# WHISPER CREEK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION ANNUAL HOA MEETING OCTOBER 13, 2024

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Whisper Creek Homeowners Association held at 423 Parks Road, Senoia, Georgia at 3:00 p.m. on the 13th day of October 2024.

## Call TO ORDER

Board member Mark Richards called the meeting to order at 3:05 p.m.

#### **ROLL CALL**

Board Attendees Mark Richards, Mike Mahoney, Toni Dyer, Tim Adkins

Homeowner Attendees: Carl & Alice South Cathy Richards Barbara Goff Chris & Angie Northrop Kathryn Adkins

## **OPENING REMARKS**

- Mark welcomed and thanked everyone in attendance as well as current Board and ACC/CEC members.
- **MINUTES:** Cathy Richards motioned to accept the prior year's annual meeting minutes. Alice South seconded, all in favor. Motion carried.
- Ballots: Collected. ACC and CEC combined on Ballot.

# **SECRETARY'S REPORT**

• We are current with the state of Georgia and the Secretary of State's office.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

- All dues were paid last year No late fees.
- Income Statement discussed. Currently running at a break- even basis.
- Balance Sheet \$10, 258.91 Reasonable surplus for HOA to have.
- Budget Tracker slight loss. Next year expecting a slight deficiency \$110. Includes no capital expenditures for the next year. The new board will think about improvements.

• Motion made by Chris Northrop to accept the financials and the treasury report. Alice South seconded. All in favor. Motion carried.

#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

**HOA Status & Operational Overview:** 

- Home values retained.
- Front Entrance project completed. The sprinkler system now runs without issues and is connected to the new power source. Electrification of lighting complete and the solar panel is disconnected.
- No major projects scheduled for 2024-2025
- Covenant Compliance A few homeowners consistently out of compliance. The ACC/CEC reaches out to bring a personal touch, as well as sending a letter.

Covenants expire 06/06/2026. The benefits of HOA are as follows:

- 1. Protect the integrity of how the land is used NO RENTAL PROPERTIES.
- 2. Home and Yard Maintenance, Restrictions of vehicles, RV Parking.
- 3. Livestock and Poultry Restrictions.
- 4. Uniformity in the neighborhood.
- 5. Increases property values.

Dues have not been raised in 18 years. Costs have been increasing since 2006.

Mike Mahoney – Under Georgia law – 2/3 vote of every homeowner – 35 votes are needed to renew the HOA. We do not want to wait until June 2026 to do so. We will be contacting homeowners in the coming year.

- Chris Northrop: Any thought to review the covenants? Rethink? Mike Mahoney No. Rather renew all then revisit after renewing the HOA.
- Kathryn Adkins: Enacting fines? Last year it was considered. Mike Mahoney We would rather not fine.
- Chris Northrop: Can we hire to address the problem? Mike Mahoney yes but limited. Mowing a yard is ok for example. Mark Richards HOA pays upfront when hiring a company. Would rather continue to talk with people first.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

None

### HOMEOWNER COMMENTS (3- MINUTE LIMIT EACH)

- Alice South Is a NO OUTLET sign possible? Mark will ask the county.
- Carl South -Traffic is a problem.
- Cathy Richards- Flowers for the front entrance are bought in Michigan to save money. Any suggestions for flowers, please send before May 2025.
- Chris Northrop Thank you to the board. Dues need to be increased \$25 or even up to \$150 total because of the increase in costs.
- Angie Northrop Can we decorate the mailboxes this Christmas again? Fun!
   Speed tables?
- Kathryn Adkins- Speed tables.

#### 10 MINUTE RECESS TO COUNT BALLOTS 3:44PM

## **BALLOT RESULTS:**

### **2024-2025 BOARD MEMBERS**

Mark Richards
Tom Van Hoozer
Michael Mahoney
Toni Dyer
Tim Adkins
Christopher Northrop

#### 2024-2025 ACC/CEC MEMBERS

Brad Dyer Cathy Richards Tony Vaughn

#### **CLOSING OF MEETING**

- Mark thanked everyone for attending.
- Angie Northrop motioned to adjourn the meeting. Alice South seconded. All in favor. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 3:58 PM.

Minutes submitted by Toni Dyer, Secretary