2009 VILLAGE WOODS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION ACCOMPLISHMENTS

IRRIGATION

- New control valve on Well #4
- Replaced several irrigation system clocks throughout the year •
- Replaced several irrigation pumps
- Installed an irrigation loop around the large Dearborn main water supply valve •
- New underground piping at Well #2

RULES AND REGULATIONS

• Updated, revised, printed, and distributed the Rules and Regulations booklet to all unit owners (March 09)

ROOFING

- Completed new roofing on four buildings (#23, #26, #28, #29) by Al Harding Roofing •
- Roofs on Buildings 16 thru 29 done with self-sticking underlayment (important for wind • mitigation study and insurance premium reductions)
- Received favorable pricing on materials cost due to active BOD cost-management efforts.
- Harding Roofing guarantees workmanship (labor) for 5 years. •

INSURANCE

- Applied for and received reduction in insurance cost for the Association
- Had wind mitigation study updated to account for the new roofs and the use of selfadhering, polymer, modified-bitumen roofing underlayment (June 09)
- Worked with property manager and insurance agent to meet the requirements of new • insurance law effective 1/1/09 (Jan – Mar)
- Changed insurance agent and insurance companies and saved about \$20k (June 09) **GROUNDS**

- Replaced 5500 square feet of sod (11 pallets) (February/March 09) •
- Planted shrubs around the Dearborn Pasco County water valve assembly •
- Provided shrubs for Darwood/Majestic water valve assembly in cooperation with Beacon • Woods Civic Association. (April 09)
- Replaced over 60 hedge shrubs (February and November 09) •
- Planted bushes to shield elevated fire hydrant on Dearborn (March 09) •
- Treated palm trees with Epsom salts to enhance plant health (volunteer) •
- Renewed lawn contract with 3 Season's at minimal increase (\$50,470.08 annually starting 1/1/09). Contract covers mowing, edging and trimming, weeding of beds, pruning, and mulching.
- Obtained promise of no increase in contract cost from 3 Seasons for 2010 (Sep. 09)
- Replaced damaged sidewalk sections •
- Ground down several sidewalk slabs to eliminate tripping hazards

TREE TRIMMING AND REPLACEMENT

- Removed dead trees at several locations throughout the year •
- Trimmed out damaging mistletoe from four trees to protect the trees' health •
- Trees trimmed and pruned per contract and as needed •
- Trimmed out several branches in large tree in front of 12545 Dearborn (Sep 09) •

ROADS AND PAVING

- Requested and received estimates for repaying VW streets (January 09)
- Patched center-line potholes on Danube and Dearborn (February 09) •
- Replaced road drain grate on Dearborn (April 09)

UTILITIES Worked cooperatively with Pasco County Utilities to locate the Darwood/Majestic aboveground water main valve assembly on a Pasco County easement across Majestic Boulevard instead of in front of the first two condo units in Bldg. #1 on Darwood (Jan. / Feb. 09) Worked with Pasco County to be absolved of the responsibility for the 25-year-old water • pipe under Majestic Blvd. when they put our water valve assembly on Beacon Woods property Provided large back-flow prevention valve for the Darwood Drive main water valve assembly per Pasco County Utilities requirements (\$3037.01) (January 09) Obtained replacement (new) Dumpsters for all six locations from Seaside Sanitation at no cost to VWCA (February 09) COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION

- Monthly attendance at Council of Neighborhood Associations (CONA) meetings in NPR
- Four VWCA members joined the Beacon Woods Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), completed training by Pasco County OEM, and received their certification.

BUILDINGS

- Treated exterior sections of various buildings with RustAid to remove rust stains from irrigation water (volunteer)
- Addressed numerous reports of rodents in attics. Had several buildings "sealed" by a professional to prevent rodent access

SIGNAGE

- Painted the three monument signs (February 09) •
- Replaced some lettering on monument signs
- New lights installed on monument signs (February 09 volunteer) •
- Replaced backing on two signs at Dearborn and Clocktower (February 09) •
- Relocated "Private Property" signs at Danube and Dearborn entrances. (April 09) •
- Negotiated with The Daily Group to include the painting of the two monument signs at no extra cost when they paint buildings in 1Q 2010.

BUDGET

- Negotiated Bright House cable contract to include no rate increases for 2010 and 2011 • with a 5% rate cap thereafter (was 8%) in a 7 year deal (Sep 09)
- Negotiated painting contract with The Daily Group (painting and waterproofing) to paint • the buildings 1Q 2010 for a reduced rate with no-interest payments to pay off the balance in 2010 after an initial payment of about \$84,000 when job is complete. Also includes painting of monument signs at no additional cost.
- Negotiated with 3 Seasons Lawn and Landscape, Inc. for no rate increase for 2010 •
- Reduced insurance costs with a new agent and new companies •
- Updated Estimated Replacement Costs for mandated reserves

FIDUCERY RESPONSIBILITY

Maintained watchful eye on maintenance fee and other arrears to assure that the Association doesn't get stuck if payments are not made. Condo associations can receive only 6 months of unpaid fees in a foreclosure. In addition, heirs may not put priority on the monthly payment.