# RESERVE AT 

 VAN OAKS\section*{Community Development DISTRICT

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November 6, 2023

# November 6, 2023 <br> Board of Supervisors <br> Board of Supervisors <br> REGULAR <br> MEETING AGENDA 

# RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT 



# Reserve at Van Oaks Community Development District <br> OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MANAGER <br> 2300 Glades Road, Suite 410W $\bullet$ Boca Raton, Florida 33431 <br> Phone: (561) 571-0010•Toll-free: (877) 276-0889•Fax: (561) 571-0013 

October 30, 2023

## ATTENDEES:

Please identify yourself each time you speak to facilitate accurate transcription of meeting minutes.
Board of Supervisors
Reserve at Van Oaks Community Development District
Dear Board Members:
The Board of Supervisors of the Reserve at Van Oaks Community Development District will hold a Regular Meeting on November 6, 2023 at 1:00 p.m., at the Holiday Inn Express \& Suites Lakeland North I-4, 4500 Lakeland Park Drive, Lakeland, Florida 33809. The agenda is as follows:

1. Call to Order/Roll Call
2. Public Comments
3. Acceptance of Resignation of Supervisor Edmon Rakipi [SEAT 4]; Term Expires November 2024
4. Consider Appointment to Fill Unexpired Term of Seat 4
A. Administration of Oath of Office to Appointed Supervisor (the following will be provided in a separate package)
I. Guide to Sunshine Amendment and Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees
II. Membership, Obligations and Responsibilities
III. Financial Disclosure Forms
a. Form 1: Statement of Financial Interests
b. Form 1X: Amendment to Form 1, Statement of Financial Interests
c. Form 1F: Final Statement of Financial Interests
IV. Form 8B - Memorandum of Voting Conflict
5. Consideration of Resolution 2024-01, Appointing and Removing Officers of the District and Providing for an Effective Date
6. Consider Termination of Tree Farm 2, Inc., dba Cornerstone Solutions Group Landscape Services Agreement
7. Consideration of Mele Environmental Services, LLC Proposal and Contract for Grounds Maintenance
8. Ratification of Consent to Phase 2 Plat
9. Acceptance of Unaudited Financial Statements as of September 30, 2023
10. Approval of October 2, 2023 Regular Meeting Minutes
11. Staff Reports
A. District Counsel: Kutak Rock LLP
B. District Engineer Poulos \& Bennett, LLC
C. District Property Manager: HomeRiver Group-Orlando
D. District Manager: Wrathell, Hunt and Associates, LLC

- NEXT MEETING DATE: December 4, 2023 at 1:00 PM
- QUORUM CHECK

| Seat 1 | Megan Germino | $\square$ In Person | $\square$ Phone | $\square$ No |  |
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| Seat 2 | Garth Noble | $\square$ In Person | $\square$ Phone | $\square$ No |  |
| Seat 3 | Martha Schiffer | $\square$ In Person | $\square$ Phone | $\square$ No |  |
| Seat 4 |  | $\square$ In Person | $\square$ | Phone | $\square$ No |
| Seat 5 | Chris Torres | $\square$ In Person | $\square$ Phone | $\square$ No |  |

13. Board Members' Comments/Requests
14. Public Comments
15. Adjournment

If you should have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (561) 719-8675 or Kristen Suit at (410) 207-1802.

Sincerely,

FOR BOARD MEMBERS AND STAFF TO ATTEND BY TELEPHONE
CALL-IN NUMBER: 1-888-354-0094 PARTICIPANT PASSCODE: 9438653730

Craig Wrathell
District Manager

# RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT 

# NOTICE OF TENDER OF RESIGNATION 

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To: Board of Supervisors
    Reserve at Van Oaks Community Development District
    Attn: Craig Wrathell/Kristen Suit, District Managers
    2300 Glades Road, Suite 410W
    Boca Raton, Florida 33431
    Edmon Rakipi
From:
    Printed Name
Date: }\frac{11/03/2023}{\mathrm{ Date }
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I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the Board of Supervisors of the Reserve at Van Oaks Community Development District. My tendered resignation will be deemed to be effective as of the time a quorum of the remaining members of the Board of Supervisors accepts it at a duly noticed meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

I certify that this Notice of Tender of Resignation has been executed by me and [__] personally presented at a duly noticed meeting of the Board of Supervisors, [ x] scanned and electronically transmitted to gillyardd@ whhassociates.com or [__] faxed to 561-571-0013 and agree that the executed original shall be binding and enforceable and the fax or email copy shall be binding and enforceable as an original.


Signature

# RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT 



# A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT APPOINTING AND REMOVING OFFICERS OF THE DISTRICT AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. 

WHEREAS, the Reserve at Van Oaks Community Development District (the "District") is a local unit of special-purpose government created and existing pursuant to Chapter 190, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the District's Board of Supervisors desires to appoint and remove Officers of the District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT THAT:

SECTION 1. The following is/are appointed as Officer(s) of the District effective November 6, 2023:
$\qquad$ is appointed Chair
$\qquad$ is appointed Vice Chair
$\qquad$ is appointed Assistant Secretary
$\qquad$ is appointed Assistant Secretary
$\qquad$ is appointed Assistant Secretary

SECTION 2. The following Officer(s) shall be removed as Officer(s) as of November 6, 2023:

Edmon Rakipi
Assistant Secretary
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$

SECTION 3. The following prior appointments by the Board remain unaffected by this Resolution:

| Craig Wrathell | is Secretary |
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| Kristen Suit | is Assistant Secretary |
| Craig Wrathell | is Treasurer |
| Jeffrey Pinder | is Assistant Treasurer |

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 6TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2023.

## ATTEST:

Secretary/Assistant Secretary

RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

# RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT 

# Mele Environmental Services LLC 

Phone: (863)327-5693 ,8911 Pine Grove Dr. Lakeland FL 33809 "No Hassles, Just Results."

## Specifications for Proposal and Contract for Grounds Maintenance for: The Reserve at Van Oaks CDD, Auburndale FL

As per Phase 1 map provided by management

## MOWING:

- $\quad$ All turf will be mowed once each week while in the growing season (May $1^{\text {st }}$ through September 30th), Retention ponds shall be mowed 6 times annually or upon management request.
- All turf will be mowed every other week during other weeks or as conditions warrant, during the dormant season (October $1^{\text {st }}$ through April $30^{\text {th }}$ ).
- All embankments and retention ponds will be mowed as close to waters edge as possible.
- Excessive accumulations of clippings will be removed.
- Mowing height will depend on the season. Typically, the height will range from $2^{\prime \prime}$ to 4 " depending on the variety of turf.
- Any area found to be to wet for proper mowing will be mowed when the ground is dry enough for proper mowing.


## EDGING:

- All surrounding turf areas adjacent to paved surfaces or structural edges such as sidewalks, walkways, driveways, parking areas, curbs, headers and retaining walls, will be edged with a "blade edger" in order to maintain a clean, crisp and consistent edge line within common areas.
- Bed edges will be kept clean and well defined around color beds, shrub beds, open beds and tree rings, so as to prevent encroachment from lawn but not so frequently that the bed line expands into the turf.
- Edging of walkways and curbs will be edged every time the turf is mowed at front entrance and common areas.


## WEEDING:

Weeding by hand or by chemical means of all plant bed areas as often as necessary to maintain a reasonably weed-free condition commensurate with the season.

## PRUNING AND TRIMMING:

- $\quad$ Shrubs and hedges will be sheared and pruned in a consistent manner to maintain optimum shape and size as growth habit dictates according to the individual potential for each species of plant.
- $\quad$ Plant pruning, trimming and shearing will be accomplished under the supervision of an experienced specialist to assure the function is being performed in accordance with recommended horticultural practices.


## IRRIGATION

- Irrigation inspections shall be done (12) times per fiscal year, to ensure system is fully functional and operational. Any damages sustained to sprinklers by our equipment while servicing property will be repaired with no charge to the association. Old wore out sprinklers, controllers or broke pipes shall be charged to the association at a time and material cost.


## FERTILZATION

- $\quad$ Shrubs and ornamentals shall be fertilized (2) times per fiscal year.
- Turf that is irrigated shall be fertilized (3) times per fiscal year, Treatment for fungus and insects on lawn shall be treated as well.


## CLEAN UP:

- All excessive trimmings and clippings will be collected and removed from the property.
- All sidewalks will be blown off in order to remove all debris generated during the performances of this contract.
- All lawn areas will be cleared of litter and debris before mowing, so as to not shred or scatter foreign matter.


## Not Included in Contract Price(BILLABLE):

- Work performed under this section will be completed on a time and material basis and is not included in this contract maintenance price. Estimates for proposed work will be submitted to the proper authorizing person before any extra worked is commenced.


## Examples of extra work available are as follows:

-Annuals: at a rate of $\$ 2.85$ per 4 " bulb. BILLABLE • Palm tree trimming will be charged separately at a rate of $\$ \mathbf{4 5 . 0 0}$ per palm (not exceeding 9ft) BILLABLE

- Mulching will be charged at a rate of $\$ 55.00$ per cubic yard of Pine bark mulch. BILLABLE
- Removal of plant material that has died due to winter freeze, floods, fire or other Acts of-God. (BILLABLE)
- Major clean up due to storms, hurricanes, tornadoes, or other Act-of-God. (BILLABLE)


## ** CONTRACT FOR GROUNDS MAINTENANCE SERVICES**

This agreement is made by and between hereinafter referred to as the "The Reserve at Van Oaks CDD" and Mele Environmental Services LLC. This Grounds Maintenance Agreement is for services to be provided by Mele Environmental Services LLC. for the client at the following described property, The Reserve at Van Oaks CDD of Auburndale FL.
NOW THEREFORE, the parties referenced above herein desire to enter into this agreement to be governed by the following terms, conditions and stipulations.

1. Terms. The term of the agreement shall be for twelve (12) months, commencing on the $\qquad$ and terminating on the $\qquad$ . Mele Environmental Services LLC. agrees to provide the work in the manner prescribed in the "Specifications" attached hereto and incorporated herein for the total sum of: Thirty Eight thousand Four hundred dollars $(\$ \mathbf{3 8}, \mathbf{4 0 0} .00)$ annually, payable in monthly installments of: Thirty Two hundred dollars $(\mathbf{\$ 3}, \mathbf{2 0 0 . 0 0})$ at the end of each service month. Initials: $\qquad$
2. Liabilities. Mele Environmental Services LLC. shall not be held liable for any loss, damage or delay caused by fire, civil or military authority, inclement weather, animals, vandalism or any other causes beyond their control.
3. Payments: Mele Environmental Services LLC. shall provide the Client with a monthly invoice on the first day of each contractual service month representing the monthly installment due for that month. The Client's failure to receive the invoice shall not constitute just cause for late or non-payment. All invoices are due and payable upon receipt.
4. Renewal of Contract: This contract shall renew automatically renew from the termination date stated in paragraph I herein for a term equal to the term referred to herein. Either party may cause this contract NOT TO RENEW by mailing a "Letter of Intent" to the other party at least thirty (30) days prior to the ordinary termination date
of this contract, by certified mail, stating that they do not wish to renew the contract. All renewals will be governed by a negotiated fee.
5. Liquidated Damages: The monthly installments due under this contact are intended to reflect an equal payment for the service provided for the full term of this contract. The monthly installments do not necessarily reflect the actual costs of work performed for a given month, Upon the cancellation or termination of this contract by either party for any reason, Mele Environmental Services LLC. shall have the right to audit the contract and produce a final adjusted bill representing payment for services and materials actually delivered during the duration of the contract, less any previous payments. Payment of this invoice shall be made by the client upon receipt.
6. Cancellation: During any active term, this contract may be canceled by either party by providing to the other a " 30 Day Written Notice of Cancellation"; delivered by certified mail.
7. Insurance: Mele Environmental Services LLC. will carry complete and adequate general liability and property damage insurance at all times.
8. Invalid Provision: The invalidity or the unenforceability of a particular provision of this Contract shall not effect the other provisions hereof; and the Contract shall be construed in all respects as if such invalid or unenforceable provision was omitted.
9. Time: Time is of the essence to the performance of all obligations under this Contract.
10. Modification: No change or modification of this contract shall be valid unless the same is in writing and signed by the parties hereto.
11. Applicable Law and Binding Effect: This contract shall be construed and enforced under the Laws of the State of Florida and shall insure to the benefit of and are binding upon the parties hereto and their heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns.
12. Venue: All actions and disputes shall be brought in the proper court of venue, which shall be Polk County, Florida
13. Attorneys Fees and Costs: If a dispute arises between the parties wider this Contract and a lawsuit is instituted, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and attorney's fees from the non-prevailing party. As used herein, cost and attorney's fees including any costs attorney's fees relating to trial, appellate proceeding
meditation, arbitration, collection agency fees and all other actions taken to enforce the Contract.
14. Complete Agreement: This Contract constitutes the complete agreement between the parties hereto in regards to the matters set forth herein and incorporates all prior discussions agreements, arrangements, representations and understandings. 15. Non-Compete Agreement: The parties agree that neither party will employ the personnel of the other party.

Sign: $\qquad$ Date: $\qquad$
The Reserve at Van Oaks CDD

Sign: $\qquad$ Date: $\qquad$
Mele Environmental Services LLC ,MGRM
By signing this 1 year contract you are agreeing to all terms and conditions above.

Maintenance Map


# RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT 



RESERVES AT VAN OAKS PHASE 2
SECTION 26, TOWNSHIP 27 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST

## POLK COUNTY, FLORIDA



ASSOCIATES

RESERVES AT VAN OAKS PHASE 2
SECTION 26, TOWNSHIP 27 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST
POLK COUNTY, FLORIDA


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SECTION 26, TOWNSHIP 27 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST

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## RESERVES AT VAN OAKS PHASE 2 <br> SECTION 26, TOWNSHIP 27 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST <br> POLK COUNTY, FLORIDA



# RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT 

## UNAUDITED FINANCIAL

 STATEMENTSRESERVE AT VAN OAKS
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
UNAUDITED
SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

## RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT <br> BALANCE SHEET <br> GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS <br> SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

ASSETS
Cash
Investments
Revenue
Reserve
Construction
Cost of issuance
Interest
Undeposited funds
Due from general fund
Total assets

## LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

Liabilities:
Accounts payable
Due to Landowner
Due to other
Due to debt service fund
Landowner advance
Total liabilities

Fund balances:
Restricted for:
Debt service
Capital projects
Unassigned Total fund balances

Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balances

| General Fund | Debt <br> Service Fund Series 2023 | Capital <br> Projects Fund Series 2023 | Total <br> Governmental Funds |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$ 4,922 | \$ | \$ | \$ 4,922 |
| - | 1,834 | - | 1,834 |
| - | 129,470 | - | 129,470 |
| - | - | 431 | 431 |
| - | 335 | - | 335 |
| - | 92,716 | - | 92,716 |
| 96,886 | - | - | 96,886 |
| - | 56 | - | 56 |
| 101,808 | 224,411 | 431 | 326,650 |


| \$ 29,420 | \$ | 56 | \$ | - | \$ | 29,476 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| - |  | 14,679 |  | - |  | 14,679 |
| 6,087 |  | - |  | - |  | 6,087 |
| 56 |  | - |  | - |  | 56 |
| 75,090 |  | - |  | - |  | 75,090 |
| 110,653 |  | 14,735 |  | - |  | 125,388 |


| - |  | 209,676 |  | - |  | 209,676 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| - |  | - |  | 431 |  | 431 |
| $(8,845)$ |  | - |  | - |  | $(8,845)$ |
| $(8,845)$ |  | 209,676 |  | 431 |  | 201,262 |
| \$ 101,808 | \$ | 224,411 | \$ | 431 | \$ | 326,650 |

## RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT GENERAL FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES FOR THE PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

## REVENUES

Landowner contribution
Total revenues
EXPENDITURES

## Professional \& administrative

Management/accounting/recording
Engineering
Audit
Arbitrage rebate calculation*
Dissemination agent*
Trustee*
Telephone
Postage
Printing \& binding
Legal advertising
Annual special district fee
Insurance
Contingencies/bank charges
Website hosting \& maintenance
Website ADA compliance
Total professional \& administrative
Field Operations
Contracted services

| Pressure washing | - | - | 5,500 | 0\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lawn service \& mulch | 3,200 | 29,913 | 90,000 | 33\% |
| Lift station | - | - | 1,800 | 0\% |
| Wetland monitoring | - | - | 4,500 | 0\% |
| Pool service | - | - | 10,800 | 0\% |
| Cabana janitorial | 550 | 550 | 7,800 | 7\% |
| Amenity access control \& data management | 502 | 2,478 | 9,000 | 28\% |
| Ponds | - | - | 3,600 | 0\% |
| Repairs \& supplies |  |  |  |  |
| Pool \& cabana maintenance | 950 | 3,800 | 4,000 | 95\% |
| Amenity access control repair | - | - | 2,500 | 0\% |
| Irrigation-repair | - | 190 | 3,000 | 6\% |
| General repairs/supplies | 2,361 | 2,361 | 5,500 | 43\% |
| Landscaping-repairs \& replacement | 900 | 4,979 | 5,000 | 100\% |
| Utilities |  |  |  |  |
| Electricity-irrigation | - | - | 3,000 | 0\% |
| Electricity-entrance monuments | 119 | 119 | 2,400 | 5\% |
| Electricity-pool \& cabana | 896 | 3,171 | 6,000 | 53\% |
| Electricity-street lights | 5,084 | 30,253 | 26,388 | 115\% |
| Water-pool | 3,890 | 14,514 | 3,500 | 415\% |
| Pool cable | 104 | 578 | 2,400 | 24\% |
| Administrative |  |  |  |  |
| Management fee - PM | 1,251 | 15,012 | 15,012 | 100\% |
| O\&M accounting - DM | 333 | 4,000 | 4,000 | 100\% |
| Pool permit | - | - | 275 | 0\% |
| Copies \& printing | - | - | 3,500 | 0\% |
| Postage | - | - | 2,000 | 0\% |
| Taxes/insurance |  |  |  |  |
| Crime/fidelity policy/bond | - | - | 2,500 | 0\% |
| Property insurance | - | 5,589 | 6,000 | 93\% |
| Total field operations | 20,140 | 117,507 | 229,975 | 51\% |
| Total expenditures | 26,639 | 172,108 | 324,265 | 53\% |

Excess/(deficiency) of revenues over/(under) expenditures
Fund balances - beginning
Fund balances - ending

| Current <br> Month | Year to Date | Budget | \% of Budget |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$ 35,818 | \$ 177,443 | \$ 338,399 | 52\% |
| 35,818 | 177,443 | 338,399 | 52\% |
| 4,000 | 34,000 | 45,000 | 76\% |
| 1,627 | 5,519 | 25,000 | 22\% |
| - | 1,181 | 2,000 | 59\% |
| - | - | 6,000 | 0\% |
| - | - | 500 | 0\% |
| 83 | 417 | 1,000 | 42\% |
| - | - | 5,000 | 0\% |
| 17 | 200 | 200 | 100\% |
| 16 | 190 | 500 | 38\% |
| 42 | 500 | 500 | 100\% |
| 714 | 5,019 | 1,500 | 335\% |
| - | 175 | 175 | 100\% |
| - | 5,000 | 5,500 | 91\% |
| - | 510 | 500 | 102\% |
| - | 1,680 | 705 | 238\% |
| - | 210 | 210 | 100\% |
| 6,499 | 54,601 | 94,290 | 58\% |

## RESERVE AT VAN OAKS <br> COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT <br> STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES DEBT SERVICE FUND SERIES 2023 <br> FOR THE PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

|  | Current Month |  | Year To Date |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| REVENUES |  |  |  |  |
| Interest | \$ | 958 | \$ | 3,214 |
| Total revenues |  | 958 |  | 3,214 |
| EXPENDITURES |  |  |  |  |
| Debt service |  |  |  |  |
| Cost of issuance |  | 5,781 |  | 188,270 |
| Total debt service |  | 5,781 |  | 188,270 |
| Excess/(deficiency) of revenues over/(under) expenditures |  | $(4,823)$ |  | $(185,056)$ |
| OTHER FINANCING SOURCES/(USES) |  |  |  |  |
| Bond proceeds |  | - |  | 516,385 |
| Original issue discount |  | - |  | $(37,074)$ |
| Underwriter's discount |  | - |  | $(77,400)$ |
| Total other financing sources |  | - |  | 401,911 |
| Net change in fund balances |  | $(4,823)$ |  | 216,855 |
| Fund balances - beginning |  | 214,499 |  | $(7,179)$ |
| Fund balances - ending | \$ | 209,676 |  | 209,676 |

## RESERVE AT VAN OAKS <br> COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT <br> STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND SERIES 2023 <br> FOR THE PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

|  | Current <br> Month |  | Year To Date |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| REVENUES |  |  |  |  |
| Interest | \$ | 2 | \$ | 431 |
| Total revenues |  | 2 |  | 431 |
| EXPENDITURES |  |  |  |  |
| Capital outlay |  | - |  | ,615 |
| Total expenditures |  | - |  | ,615 |
| Excess/(deficiency) of revenues over/(under) expenditures |  | 2 |  | ,184) |
| OTHER FINANCING SOURCES/(USES) |  |  |  |  |
| Bond proceeds |  | - |  | ,615 |
| Total other financing sources/(uses) |  | - |  | ,615 |
| Net change in fund balances |  | 2 |  | 431 |
| Fund balances - beginning |  | 429 |  | - |
| Fund balances - ending | \$ | 431 | \$ | 431 |

# RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT 



## DRAFT

# MINUTES OF MEETING <br> RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT 

The Board of Supervisors of the Reserve at Van Oaks Community Development District held a Regular Meeting on October 2, 2023 at 1:00 p.m., at the Holiday Inn Express \& Suites Lakeland North I-4, 4500 Lakeland Park Drive, Lakeland, Florida 33809.

Present at the meeting:
Martha Schiffer
Vice Chair
Megan Germino
Assistant Secretary
Chris Torres
Edmon Rakipi (via telephone)
Assistant Secretary
Assistant Secretary

## Also present were:

Kristen Suit
Jonathan Johnson (via telephone)
District Manager
Eric Warren (via telephone)
Dean Garrow
District Counsel
District Engineer
Home River Property Management

FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS

## Call to Order/Roll Call

Ms. Suit called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.
Supervisors Schiffer, Germino and Torres were present. Supervisor Rakipi attended via telephone. Supervisor Noble was not present.

## SECOND ORDER OF BUSINESS

Public Comments

There were no public comments.

THIRD ORDER OF BUSINESS
Ratification Items

Ms. Suit presented the following:

## A. Updated Amenities Rules/Rates

On MOTION by Ms. Schiffer and seconded by Mr. Torres, with all in favor, the Updated Amenities Rules/Rates, were ratified.
B. Fiscal Year 2024 Amended Budget

On MOTION by Mr. Torres and seconded by Ms. Schiffer, with all in favor, the Fiscal Year 2024 Amended Budget, was ratified.
C. Contribution Agreement

On MOTION by Ms. Schiffer and seconded by Mr. Torres, with all in favor, the Contribution Agreement between the CDD and Meritage Homes, was ratified.

FOURTH ORDER OF BUSINESS Acceptance of Unaudited Financial Statements as of August 31, 2023

Ms. Suit presented the Unaudited Financial Statements as of August 31, 2023.

On MOTION by Ms. Schiffer and seconded by Ms. Germino, with all in favor, the Unaudited Financial Statements as of August 31, 2023, were accepted.

FIFTH ORDER OF BUSINESS
Approval of August 7, 2023 Public Hearings and Regular Meeting Minutes

Ms. Suit presented the August 7, 2023 Public Hearings and Regular Meeting Minutes.

On MOTION by Ms. Schiffer and seconded by Mr. Torres, with all in favor, the August 7, 2023 Public Hearings and Regular Meeting Minutes, as presented, were approved.

## SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

## Staff Reports

A. District Counsel: Kutak Rock LLP

## B. District Engineer: Poulos \& Bennett, LLC <br> There were no District Counsel or District Engineer reports. <br> C. District Property Manager: HomeRiver Group-Orlando <br> There was no report. <br> D. District Manager: Wrathell, Hunt and Associates, LLC <br> - NEXT MEETING DATE: November 6, 2023 at 1:00 PM <br> - QUORUM CHECK

Ms. Schiffer stated that Cornerstone's level of service has diminished and a new landscape contractor was engaged. Ms. Suit stated Staff will need to examine the current agreement and send a termination letter to Cornerstone. The new contract can be ratified at a future meeting. She asked the Vice Chair to send a copy of the proposal to Staff. District Counsel will then draft a form of agreement and the new vendor's scope of services will be the exhibit. In light of the CDD's need to terminate the current landscape services agreement and subsequent approval of a new proposal, the November 6, 2023 meeting is to be determined.

## SEVENTH ORDER OF BUSINESS <br> Board Members' Comments/Requests

There were no Board Member's comments or requests.

## EIGHTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

Public Comments
There were no public comments.

## NINTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

## Adjournment

On MOTION by Ms. Schiffer and seconded by Ms. Germino, with all in favor, the meeting adjourned at 1:50 p.m.
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Secretary/Assistant Secretary
Chair/Vice Chair

# RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT 

## STAFF



| RESERVE AT VAN OAKS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FISCAL YEAR 2023/2024 MEETING SCHEDULE |  |  |
| LOCATION <br> Holiday Inn Express \& Suites Lakeland North I-4 4500 Lakeland Park Drive, Lakeland, Florida 33809 |  |  |
| DATE | POTENTIAL DISCUSSION/FOCUS | TIME |
| October 2, 2023 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |
| November 6, 2023 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |
| December 4, 2023 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |
| February 5, 2024 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |
| March 4, 2024 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |
| April 1, 2024 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |
| May 6, 2024 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |
| June 3, 2024 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |
| July 1, 2024 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |
| August 5, 2024 | Regular Meeting | 1:00 PM |

