#### **Monarch Glen HOA Board of Directors**

April 5, 2011 Meeting Minutes

Present: Don Watts, President

Bonnie Higgins, Vice President Anissa Hatcher, Secretary/Treasurer Lena Watts, General Attendee

Next Meeting: May 3, 2011

5:30 p.m. at 3002 Royal Court

## **Meeting Called to Order**

5:34 p.m.

### Approval of Minutes from February 1, 2011

Motion/Second/Approved and Adopted

## **Approval of February and March Financials**

Motion/Second/Approved and Adopted

#### **Financials**

#### **Review February**

Heritage billing was adjusted to reflect new rate of \$240.00

#### **Review March**

Anissa will call Heritage about moving \$1500.00 to reserve

# 2011 Dues Payments

- 9 Homeowners still owe \$185.00
- 1 Homeowner owes \$92.50
- 1 Homeowner owes \$90.00
- Motion/Second/Pass to waive mailing and interest fees on two accounts; Dues have been paid in full.

## **Late Notices for Unpaid Dues**

- 30 Days Late on March 2, 2011 16 Homeowners received letters, mailed March 9, 2011
- 60 Days Late on April 1, 2011 11 Homeowners will receive letters and statements including interest for 60 days

#### **Old Business**

### Liens

- None filed
- 2 need to be released
  - o Anissa will get release forms ready and Bonnie will file them

### **Unpaid Accounts in Collections**

\$1613.86 turned into collections for 2009/2010 unpaid dues and fees

**Note:** January and February 2011 Minutes had \$2049.48 as turned into collections. One account of \$435.62 was not received by Premier Collections. That account has since been paid and was not resubmitted.

- One account of \$944.30 is under legal review with collection agency
- One account of \$139.22 is in bankruptcy and collections cannot be pursued
  - o Anissa will ask David @ Heritage if we can pull this account from collections, and is there a fee if we do?
- One account of \$530.34
  - o Payment of \$510.02 was received from final foreclosure
  - o Fee of \$113.75 is due to Premier Collections
- Per Jason at Premier Collections, courts will not honor adding collection fees onto the amount owed unless the covenants or bylaws mention the addition of fees specifically for collections.
  - Our CC&R's or Bylaws do not specifically state fees for collections can be charged to the Homeowner.
    Therefore the 35% collection fee is the responsibility of the HOA.

- o Board discussed amending CC&R's to add language about collection fees being the responsibility of the Homeowner if unpaid accounts are turned over to a collection agency.
  - We would need a quorum of Homeowners to pass an amendment to the CC&R's
  - Table for further discussion; could be done at the 2012 Annual Meeting

## **New Business**

March Compliance Walkthrough

- Completed March 1, 2011
- Noncompliance notices mailed:
  - o Two for trailers or recreational vehicles not stored behind fence
  - o Two for trash containers not stored behind fence or concealed area
  - o Two for miscellaneous items that need to be moved to a concealed area
- One trailer issue still needs to be addressed
  - o Anissa will talk to Linda for advice on this issue

### April Compliance Walkthrough

- Completed April 5, 2011
- Noncompliance notices mailed:
  - o Two for trash containers not stored behind fence or in a concealed area

### **Spring Newsletter**

- Anissa will create newsletter
  - o Announce new Board positions
  - o Remind Homeowners Heritage is contact for issues
  - o Settle issues with neighbors amongst yourself
  - o "Housekeeping" reminders
    - Be proactive about weeds
    - Storage of trash containers, trailers, recreational vehicles, portable basketball hoops
    - Clean up after dogs
    - Retention pond area <u>not</u> for play

## **Architectural Committee**

No new or revised plans have been submitted

# **Open Floor**

Homeowner concern about cracks in street on East end of Royal Court

• Bonnie contacted City roads department, they will send someone to look at it. If it is considered an "emergency" it will be put on the list for seal/repair. Bonnie will follow up on this.

Homeowner complaint about a neighbors dogs barking and "charging" at the fence

- Don spoke to Homeowner who made complaint:
  - o Advised Homeowner to contact animal control;
  - o HOA Board is not here to handle neighbor-to-neighbor issues;
  - o Homeowner needs to talk to the neighbor himself.

### Irrigation Water

- Was sent to ditch weekend of April 1<sup>st</sup>
- Don closed the main valve; drain valves are open
- Don will, weather permitting, open the main valve partially this weekend or next

## **Meeting Adjourned**

Motion/Second/Pass

Adjourned at 6:12 p.m.