

1 **February 26, 2018 Minutes of Regular Board of Supervisors Meeting**

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3 **Minutes of the Regular Meeting**
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5 The Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the New River Community Development District was
6 held on **Monday, February 26, 2018 at 11:00 AM** at the New River Amenity Center, 5227 Autumn Ridge
7 Drive, Wesley Chapel, FL 33545. The agenda is included below:
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9 Board Members Present and Constituting a Quorum at the onset of the meeting:
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12 **Board of Supervisors**

13 Ross Halle Chairman
14 Stephanie Lerret Supervisor
15 Erik Domenech Supervisor
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17 **District Staff**

18 Vivian Carvalho District Manager- Leland Management, Inc.
19 Mary Fritzier Field Operation Manager- Leland Management, Inc.
20 Vivek Babbar District Counsel- Straley & Robin, P.A. (*via speakerphone*)
21 Phyllis Cragin Accounting Manager- Leland Management, Inc. (*via speakerphone*)
22 Tonja Stewart District Engineer- Stantec (*via speakerphone*)
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25 Various Audience Members Present
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28 **1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL**
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31 Vivian Carvalho called the Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the New River Community
32 Development District to order on Monday, February 26, 2018 at 11:04 AM.
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35 **2. AUDIENCE COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS**
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37 Jeff Smith, also a current Resident requested to approach the Board and gave overview of his
38 experience and expertise with being on a District Staff Board. Jeff is currently Chairman of CDD
39 called Tampa Bay CDD and expressed his interest with sitting on the New River CDD Board. His
40 resume will be provided to the District Board for further review and consideration.
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43 **3. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**
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45 **A. Review & Consideration of the Board of Supervisors Meeting Minutes- Section 1**
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- 47 **i. The October 16, 2017 Regular Board Meeting Minutes were reviewed.**
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A motion was made by Stephanie Lerret to approve the October 16, 2017 Board Meeting Minutes. The motion was seconded by Ross Halle. No further discussion.
All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously.

ii. The February 5, 2018 Special Board Meeting Minutes were reviewed.

A motion was made by Ross Halle to approve the February 5, 2018 Special Board Meeting Minutes. The motion was seconded by Stephanie Lerret. No further discussion.
All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously.

B. Consideration of the Audit Committee Meeting Minutes, October 16, 2017 Section 2

A motion was made by Stephanie Lerret to approve the Audit Committee Meeting Minutes from October 16, 2017. The motion was seconded by Ross Halle. No further discussion.
All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously.

C. Consideration of Operation and Maintenance Expenditures for September, October, and November 2017 Section 3

A motion was made by Erik Domenech to approve the September, October, and November 2017 Expenditures. The motion was seconded by Stephanie Lerret. No further discussion.
All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously.

D. Review of Financial Statements Month Ending September, October and November Section 4

A motion was made by Ross Halle to approve the Financials Statements Month Ending September, October, and November 2017 Expenditures. The motion was seconded by Erik Domenech.
No further discussion.
All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously.

4. BUSINESS ITEMS Section 5

A. Review of Auditing Services Proposals

i. Approval to Proceed with entering into an Engagement letter for Auditing Services for New River CDD with Carr, Riggs & Ingram.

A motion was made by Ross Halle to proceed with entering into an Engagement Letter for Auditing Services with Carr, Riggs & Ingram. The motion was seconded by Stephanie Lerret.
No further discussion.
All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously.

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B. Ratification of Operation & Maintenance Promissory Note

Section 6

*A motion was made by Stephanie Lerret to ratify the operation & maintenance promissory note. The motion was seconded by Erik Domenech.
No further discussion.
All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously.*

5. STAFF REPORTS

A. District Counsel

No report

B. District Engineer

i. Stormwater Management MEMO from Stantec

Section 7

Tonja Stewart with Stantec (*via speakerphone*) provided an overview of the memo.

- Work with the landscape companies and management of wetland companies to have a plan of action to eliminate erosion long term.
- Reducing the amount of mowing specifically in the “no mow” zone.
- Aquatic planting
- Ms. Stewart discussed awareness and economic impact of discharge to the waterways.
- Memo to be included on New River CDD website under “News” tab.
- Pavement preservation in Meadow Pointe to extend the life of the pavement, noting that Meadow Pointe (4) roads is at the 13-year age and thus was selected to be the first one for this resurfacing program due to the age of the roads. Ms. Stewart invited the Board to drive around the community that has a new pavement product to take a look at it.

C. District Manager

i. Letter from Withlacoochee River Estate

Section 8

Vivian Carvalho reviewed the lighting rates letter received for the lighting in the community.

D. Field Operations Manager

i. Review & Consideration of Landscape Maintenance Proposals

Section 9

A total of six companies submitted bids and it was narrowed down to the (2) two companies noted below.

- a) Landscape Maintenance Professionals (LMP) monthly cost for all services totaled \$13,701 per month.
- b) Amazing National Service monthly cost for all services \$14,116 per month.

149 Lengthy discussion ensued on the RFP and comparison and the Board proceeded
150 with awarding contract to LMP.
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153 *A motion was made by Ross Halle to enter into a contract with Landscape*
154 *Maintenance Professionals. The motion was seconded by Stephanie Lerret.*
155 *No further discussion.*
156 *All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously.*

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158 Termination of contract with Yellowstone Landscape effective
159 March 31, 2018 to be sent to the correct address via regular and certified mail and
160 electronically. The Board will hold payment until all terms per the punch list has
161 been addressed as part of the transition.
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163 *A motion was made by Stephanie Lerret to proceed with terminating the*
164 *contract with Yellowstone Landscape with an effective date of March 31,*
165 *2018. The motion was seconded by Erik Domenech.*
166 *No further discussion.*
167 *All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously.*

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169 ii. In addition, Mary Fritzler provided an overview of the items pending throughout
170 the community:
171 a. Mary Fritzler stated the new lights have been ordered for the entrance of
172 the clubhouse.
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174 b. She reported that the benches for the pocket parks have been ordered and
175 will be installed in the next 2 weeks.
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177 c. She is obtaining pricing for new pool furniture with an option to re-strap.
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179 d. She stated the garden park will get cleaned up and maintained as part of
180 the landscape contract.
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182 e. She will meet with a security company to provide another quote for the
183 gate.
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185 **6. SUPERVISORS REQUESTS**
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- 187 • Ross Halle wants to talk to the new landscape company once they start about the planting
188 in the front entrance.

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190 **7. AUDIENCE QUESTIONS, COMMENTS AND DISCUSSION FORUM**
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- 192 • Homeowner commented about parking in the new phase to be consistent with the existing
193 phase. Lengthy discussion ensued on this topic.
- 194 • Homeowner asked if the roads in the new neighborhood/phase are more narrow than the
195 existing phase. The Board reported that there is a different product mix use in the new
196 phase in which there are back alleys for the detach homes with garage.

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- Homeowner questioned about the town center and status. Ross Halle stated they are in the permitting stages. Ground breaking for the new town center is anticipated to start in July 2018.
- Homeowner commented on field rats throughout the community. Lengthy discussion ensued.
- Homeowner asked about the road sweeping and cleaning. That work is completed by the Developer on a monthly basis.

8. ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Stephanie Lerret to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Ross Halle.

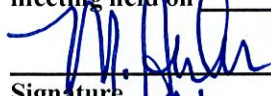
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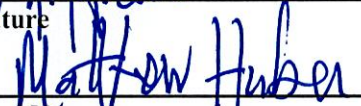
All those in favor, the motion was carried unanimously and the meeting was adjourned at 12:30PM.

**These minutes were done in a summary format.*

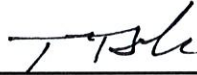
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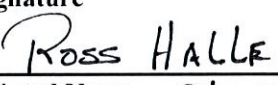
Meeting minutes were approved at a meeting by vote of the Board of Supervisors at a publicly noticed meeting held on 3/26/18



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 Secretary
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