# BOARD OF DIRECTORS ANUAL MEETING AGEND/MINUTES Thursday, October 20, 2021, 2:00 PM MST Teleconference

#### **Board Member Attendance:**

☐ Joanna Harmon - P - Present (Phone)
☐ Brian O'Bara - Present (Phone)
☐ Kendall Crouch - S - Present (Phone)
☐ Gary Holcomb - Present (Phone)

#### Others Present:

Darren Burns - Z&R Jason - Z&R Betty Madison Laura OBara Quinton Stacy Jay Peterson Janice Frazier Troy Warrick Rich Holcomb

A. Call to Order: 2:05 P.M. MST

- 1. Roll Call 58 units are needed for the quorum (30%)
- 2. 3 Candidates for board
  - Joanna Harmon
  - Kendall Crouch
  - Darren opens fate floor to any nominations for other candidates
    - Janice Fraizer
  - Nominees speak about why they want to be on the board
    - Janice
      - Resident since 2006
      - February of 2021 became an owner
      - Has concerns
      - Would like to help on the board
    - Joanna
      - President for about 8 months
      - If re-elected, willing to stay on as president
    - Kendall
  - Darren Owners should vote for no more than 2 people
- B. President's Comments Joanna Harmon

- Joanna
  - Thank you to all who are attending this meeting
  - Thank you Z&R for your work this past year
  - Positive notes
    - Camera updates
    - Gate motor repair
    - New garbage company
  - Negative notes
    - Landscaping staffing issues due to Covid
    - Parking
    - Pets
      - Not registered
      - Poop not being picked up
  - Upcoming
    - Audit results expected in 2-3 months
    - New state law regarding flags and signs
      - Board will look into what needs to be done to help owners and tenants while keeping the community looking good

#### C. Financial Reports

- Darren discusses Annual Budget
  - Portal update
    - Portal is up and running
    - Z&R is still uploading data to the new system
    - New financials are ready
    - Apologizes for inconveniences
  - Budget
    - No increases from 2021 to 2022
    - Last increase has helped
    - Board audit approved for 2022 financials
    - 2021 audit will audit the 2020 financials
    - 2022 audit will audit the 2021 financials
    - Insurance is the second largest expense at \$97,500
    - Insurance will be an increase over last year's budget
    - Insurance premium year and fiscal year do not line up
    - Legal fees have been an issue
      - 3 P's Pets, Parking, and Poop
      - Issues due to people trying to use government to bypass COA rules
    - Snow removal was up this year due to extra snow fall
    - Water adjustments are up
      - Possible rate increases
    - Electricity rates will be going up, but not much of an issue for the COA
    - Increase in budget from 2021 to 2022 is about \$12,500 in projected operating expenses
      - Discussed with board

- Darren opens discussion for questions
  - No questions
- The actuals are not accurate yet, due to the new portal
- \$58,600 in operating cash
- \$341,091 in reserves
- \$73,000 in liquid assets
- Rest of the reserves are in RBC investments
  - Mortgage bonds Pay out over 30 years
    - Average life is only 3 years
    - Will pay out early
    - Pay out over time as mortgages are paid off or bought
    - Interest and principle pay over time at a much higher rate
  - CDs Pay out interest earned when they are closed
- New format of budget report due to the new portal
- \$43,450 has been put away YTD
  - Budget was \$63,000
    - Money is being held back due to CSU water issues (CLA valves)
    - CSU is trying to work with CSU on the amount
  - Operating expenses show the association around \$63,000 over budget
    - Mostly due to the water amount being over budget
- Darren opens discussion for question
  - Joanna Can we put reminders on the calendar to get with CSU
    - Darren Z&R has contacted 3 individuals at CSU

#### D. New Business

- Ballot has about 5.5 minutes left
  - Gary Rich didn't receive a ballot
    - Darren His votes were assigned to Gary
    - Gary Properties have been split between Gary and Rich
- Darren Joanna, will it be discussed today about the flags and signs
  - Joanna No. The board will discuss it first

#### E. Open Forum

- Janice
  - Couple of concerns
    - Were the cameras upgraded?
      - Darren The upgrades were for power (Solar/Batteries)
      - Janice The reason for the question is that owners of pets are not picking up after them
      - Janice Can the cameras be used to identify the owners of these pets?
      - Darren Yes and no
        - Can't always determine who is at fault
        - Can be used sometimes
        - Eve witnesses work best
        - If someone sees something, they need to report it

- Another concern is, is the customer service with Z&R
  - Are the phones working?
  - Long wait times
  - Darren Encourages everyone to use email first. Quicker and easier
    - Z&R does have people answering phones during the day
    - There are staffing issue
    - Z&R had a Comcast issue
- Janice Registered on the new system and then recently received a bill stating that she was 3 months behind in dues
  - Darren Some payments are going to the old drop box, some are delayed due to USPS
  - Janice Payments are set up via ACH/EFT and they don't appear to be working
  - Darren Will verify that the old ACH is stopped
    - Please log onto the new portal and to to make a payments
    - At the bottom of the screen you can set up recurring payments
- Janice Trash at the entrance to the complex
  - Who has responsibility for picking up the trash?
  - Darren Landscaping should be getting it picked up in the summer
- Darren Any other questions?
  - Quinton Parking issue.
    - What's being done about vehicles being towed?
    - New company is just towing
    - Many individuals don't have drive-ways
    - Darren The new company is not the issue and there are no new rules
      - The previous company wasn't enforcing the rules
      - People aren't using their garages for their vehicles
      - Parking on the sidewalks is a hazard
        - People forced to walk in the street
    - Gary Several years back additional parking was approved by the fire department
      - This parking was then added
    - Joanna The board is not focussed on harassing tenants
      - The rules exist to help the community
      - Biggest issue is people not using their garages
      - There are more vehicle than drivers
    - Janice We have renters and owners here
      - Some units have sidewalks and some don't
      - Towing is causing confusion because some people don't know that their drive crosses the sidewalk
    - Darren With the rental population, Z&R cannot keep up with the turnover
      - The owners need to notify the renters of the rules
      - Board could just not enforce reels, but then the COA becomes liable to people who want the rule followed
      - The COA would need to create new parking which is expensive
      - The new towing company did do a grace period where vehicles were tagged so people would know that they were in an invalid parking spot
  - Quinton Another issue is with small kids playing in the streets

- What about an play area where dogs are not allowed so kids don't have to play in the dog poop
- Darren Costs are an issue
- Quinton A play ground is not necessary, just a section where pets are not allowed
- Darren Good idea. The board will need to think about it
- Joanna Remembers discussing it this past year. It will be brought back up
- F. Discussion while voting is in progress
  - 58 shares are required for a quorum
  - 58 shares total have voted
  - Quorum has been reached
  - Results
    - Minutes passed with 56 yes, 1 abstain
    - Budget passed with 55 yes, 1 abstain
    - Election for board members
      - Kendall and Joanna elected
      - Darren Janice please stay involved
      - Gary Don't we still have a vacancy?
        - Darren That was filled last year
- G. Adjourned 3:13 P.M. MST
  - 1. Gary motion to adjourn
  - 2. Joanna seconds