

# Lake at Heritage Pointe Home Owners' Association

**2012 Annual General Meeting** 

4 June 2013



## Introductions

- LAHPOA Board of Directors
- Invited Guests

Welcome, residents of the Lake at Heritage Pointe



# Agenda

- 1) Confirmation of Quorum
- 2) Proof of Notice of Meeting
- 3) Approval of Agenda
- 4) Board of Directors' Report
- 5) Treasurer's Report
- 6) Election of Board of Directors
- 7) New Business



# **Board of Directors' Report**

#### 2012 Accomplishments

#### A. <u>Water</u>

- Licenses
- Appeal rate increase

#### B. Lake Aeration Project

- Necessary Lake Water Quality Restoration & Improvement
- Contingent Emergency Supply of Water for Potable and Sanitary

#### C. Association Fee Review

- Tendered Waste Collection for Competitive Pricing
- Infra-structure Maintenance and Replacement
- Change in legal counsel incl. outstanding fee collection initiative



#### D. <u>Tree Maintenance</u>

- Established Tree Removal & Replacement work plan for 2013 as has the MD of Foothills for our respective properties within the Lake Community
- E. <u>Communication</u>
  - New website and Newsletter to provide updated information and promote community activities
  - 'E-Blast' feature coming soon for urgent and reminder communication to residents
  - Greatly increased resident e-mail data base
  - Community Resident Survey(s)
  - Further communication improvement is a high priority



#### F. Increased Programs and Events; Enhanced Community Vibrancy

- Stampede Breakfast
- Haunted House at the Lakehouse
- Visit with Santa
- 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Sticks vs Hoses Shinny Challenge
- 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Ice Fishing Derby
- Improved Ice Conditions & Maintenance (BIG assist from Fire Dept.)
- Increased Christmas lighting, Banners at both entrances, etc.
- G. Exploration of Opportunities Study Initiatives
  - Church of the Redeemer Distance Education Centre (Pine Creek Rd.)
  - Pine Creek Rd./ Heritage Pointe Sportsfield Management
  - Community Tree Nursery ('Scoti')
  - Lakehouse Upgrades, Expansion
  - Funding Opportunities ~ Grants, Sponsors, New Revenue, etc.



# Priorities 2013-2014

- A. Association Asset Maintenance
  - Repairs and upkeep to The Lakehouse;
  - Initiation of Playground Fund;
  - Upper Pond Water Quality incl. Fountain Re-installation;
  - Lake Water Quality incl. Fish Management Program;
  - Lake Community Master Plan Including Priorities, Costs & Timeline
    - Projects, Enhancements, Asset Repair and Renewal.
  - Reserve Fund Study.
- B. Enhanced Community Development
  - Community Grants to promote recreation and community building;
  - More programs and events including first ever community 5 km/10 km Run and Walk on July 27<sup>th</sup>. Other upcoming events to watch for ATB Talent Show, Ball tournament and chili cook-off.



- C. Collaboration with MD of Foothills
- Construction of 3-way stop at south intersection by Lakehouse
- Replacement of Street Signs
- Tree Maintenance Program
- Drainage Rectification
- Concluding a 'Master Service Agreement' for cross-over maintenance of lands owned by the MD and The Association respectively
  - Including responsibility, risk and liability i.e. sidewalks, back lot concrete drains and grassed drainage swales, tree and shrub area, etc.
  - Clarification of resident/homeowner responsibilities i.e. sidewalk snow removal, street-side weed control, etc.
- \*\*\* see following graphic for Land Ownership clarification



# Treasurer's Report



#### **Historical Financial Performance:**

#### **'<u>Operating Fund'</u>**

| LAHPOA Financial Summary |         |         | Actual  | Actual  | Actual  |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| (\$ Thousands)           | 2008    | 2009    | 2010    | 2011    | 2012    |
| Association Fees         | \$441   | \$455   | \$456   | \$488   | \$504   |
| Grants & Other Income    | \$10    | \$3     | \$15    | \$29    | \$124   |
| Operating Revenues       | \$451   | \$458   | \$471   | \$516   | \$628   |
| Expenses*                | (\$469) | (\$493) | (\$505) | (\$390) | (\$635) |
| Operating Income         | (\$18)  | (\$35)  | (\$34)  | \$126   | (\$7)   |
| Net Assets**             | \$51    | \$15    | (\$18)  | \$108   | \$100   |

- 2012 notes:
  - LAHPOA received a \$50,00 grant from our developer.
  - \$72,000 was transferred to our reserve fund (included in operating expenses) versus \$22,000 in 2011.
  - Also included higher garbage removal fees and some one-time costs related to legal and contract renegotiation
- In 2011, LAHPOA did not have a property manager for most of the year.

\* Includes reserve fund requirements

\*\* Net of working capital (receivables less payables)



### Historical Financial Performance:

#### **'<u>Reserve Fund'</u>**

| LAHPOA Financial Summary                              |        |      | Actual | Actual | Actual |
|---|--------|------|--------|--------|--------|
| (\$ Thousands)  | 2008   | 2009 | 2010   | 2011   | 2012   |
| Reserve Fund:   |        |      |        |        |        |
| Revenue***  | \$31   | \$22 | \$23   | \$23   | \$74   |
| Expenses  | (\$37) | \$0  | (\$15) | (\$4)  | (\$99) |
|   | (\$6)  | \$22 | \$8    | \$19   | (\$25) |
| Actual Reserve Fund**                                 | \$74   | \$96 | \$104  | \$123  | \$97   |
| Reserve Fund Requirement                              | \$74   | \$88 | \$112  | \$134  | ?      |
| * Includes reserve fund requirements                  |        |      |        |        |        |
| ** Net of working capital (receivables less payables) |        |      |        |        |        |
| *** Mainly contributions from operating fund          |        |      |        |        |        |

- In 2012, the major expense was the water aeration project.
- Going forward, a new reserve fund study is required.
- Current reserve fund balance only works out to ~\$200/household.



#### 2012 Actual Versus Budget

| LAHPOA Financial Summary                              | Actual  | Budget  |  |
|---|---------|---------|--|
| (\$ Thousands)  | 2012    | 2012    | Notes:                                   |
| Association Fees                                      | \$504   | \$495   |  |
| Grants & Other Income                                 | \$124   | \$62    | 2012 actuals included higher grants and  |
| Operating Revenues                                    | \$628   | \$557   | rental income.                           |
| Expenses*   | (\$635) | (\$622) | There were some one-time expenses        |
| Operating Income                                      | (\$7)   | (\$65)  | related to the transition to new mgm't.  |
|   |         |         |  |
| Net Assets**  | \$100   | \$43    | Less was transferred in 2012 to reserve. |
| Reserve Fund:   |         |         |  |
| Revenue***  | \$74    | \$122   | Less was transferred in 2012 to reserve. |
| Expenses  | (\$99)  | (\$80)  | Aeration project costs exceeded budget   |
|   | (\$25)  | \$42    | due to design modifications.             |
| Actual Reserve Fund**                                 | \$97    | \$165   |  |
| Reserve Fund Requirement                              | ?       | ?       |  |
| * Includes reserve fund requirements                  |         |         |  |
| ** Net of working capital (receivables less payables) |         |         |  |
| *** Mainly contributions from operating fund          |         |         |  |



#### **2012 Actual Versus 2013 Budget**

| LAHPOA Financial Summary                              | Actual  | Budget  |   |
|---|---------|---------|---|
| (\$ Thousands)  | 2012    | 2013    | Notes:  |
| Association Fees                                      | \$504   | \$531   | 2013 has a 5% increase in association fees.                 |
| Grants & Other Income                                 | \$124   | \$15    | 2012 has much higher grants (e.g. \$50,000 from developer). |
| Operating Revenues                                    | \$628   | \$546   |   |
| Expenses*   | (\$635) | (\$528) | 2013 has a lower contribution to reserve fund.              |
| Operating Income                                      | (\$7)   | \$18    |   |
|   |         |         |   |
| Net Assets**  | \$100   | \$119   | More could be transferred to the reserve fund in 2013.      |
| Reserve Fund:   |         |         |   |
| Revenue***  | \$74    | \$43    |   |
| Expenses  | (\$99)  | \$0     | 2012 capital was mainly aeration system.                    |
|   | (\$25)  | \$43    |   |
| Actual Reserve Fund**                                 | \$97    | \$140   |   |
| Reserve Fund Requirement                              | ?       | ?       | New reserve fund study required.                            |
| * Includes reserve fund requirements                  |         |         |   |
| ** Net of working capital (receivables less payables) |         |         |   |
| *** Mainly contributions from operating fund          |         |         |   |



#### 2013+: Financial Perspectives

- 2013 budget is essentially a "break-even" budget that has little room for material unexpected events.
- Challenge for operating fund is to find additional revenue other than association fee increases (which generally tracks inflation).
- Reserve fund significantly affected by need to complete aeration project in 2012.
- LAHPOA is likely inadequate to meet future capital needs given the depreciation of existing assets.
- Reserve study to assess future capital requirements.



# **Election of Board**

- Seek nominations for present vacancies
- Election of Board of Directors
  - Joe Friedel
  - Quinn Zapach
  - John Jennings
  - New nominations



# Thank you for your attendance.

# Have a good evening.





# **Our Community**