CANDLEWOOD SHORES TAX DISTRICT

Board of Directors Meeting Wednesday, November 18, 2020, 7:30 PM Via Zoom.com

1. CALL TO ORDER

- A. Elizabeth Longworth called the regular meeting of the Candlewood Shores Tax District (CSTD) Board of Directors to order, at 7:31 pm, on November 18, 2020.
- B. Twenty-two members of the Candlewood Shores Community were in attendance.

2. ROLL CALL

- A. The following directors were present:
 - I. Alan Owen Vice President
 - II. Elizabeth Longworth President
 - III. Jon Lepler Director
 - IV. Kelly Lane Director
 - V. Kenneth Appley Treasurer
- VI. Linda Wagner Director
- VII. Lisa Maguire Director
- VIII. Steven DeMichele Secretary
- B. The following Scalzo staff were present:
 - I. Lisa Daly CSTD Office Manager
 - II. Shawn Stillman CSTD Compliance Officer
 - III. Travis Hyatt CSTD Community Manager
- C. The following guests were present:
 - I. Adam Singer CSTD Grounds Maintenance Contractor (CT Fence)

3. **HEARINGS**

A. None.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- A. The following amendments were made to the minutes from the October 21, 2020 regular meeting of the CSTD Board of Directors.
 - Alan Owen, stated that under the "Landscaping Report" section, "Alan Owen", not "Adam Owen", reported that the boat and lift are scheduled for removal by November 1st.
- B. **A Motion** was made by Alan Owen, to approve the October 21, 2020 regular meeting minutes, as amended, which was seconded by Kelly Lane and unanimously approved.

5. **GUEST SPEAKER**

A. None.

6. FIRST PUBLIC COMMENT

A. None.

7. TREASURER'S REPORT

- A. Kenneth Appley presented the Treasurer's Report.
- B. Candlewood Shores Tax District Balance \$1,178,297.29
- C. Candlewood Shores Water District (CSWD) Balance \$241,053.22

8. MANAGEMENT REPORT

- A. Travis Hyatt presented the Management Report.
- B. Action List
 - I. Update on Delinquencies
 - i. Mr. Hyatt is working on this.
 - II. North Lake Shores Water Main Replacement
 - i. The selected engineering firm has begun work on this project.
 - ii. Elizabeth Longworth suggested that the CSTD community be notified that the engineers will be in the community conducting work.

C. Work Order Report

- I. The following items are on the work order report as ongoing reminders / place holders
 - i. Five-year plan
 - ii. Charter Updates
 - iii. Water Meter Upgrades
 - iv. CSTD 75th anniversary
 - v. Boat docks

D. Compliance Officer Report – Shawn Stillman

- I. Shawn Stillman presented the Compliance Officer Report.
- II. Mr. Stillman provided a report of his activities in the CSTD community since the last meeting of the CSTD Board of Directors.
- III. Mr. Stillman continues work on updating CSTD ordinances.
- IV. Mr. Stillman will be checking to ensure boats are stored properly over the winter months.
- V. Elizabeth Longworth suggested that the CSTD community be notified that the deadline for kayak removal was last weekend.

9. **GUEST SPEAKER**

A. None.

10. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- A. Safety Committee Report Michael Bonamarte
 - I. Alan Owen presented the Safety Committee report.
 - II. Mr. Owen is still collecting quotes on cameras for CSTD property.
 - III. Mr. Owen and Adam Singer provided an update on the mirror located at the intersection of North Lake Shore Drive and Candlewood Shores Road.
 - a. Travis Hyatt will provide a report to the Board, from the engineering firm who formally studied the intersection.
 - b. Elizabeth Longworth asked Mr. Hyatt to have the engineer revisit the intersection.
 - c. Steven DeMichele suggested that the mirror be removed, after Adam Singer expressed some concerns about its utility, until its use is validated by a traffic engineer, which was seconded by Alan Owen and Jon Lepler.

B. Beautification Committee Report – Elizabeth Longworth

- I. Elizabeth Longworth presented the Beautification Committee report.
- II. Flower beds have been cleaned for the season and flower boxes have been removed.
- III. Ms. Longworth noted that the speed of vehicles in the CSTD community is excessive and implored drivers to slow down.

C. Recreation Committee Report – Jon Lepler

- I. Jon Lepler presented the Recreation Committee report.
- II. Mr. Lepler is working on getting Santa Clause to appear in the CSTD community on a fire truck as in years past.
- III. There will be no Thanksgiving events this year.

D. Ordinance – Linda Wagner

- I. Linda Wagner presented the Ordinance Committee report.
- II. Ms. Wagner reported on her work with Shawn Stillman on the revision of CSTD ordinances.

E. Landscaping Report – Adam Singer (CT Fence)

- I. Adam Singer presented the landscape report.
- II. Provided an update of activities in the community since the last meeting of the CSTD Board of Directors.
 - i. Leaf collection in the CSTD community will continue until the last day of November.
 - ii. After leaf collection, CT Fence will move on to installing meter retrofits in CSTD homes.

11. ADMINISTRATION

A. None.

12. **NEW BUSINESS**

A. None.

13. OLD BUSINESS

- A. Planting Plan for Boat Ramp Discussion
 - I. Kelly Lane has received no update from First Light on the planting plan.
- B. Cove Clean Up Discussion
 - I. Travis Hyatt has received no update from First Light on the cove cleanup.
- C. Water Main Project Update
 - I. Travis Hyatt reported on this under the Management Report section.
- D. Water Meter Retro Fit Update
 - I. Adam Singer reported on this under the Landscape Report section.
 - II. Elizabeth Longworth reported that CSTD is saving \$50,000 by using CT Fence staff for meter retrofit installations.

14. **SECOND PUBLIC COMMENT**

A. None.

15. **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

- A. **A Motion** was made by Elizabeth Longworth, to enter executive session, at 8:05 pm, which was seconded by Alan Owen and unanimously approved.
- B. **A Motion** was made by Alan Owen, to exit executive session, at 8:44 pm, which was seconded by Linda Wagner and unanimously approved.

16. ADJOURMENT

A. **A Motion** was made by Alan Owen, to adjourn the meeting of the CSTD Board of Directors, at 8:44 pm, which was seconded by Jon Lepler and unanimously approved.

Minutes Taken By:

Steven DeMichele - Secretary

Minutes Submitted By:

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