in grass; towed by best rate			
GMC		06/30/21	730 am	116	Neighboring drivewa	3-cars-wide			
Toyota	Wisconsin aey8400	06/28/21	4 pm		Overflow Parking	NO PERMIT			
Jeep	Tennessee 6w32n1	06/28/21	4 pm	269	Overflow Parking	Invalid Pass/ old pass			
VW	9F0 119	07/03/21	919 am	251	Neighboring drivewa	2 cars parked in 1 space			
Toyota	6571816	06/28/21	745 am		Neighboring drivewa	NO PERMIT			
Toyota	db6177	06/28/21	745 am	115 Starlight Drive	Starlight	Fire-lane			
Toyota	672879c	06/28/21	745 am		Candlelight	NO PERMIT/ Fire-lane			
Jayco rv	Texas pll408	06/28/21	745 am		Candlelight	RV			
Subaru	Illinois b222954	06/26/21	545 am	406 Firelight Drive	e Firelight	Fire-lane			
Lexus	650002c	06/23/21	845 am		Neighboring drivewa	Blocking Neighbor; towed by best rate			