



THE NEXT MONTHLY MEETING WILL BE JANUARY 10th – 2011

At the regular monthly meeting held on November 8th at 10AM at the Beacon Woods Civic Center the attendance was disappointing. Our meetings are held on the second Monday of the month. December is an off month. At our last meeting there were a total of 9 unit owners in attendance.

WILD ANIMALS

There are confirmed reports and photos of Coyotes here in Village Woods. Why are they here? If you are feeding wild animals – not only coyotes, but squirrels, birds, and possibly rodents and raccoons you are inviting problems into the neighborhood. There could be some very serious situations associated with this. Yes – animals are cute – fun to watch – but don't contribute to an unsafe and unhealthy practice.

DUMPSTERS

If you put items in front of the dumpsters – the refuse truck can not get to the dumpster to unload it! Recently at the dumpster on Darwood there were 2 green metal glider chairs in front of the dumpster. The truck could not get to the dumpster – hence a full stinky dumpster. On the corner of Danube and Dearborn a large metal support frame about 6 ½' high was placed in front of the dumpster. Please don't do this. If you see this happening try to get a license plate number. Thank you.

WELCOME HOME JIM BEEBE

After a very scary episode of heart problems Jim is back here in Village Woods. Being a good samaritan Jim traveled to NY to drive his sister back down to Florida and while up there he suffered two heart attacks. Jim is getting his strength back now and we welcome him home.

FLORIDA FRIENDLY LANDSCAPE

Jim Beebe was heading up this committee and in the interim Lee and Dawn Webster will be working on this project with the other committee members. Mother Nature has not been cooperative with rain fall. The lawns do not look good and we are still under watering restrictions – once per week.

When the irrigation system was put in 30 years ago it was to supplement natural rain fall plus you were allowed to water as often as needed. As you know this has all changed. The thought is to look at areas where we can do some Florida friendly plantings that are drought resistant plus beautify our neighborhood.

**PLEASE DO NOT GO AT THIS ON
YOUR OWN!**

We have done a test area on Darwood to get an idea as to what this can look like. Please take a look at the area in front of building #1. We look forward to your input on January 10th 2011 at 10:00AM. Make an effort to be there.

ELECTION 2011

There are 3 board member seats that expire February 2011. Submit your name before December 31, 2010 with your intention to run for office.