Jesse's Bluff HOA Meeting Minutes 2/25/25

## Board Members – Ralph, Ken, and Jen

Meeting started at 6:00pm – 13 Homeowners were present

Minutes from the last meeting were discussed – Minutes were approved

# Approval of the Budget

Discussion of the HOA insurance, cost, needs, and uses for the insurance

- Kim is checking into costs and checking into other options
  - o \$8145 for 2025
  - Approximately a \$5500 increase from last year
    - Primarily for liability increases

#### Vote on the 2025 budget

- Approximately \$81,000 based on 233 homeowners
- Net income of \$1 based on expected expenses
- \$6200 for snow removal is the biggest variable expense
- Frustration with the last plow, subbed out by C&C

Current reserve amount - \$25,478

Questions about responses with management company

Approve the budget – 24 yes total (12 proxy), 4 no total (2 proxy)

#### Old Business

Trees dying in the HOA controlled areas and in homeowner's property.

- Find a company that will remove tress for a group rate and plant new trees
- Homeowners would be responsible trees in their property
- Six trees on Five Mile Rd, that need to be removed and replaced
  - o Will cost \$6000-9000 based on bid from C&C
  - Will receive bids from other companies
  - Some trees on Five Mile make it hard to see south when pulling out on Hawthorne Rd.
- Again, only trees on HOA property will be paid for out of HOA account.

## **New Business**

Homeowners are thankful that people take good care of their property Some homeowners were frustrated that some rules are being broken (RVs, basketball hoops being left out - One homeowner suggested that people talk to their neighbors in a kind way first, before bringing something to the HOA board.

# Nominations for new board members

- One person brought forth five people to be on the board

Questions about the home on Westover that is being used for meeting with clients (mental health counseling)

- HOA approved the use of the home to meet with clients virtually and in-person
- Questions about using the home as a business and owners not living there presently
- It was asked that the homeowners receive approval (permit) from the county by the HOA
- Several residence mentioned that either the use of the home in that fashion is either permitted or not, and we should wait for the conclusion of that process