Continental Ranch Community Association

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Landscape Committee Meeting – January 8, 2024

Minutes

I. Call to Order 6:30 P.M. at the Windmill Park Office

II. Roll Call: Present: Doug Childress (Chairperson)

Alexis Stern
Patrick Chamblee
Larry Lemieux

Clement DeLarge (Board Liaison)
Ashley Boykin (Mgmt. Representative)
J.J. Velarde (Mgmt. Representative)

Excused: Bill Cicala

III. Approval of January 8, 2024 Meeting Agenda approved by motion (Stern/Lemieux).

IV. Approval of December 4, 2023 Meeting Minutes approved by motion (Stern/Lemieux).

V. Guests:

- a. Peggy Bracken, Board President, was in attendance.
- b. AAA Landscape: John Mancine, AAA Landscape Accounts Manager for CRCA, provided monthly status report; noted pre-emergent for common areas was completed in December; stated the recently approved proposals to replace faulty irrigation valves are being reevaluated for accuracy and is on hold; recently approved proposal to install locks and hasps on irrigation controllers also on hold to verify controller count; noted three turf valves at Windmill Park found to be off mid-December that affected the ryegrass; and discussed rejuvenation pruning during the winter months with the committee.

MOTION (Childress/Lemieux) to approve winter rejuvenation pruning of certain plants as recommended by John Mancine; unanimously approved.

- VI. Board Actions: Proposals from AAA Landscape to replace remaining faulty valves approved; Annual IPM Program from AAA Landscape renewed; Reserve Study amendments approved; proposal from AAA Landscape to install locks and hasps on irrigation controllers approved; proposal from AAA Landscape to upgrade existing smart irrigation controllers from 3G to 4G denied; and proposal from AAA Landscape to replace sprinkler heads at the Silverbell/Coachline monuments was tabled to the February board meeting and a motion was made to task the Landscape Committee with developing a plan to reduce water usage at the entrance monuments.
- **VII. Management Report:** Ms. Boykin reported the maps and list for the annual upper tree pruning proposal request is in progress.

- VIII. Unfinished Business: None.
- IX. New Business:
 - **a. Main Entrance Monuments Water Usage Reduction –** An informal meeting was scheduled for committee members to meet on location and assess in-person the CRCA entrance monuments at the corners of Silverbell Rd. and Coachline Blvd.
- X. Next meeting date: February 5, 2024 at 6:30 P.M. at the Windmill Park Office.
- XI. Meeting adjourned at 7:25 P.M.