Colony Neighborhood Association Board Meeting Minutes - November 11, 2019

Attendance: Jerry Weisenfluh, President; Abbie Loynachan, Secretary; Kevin Davis, Treasurer; Jane Madden, Landscape; Brigitte Prather, at large; Josie Petrie, at large

Absent: John Burke, Vice President

Administration

The board wrote a letter for Kevin and Afsi Davis stating that while the Colony does NOT permit two driveways for one home – we will accept a delay in removing one of them due to the timing of the completed remodel. The Davis' have assured the board that they will remove the driveway on the left side of the home by the end of 2020.

Treasurer's report

Only 35 households have paid their dues for 2019-20. This is down from previous years. Despite the decrease- we are financially stable and expect more households will pay dues in the coming months.

Hospitality

The main purpose of the meeting was to plan the annual tree trimming and lighting event which will be held on Sunday, December 8 from 4-6pm.

Several neighbors have had surgeries or become ill in the recent months. Brigitte will prepare 'get well' cards for them from the board.

Elizabeth and Jesse welcomed a new baby; Brigitte will buy a gift for them from the board.

Communications

We will plan a Spring Newsletter which will include a welcome to the new residence, information on the annual meeting, dates and plans for the annual yard sale and a few articles by neighbors and board members. Topics that were suggested include: recycling, recipes, nearby parks, etc.

Landscaping

Jane has been winterizing the islands and planning for holiday décor. She reported that even though we had an extensive drought this Fall, we didn't lose too much and there will be minimal replacement needed in the Spring. She is planning for brick edging next year, another new bench, and to get rid of a few Arborvitae trees. The board discussed the idea of adding neighborhood library box on one of the islands.