

November 22, 2023

Dear South Hampton Property Owners,

The Board of Directors, along with Empress Management have been actively working on the annual budget. Enclosed is a copy of the 2024 Approved Operating Budget for your review. The budget that is enclosed will give you a comparison of the 2023 budget including the insurance assessment and the 2024 approved budget. Below is a summary of the adjustments you will notice:

## Income

• The income for the association primarily consists of the monthly regular assessments collected and a modest income from storage room rentals.

## **Repairs & Maintenance**

- You will see several minor adjustments in many of these items. A few new items were added so that we could better track expenditures such as: HVAC Maintenance, Domestic Water Maintenance and Automatic Sliding Door Maintenance. We also added a line item for Sliding Door Curbs for those owners who may choose to replace their sliding glass doors.
- Overall, the Repair and Maintenance Expense reflects an increase of approximately \$19k.

# **General & Administrative**

- The KPMA Master Association has notified us of an increase for 2024. This line item reflects the second largest increase in our budget. The master dues in 2023 were \$311,835 and this year have increased \$8,909 for a total of \$320,744 in 2024. We added the Cable expense from the Utility section to the KPMA Master Association Fees line item. We have also posted the approved KPMA budget to the web-portal for your review.
- Our insurance agent unfortunately is estimating an increase for next year of around 25%. The actual renewal costs for this year were \$514,516. We budgeted for this increase, and we also included \$20k for a claim deductible and \$27k from the 2023 shortfall for insurance.
- Overall, the General and Administrative Expense increase is due to KPMA Master and our Insurance.

# **Utilities**

• Adjustments are based upon historical data from our annual audited financial statements along with YTD financial information and 12-month historical trends. You will see some variances in these line items such as Water/Sewer, Fuel and Trash. As noted above the Cable is included in the KPMA Master Association Fees.

#### Other Expenses

 The General Reserve Contribution was increased this year and the anticipated taxes for interest earned along with taxes paid for the storage income.

Per your South Hampton Board of Directors,

Sarah Chaffin Empress Management, LLC

#### SOUTH HAMPTON POA 2024 OPERATING BUDGET 144 Units

ts		2023		2024	
			Budget		Budget
	INCOME				
0	Regular Assessments	\$	1,580,137	\$	1,966,595
0	Common Area Rental Income	<u></u>	13,000	ć	13,000
	TOTAL INCOME	\$	1,593,137	\$	1,979,595
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
	Repairs and Maintenance				
0	Maintenance Contract	\$	154,368	\$	154,368
0	Pool Supplies/Repairs		6,000		6,180
0	General Maintenance/Materials		50,000		50,000
0	Water Conditioner		3,200		-
0	Interior Pest Control		5,880		6,056
0	Termite Treatment		-		1,285
0	Elevator Maintenance		14,529		13,534
0	Cooling Tower Maintenance		7,499		10,781
0	Fire System Maintenance		14,000		15,242
0	Generator Lease		1,470		1,514
0	Janitorial Supplies		6,000		4,500
0	Sliding Door Curbs				12,000
0	HVAC Maintenance		-		2,884
0	Domestic Water Maintenance		-		2,060
0	Automatic Sliding Door Maintenance		-		1,655
	Roof Maintenance		-		-
	Total Repairs & Maintenance	\$	262,946	\$	282,060
	General and Administrative				
0	Office Supplies	\$	750	\$	950
0	Printing/Copies		3,500		2,200
0	Postage		400		200
0	Legal/Professional Services		20,000		20,000
0	Audit/Tax Preparation		3,500		3,600
0	Management Services		32,832		33,817
0	Annual Meeting		1,000		1,030
0	Bad Debt		-		-
0	Administrative Expense		1,500		1,545
0	Master Association Fees (KPMA)		277,132		321,360
0	Insurance Renewal		345,000		691,067
	Total General & Administrative	\$	685,614	\$	1,075,769
	Utilities				
0	Electricity	\$	54,000	\$	54,959
0	Water/Sewer		110,000		105,000
0	Fuel		6,359		3,855
0	Trash Removal		15,914		17,743
0	Cable TV (KPMA)		34,704		
0	Telephone/Internet/Comm.		3,600		3,708
	Total Utilities	\$	224,577	\$	185,265
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0	General Reserve Contribution	\$	420,000	\$	432,600
0	Taxes & Fees	~	-	~	3,900
	Total Other Expenses	\$	420,000	\$	436,500

# of		% of	2023	20	23 Dues		2024	
units	Unit Type	ownership	Monthly Dues	w/	w/ Insurance		Monthly Dues	
72	2 Bedroom Unit	0.0063140	\$ 833	L\$	921	\$	1,034.74	
69	3 Bedroom Unit	0.0075750	\$ 997	7\$	1,105	\$	1,241.41	
3	4 Bedroom Unit	0.0075750	\$ 997	7\$	1,105	\$	1,241.41	
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