Lakeshore Village Board Strategic Plan March 2016

GOAL 1 Establish, publish and implement a prioritized list of infrastructure upgrades and a list of community development projects

Strategy	Actions	Guided by
Conduct a physical plant audit	Seek recommendation for professional from the Bluegrass Chapter of the International Facilities Management Association http://www.ifma.org/	Board Property Advisory Committee (PAC)
	Bluegrass (Lexington) Chapter website: Bluegrass (Lexington) Contact: David Roop, FMP, Chapter President Email: roop@lexmark.com Phone: 859-2323702	
	Seek an energy audit from KU or a professional they can recommend	PAC Property Manager
	Identify those upgrades that could be done using "green" methods and/or materials (e.g., permeable paving, green design for drainage management, rain gardens at the club, solar panels)	PAC
	Board, accountant and professional who conducted the audit meet to review the recommendations and develop cost estimates if done conventionally or from a green perspective	PAC Finance Board

Draft a prioritized list of infrastructure upgrades over the next 5 years and their associated costs as well as whether they can be completed in stages		Board PAC
Host a community meeting where residents get to assign priorities to the upgrades	In small groups, residents review information on the cost and seriousness of needed upgrades	Board PAC
	Each group develops a priority list and present an explanation for their decision	Board PAC
	Board reviews results of group discussions and finalizes the priority list	Board
Contact potential partners at UK and elsewhere (Clive Pohl for renewable and sustainable design; Jamie Clark for solar and renewable energy sources) to determine research and demonstration project that can enhance the infrastructure at LSV	Collaborations around the wildlife and the lake to improve drainage management and increase research on this topic in urban areas	PAC
	Consider rain gardens at the club house and encouraging decorated rain barrels at all units	PAC Beautification
	Enhance partnership with LELA (lake authority) to engage in activities of benefit to all who use the lake	Social Board

Develop a list of small scale community improvement activities and establish community beautification work days Community garden Planter boxes Benches	Identify specific weekends that will focus on specific community improvements	Beautification
	Encourage green improvements throughout the area using cluster competitions	Beautification

GOAL 2 Market the value of living in LSV to current residents and potential buyers

Strategy	Actions	Guided by
Utilize different methods of communication with residents	Continue to use the web site and Facebook page to communicate with residents	Communications
	Use a one page printed newsletter published once a month to communicate with residents who don't use the Internet	Board Communications
Define the messages that need to be communicated with residents	The Chair of the Board should have monthly column that explains what the Board is doing and the challenges the HOA faces	Communications
	Ask residents to contribute to the newsletter to discuss wildlife that can be seen seasonally	Communications
	Create 30 - 60 second You Tube videos of residents talking about living in LSV	Communications

Market the value of living in LSV to potential buyers	Develop a comparative analysis of the competitive value of LSV living compared to other HOA developments using a list of amenities for LSV and at least 2 other HOAs as well as a comparison of HOA fees	Communications
	Develop key marketing messages based on this comparison	Communications
	Post this comparison on the web site	Communications
	Publish brochures about LSV and make available to realtors	Communications

GOAL 3
The HOA will host ample opportunities for social and educational events for residents of all ages

Strategy	Actions	Guided by
Define the demographic characteristics of the LSV households	Use a short survey to gather basic demographic information on the households in LSV Number of persons per household Age and gender Year-round residents or seasonal Special needs or assistance needed	Social Welcoming Board

Develop a schedule of social events designed to appeal to residents of all ages and interests for the entire calendar year	Use the results of the household survey to target social programming to the households Single young professionals Families with children under the age of 5 Families with children age 5 -12 Families with teens Families with no children in the household Senior households	Social
	Have a routine schedule of particular types of events Wine tasting Holiday cookie exchange (adults only) Holiday lights decorating contest Summer pot luck Easter egg hunt Spring Cleaning garage sale Halloween event A dessert social A perennials flower swap Progressive dinner party ending with a dessert at the club house A 4th of July Parade with kazoos, pots and pans drums etc Summer movie night at the club house Book club Ice cream social at the pool Adult wine and cheese tastings Annual block party/ carnival Canoe or kayak races on the lake	Social
	Offer kayak and canoe lessons	Social

Evaluate the interest in sponsoring a youth club at LSV		Social
Determine the interest in educational programs and if so, the types desired		Social
Celebrate the history of LSV and the original homeowners	Build an oral history of LSV through interviews with original residents	Social
	Build a photo history of LSV	Social
	Recognize residents who have lived at LSV for 10, 20, 30 and 40+ years	Social
Encourage more lake use	Determine the cost of purchasing one or two paddle boats that can be rented by residents	Social
Explore the opportunities to partner with other community organizations to expand social and educational programs	Determine the residents' interest in kayak and canoe rentals	Social

GOAL 4 Strengthen the financial and organizational sustainability of the HOA

Strategy	Actions	Guided by
Redesign the standing committees	Beautification Communications Finance Property Advisory Committee Combine existing Hospitality and Social committees	Board

Use ad hoc committees to address clearly defined tasks that need to be accomplished in a specific time frame	Seek the assistance of non-residents with specific skills for the ad hoc committees	Board
Use a committee recommendation form to clarify the evidence and justification for committee recommendations		All committees
Expand and diversify income sources	Use the club house for fee-based events	Finance
	Identify potential LSV merchandise to sell	Communciations Board
	Consider the cost of building a small gazebo or dock for live concerts and fee-based activities	Board
	Evaluate the pros and cons of incorporating a cost of living increase into HOA fees	Board
	Identify and apply for grants for improvements and programs to increase grant income	Board Finance
	Identify and implement two major fundraisers a year A masked ball A carnival with vendor fees and open to public Comedy night at the lake	Social

In partnership with other HOAs around the lake, identify opportunities for collective purchasing of goods and services		Board
Evaluate the costs and benefits of membership in national HOA organizations http://www.hoaleader.com/		Board
Conduct 10 minute Board trainings at the beginning of monthly meetings	Topics might include: What nonaccountants should know about financials What is Directors and Officers Liability insurance? Board fiscal responsibilities Fiscal policies and procedures Minimizing Board member liabilities Friend-raising for fund raising Fund raising strategies Do a short reading and then discuss it	Ad hoc committee
Every 18 - 24 months review and revise the strategic plan	Evaluate progress on goals and strategies asking: Did we accomplish this strategy? If we didn't, why not? Should we continue to work on this strategy? Have changing conditions introduced new needs or opportunities for us to pursue?	Ad hoc committee
	Once the evaluation of progress on the existing plan and consideration of the influence of new conditions is complete, draft a revised plan	

Attachments

Volunteer job description template Board membership evaluation form Committee action recommendation The Foundation for Community Association Research. Governance Report #2

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