Ashwood Homeowners Association Board Meeting Minutes 02/22/24

Call to Order

The quarterly meeting of the Ashwood Homeowners Association Board was called to order at 6:40pm.

Attendees

Board of Directors: Richard Piercy (President), Matt Cassidy (Vice President), Wrenn Johnston (Secretary), Robin Moore (Treasurer), Carol Woolsey, Jeremy Merrill, Beth Willams, and Steve Walkup

Old Business

- Treasurer Report: Balance of \$15,645. Approximately 2/3rds of the Annual HOA Dues have been paid.
- Architectural Control Committee Report: Issue with dumpster in front of 882 Ashwood Walk is
 resolved. Robin Moore is drafting a warning letter to send to 873 Ashwood Walk to address the
 refuse in the yard.
- Landscaping Report: Matt Cassidy called around for quotes, but Plants is the cheapest option. More flowers will be requested and the irrigation schedule will be adjusted by season.
- Welcome Committee Report: The new homeowner of 2858 Royal Bluff is not moving in until after the school year ends.

Vote to approve previous meeting's minutes passed with unanimous vote.

New Business

- Board reviewed the engagement letter from Anglyn McDonald and voted to approve hiring her to review the Covenants and Bylaws. Vote passed. Copy of letter is on file.
- Discussed possible changes to Covenants i.e. allowing backyard sheds, allowing chickens, rules for rentals, rules for street parking. Discussed the HOA power as defined by law, to fine, etc.
- Discussed hiring a management company to run the HOA.
 - o Pros: Help enforcing rules, handling financials, etc.
 - o Cons: Cost, choosing the wrong company, i.e. non-responsive or too responsive.
 - Once Covenants and Bylaws are in order, the decision will be put to a vote at the Annual Meeting.
- Jeremy Merrill presented an update to the Katie Kerr traffic situation.
 - The amount of traffic and traffic accidents on Katie Kerr has tripled in the last three years.
 - O He contacted the Dekalb County Commission. They agreed to conduct a traffic study in April or May.
 - The Commission promised to look into adding more street lights and crosswalks to the park.

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Next Meeting

May 14, 2024 6:30pm.

<u>Adjourn</u>

The meeting of the Board of Directors for the Ashwood Homeowners Association was called to adjourn at 7:10pm with a unanimous vote.