

MEMORANDUM

DATE:

October 7, 2014

TO:

All Homeowner's

FROM:

Debbie K. Anthony, Property Manage

Commercial Properties of Maui Management, Inc.

RE:

2015 Maintenance Fees

PROPERTY:

West Kuiaha Meadows Homeowner's Association

Attached are the Board approved operating budget, budget notes, and reserve study for the Homeowner's Association and Water System for calendar year 2015.

Maintenance fees for the Homeowner's Association will be \$114.00 per month; a \$12.00 per month increase over the 2014 fees. Therefore, your quarterly billing commencing January 2015 will be \$342.00.

Maintenance fees for the Water System will be \$139.00 per month; a decrease of \$3.00 under the 2014 fees. Therefore, your quarterly billing commencing January 2015 will be \$417.00.

Please review the enclosed and should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Attachments

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2015 ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET Prepared on a Cash basis Budget based on Lower Reserve Contribution	ASSOCIATION INCOME:	Common Area Maintenance Fees 16 lots @ \$114,00/mo billed \$342.00 grtly	Bank Interest Income (Association Reserves)	ASSOCIATION COMMON EXPENSES:	Electricity - Gate Gate Repair & Maintenance	Telephone - Gate Insurance - D&O Insurance - D&O	Insurance - Periora Insurance - Property Landscaping Service & Supplies	Management Fees Miscellaneous Expenses (bank fees, postage, etc.)	Professional rocs - Logar Professional Fees - Tax Preparation Comeral Evisea Taxes - Association	Contingency Reserves Replacement Reserves	TOTAL ASSOCIATION EXPENSES	WATER SYSTEM INCOME:	WATER COOLERS Maintenance Food	Water System Manicarino 2 14 lots @ \$139.00/mo billed \$417.00 qrtly Bank Interest Income (Water System Reserves) Water Recovery	Electricity Expense Recovery TOTAL INCOME	WATER SYSTEM EXPENSES:	Electric	Insurance System Manager Management Fees	Testing Miscellaneous Supplies & Repairs		General Excise Taxes - Water System Replacement Reserves
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TOTAL WATER SYSTEM EXPENSES

Recovered through quarterly water billing 5003 Electricity - Water System Expense

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Water System Expenses	
System Cost per homeowner/month	124.71
Reserve per homeowner/month	20.00
Subtotal per month	174.71
Water Usage Recovery	35.71
Total per month	139.00
Rounded	139.00

WEST KUIAHA MEADOWS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION 2015 ASSOCIATION AND WATER SYSTEM BUDGET NOTES

(Based on Lower than Recommended Reserve Contribution)

ASSOCIATION INCOME:

Association Maintenance Fees

This amount represents the maintenance fees for 16 lot owners. Maintenance fees are \$114.00 per month which increased by \$12.00 per month over 2014 fees. Owners will be assessed \$342.00 quarterly.

Bank Interest Earned

Bank interest earned from reserve fund monies.

ASSOCIATION COMMON EXPENSES:

Electricity - Gate

Electricity costs are projected at \$43.00 per month based on costs and consumption amounts in 2014 plus projected rate and fuel surcharge increases.

Gate Repair & Maintenance

We budgeted \$125.00 per month to cover the cost of the monthly maintenance contract and minor repairs.

Telephone - Gate

The telephone for the entrance gate is budgeted at \$42.00 per month.

D & O Insurance

We have budgeted \$1,134.00 in March for renewal of the Directors and Officers insurance policy. This amount is based on the actual 2014 renewal plus projected increase for the 2015 renewal.

General Liability Insurance

We projected \$656.00 in March for the liability insurance policy renewed in April. This amount is based on actual 2014 rates along with projected increase anticipated in 2015. This policy provides liability insurance for the common areas.

Property Insurance

We projected \$977.00 for property insurance policy renewed in April. This amount is based on the actual 2014 renewal plus projected increase for the 2015 renewal. This policy provides property damage insurance for the common elements.

Landscaping

We budgeted \$558.00 for the monthly landscape maintenance which includes a projected 2.5% increase over 2014 rates. We have also included \$300.00 in October for annual tree trimming.

Management Fees

This fee for contract management service for the Homeowner's Association is projected at \$470.00 plus tax per month. We also budgeted \$125.00 plus tax for the managing agent's preparation and attendance of the board meeting in September and \$230.00 plus tax for the Annual Meeting in November.

Miscellaneous Expenses

We budgeted \$15.00 per month for bank service fees, checks, deposit slips, printing, postage, and miscellaneous supplies for the Association.

Professional Fees - Legal

We budgeted \$100.00 monthly for legal fees for collection and other issues of the Association based on 2014 expenses.

Professional Fees – Tax Preparation

We budgeted \$75.00 in February for preparation of the 1099 forms and \$170.00 in August for preparation of the annual income taxes.

General Excise Taxes

This expense paid to the Hawaii State Tax Collector is budgeted at 4% of reserve interest and other miscellaneous income collected.

Contingency Reserves

We budgeted \$10.00 per month for unanticipated or unbudgeted expenses.

Replacement Reserves

Based on the 2014 reserve contributions, and projected gate repairs needed, we budgeted \$135.00 per month.

West Kuiaha Meadows HOA 2015 Operating Budget Notes September 30, 2014 Page 2

WATER SYSTEM INCOME:

Water System Maintenance Fees

This amount represents the water system maintenance fees for 14 lot owners on the private water system. System fees are \$142.00 per month; an increase of \$5.00 over the 2014 fees. Owners will be assessed \$426.00 per quarter.

Water Recovery

This amount represents projected fees to be collected quarterly for water usage based on water fees collected in 2014.

WATER SYSTEM EXPENSES:

Electricity

No amounts were budgeted for electricity costs to operate the private water system. Electricity costs will be recovered with your water usage billing. This change is being implemented so that those owners who use more water or those who use less will pay their proportionate share of the electricity cost to produce the water used.

Insurance

No amounts were budgeted for equipment breakdown insurance as the policy was non-renewed following the December 2013 well failure.

System Manager

This fee for the water system management services is budgeted at \$738.00 per month and includes a 2½% increase requested by the system manager. We have also budgeted \$350.00 in August for the preparation of the annual Consumer Confidence Report.

Management Fees

This fee for contract management service for the Water System is projected at \$470.00 plus tax per month. We also budgeted \$125.00 plus tax for the managing agent's preparation and attendance of the board meeting in September and \$230.00 plus tax for the Annual Meeting in November.

Testing

We budgeted \$175.00 per month for routine and periodic water testing done as required by the Dept. of Health.

Miscellaneous Supplies & Repairs

We budgeted \$158.00 per month for supplies and chemicals needed to operate the water system, and for minor repairs that may be necessary.

Professional Fees - Legal

We budgeted \$100.00 monthly for legal fees for collection and other issues of the water system based on 2014 expenses.

Professional Fees – Tax Preparation

We budgeted \$75.00 in February for preparation of the 1099 forms and \$170.00 in August for preparation of the annual income taxes.

<u>Miscellaneous Expense – Water System</u>

We budgeted \$65.00 in July for the printing, supplies, and postage to distribute the annual Consumer Confidence Report as required by the Department of Health.

General Excise Taxes

This expense paid to the Hawaii State Tax Collector is budgeted at 4% of reserve interest and other miscellaneous income collected.

Replacement Reserves

Based on the 2006 reserve study and 20-year cash flow plan, \$1,131.77 is projected per month for long term replacement of the water system components. Following the December 2013 well failure and non-renewal of the equipment breakdown insurance, we have budgeted \$700.00 per month to be transferred to the water system reserve monthly. This amount is still lower than the amount recommended in the reserve study. We recommend that the reserve study be updated to include the new equipment and components installed in early-2014.

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271,624.83

West Kuiaha Meadows Homeowners Association C/O Board of Directors

October 6, 2014

Ms. Debbie Anthony, Property Manager Commercial Properties of Maui Management, Inc. 1962B Wells Street Wailuku, HI 96793

RE: Approval of 2015 Association & Water System Budget

Dear Debbie:

This letter will serve to give official notice for the proposed West Kuiaha Meadows Homeowners Association budget for 2015. The Board took into consideration the proposed budget from Commercial Properties of Maui Management, Inc. which included a lower replacement reserve than previously recommended for the Water System and projected repairs needed for the entrance gate. The replacement reserve funds for the water system are for the cost of complete "Common Area Element Replacement and Repair" which includes such items as the pipes, storage tank, power system, booster pumps, well pump, storage tank liner, chlorinator, valves, water meters, and other elements which could require replacement or repairs in the long term. The Board of Directors felt that they, along with the owners of West Kuiaha Meadows, would rather pay for any shortfall in funds required for repairs or replacement by doing a special assessment to the owners on the water system as discussed at the 2007 Annual Meeting. Due to the water system failure in December 2014, the Board increased the replacement reserve contribution to \$50.00 per owner each month; however, this amount is still lower than the monthly recommended amount of \$80.84 per lot owner.

The Board of Directors has also approved the 2015 Association Budget of \$21,888.00; the proposed Common Area Maintenance Fee increased by \$12.00 to \$114.00 per month per property. The Board of Directors has also approved the 2015 Water System Budget of \$41,352.00 based on the lower water system reserve contribution. The proposed monthly Water System Maintenance Fee decreased to \$139.00 each month per property as electricity expense will be recovered with the water usage billing prepared quarterly. Billing for the Association and Water System will continue to be done on a quarterly basis.

The Board of Directors could the following year investigate a budget which would take into consideration the Professional Reserve Study previously prepared for the Association by Karen Johnson in January 2006 or arrange for a new or updated Professional Reserve Study for the water system and common area including the entrance gates to be prepared. The Board of Directors agrees to not hold Commercial Properties of Maui Management, Inc. directly responsible for any shortfalls in our water system or common area reserve funding should such major repair or replacement take place in 2015 or in the future. As provided within the West Kuiaha Meadows CC&R's and ByLaws, assessments can be increased to meet the demand for such costs of repairs, on an as needed basis, and will be reviewed at such time should the need grise.

the need arise.	
Sincerely,	
Caron Barrett, President	Vice President – position vacant
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Cristina Graziano, Secretary	Joann Haskin, Treasurer

Mike Grier, Director-at-Large