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Open Session Meeting Minutes Tuesday, October 18, 2016 7:00 PM Mountain View Elementary School

**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:** Jim Gallagher Jeremy Bethancourt

Peri Swenson

MANAGEMENT PRESENT:

Don Curry Amanda Grad

- I. Meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM.
- II. Election of offices: Unanimous approval for officers to hold the same board positions.
- III. Review and unanimous approval of the Board of Director Meeting Minutes from September 20, 2016.

## IV. Treasures Report:

- a. Review and acceptance of Income Statements dated September 30, 2016: Peri Swenson gave review of the financial statements.
- b. Invoice approval: Invoices for irrigation repairs, overseeding for winter rye grass and monthly service for lighting repairs were unanimously approved for payment.
- c. Review of Draft 2017 Operating Budgets/2017 Assessments: Draft budgets reviewed, to be approved at the November meeting. Board voted unanimously to keep the 2017 master association and gated community assessments at the same rate for another year.

## V. Old Business:

- a. Rural/Metro bulk service vote: After several months of discussion and membership participation in a survey/vote for the 2<sup>nd</sup> time the Board voted not to enter into a bulk service agreement with Rural Metro by a 4/1 vote. Amanda Grad voted by proxy for Matt Ford. Members will continue to subscribe individually for service.
- b. Park field use for team sports: For future discussion with a full board in attendance.
- c. Holiday lights: Unanimous approval to keep the same decorating plan as last year.
  d. Halloween Festival Mountain View Park, October 22<sup>nd</sup>: FYI to the community.

## VI. New Business:

a. Review proposal for sidewalk/walkway damage: Unanimous approval for Concrete Elite to make repairs over a few weeks to 4 mapped out areas to begin with Map 2 near the elementary school.

- b. Review proposal for an additional large tree trim project: Unanimous approval for a 2<sup>nd</sup> large tree trim project to be completed immediately.
- c. Review proposals for damaged curbing repairs: Review of 2 proposals, unanimous approval for Somerset (construction crew) to complete this job.
- d. Request for signage: Table until November meeting.
- e. Palm lights at 181st/Olive: Ground lights at palm trees being repaired.
- VII. Discussion Waddell Fire District: Richard Anaya speaking on behalf of starting a Waddell Fire District, possible fee associated to operate, contact info: <a href="mailto:ffranaya@gmail.com">ffranaya@gmail.com</a>.
- VIII. Pending/Tabled Projects:
  - a. Projects update in packet: Update in November meeting packet.
  - b. Updates to Rules and Design Guidelines: In final review.
- IX. Open Discussion Comments on several items:
  - a. Landscaping east of Cortessa Parkway to Peoria needs attention, additional tree trimming project to help with leaf debris that also needs more attention, standing water at culvert at 181<sup>st</sup>/Carol, spurge and tree spouts in granite worse than last year and landscape contract with Somerset, need to understand scope of work and determine if crew size is enough.
  - b. Dog waste at mailboxes and dogs off leash.
  - c. Parking on streets/sidewalks.
  - d. Street light outages, how to report to APS.
- X. Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 8:43 PM.

Minutes prepared and submitted by Don Curry, Secretary

Minutes Approved By / Date