

## Inns of Waterville Valley Association BOD Meeting Minutes August 21,2024

- 1. Call meeting to Order: Chris Ruggiero, President at 5:30
- 2. <u>Attendees on Zoom</u>: Chris Ruggiero, President; Carol Dusablon , Treasurer; Bob Baxter; Donna Hoyt, Secretary; Phil Gilbert; Gail Kent, Manager; Susan Hoyt, Associate Member
- **3.** <u>Motion to Accept the BOD Minutes:</u> July 25,2024 by Russ Duade, Pro Tem Secretary; 1<sup>st</sup>: Chris Ruggiero & 2<sup>nd</sup>: Carol Dusablon
- 4. <u>Financial Overview: Carol Dusablon , Treasurer</u>: Reviewed 7/2024 Summary
  - a. CD 4.79%
  - b. Operating Costs Down
  - c. Rentals down with All Mt. Rentals, but up with internal rentals
  - d. Bills paid, but not in budget
  - e. Agreed to wait on meeting with Michael Callahan on the Reserve Study

Chris made a motion to approve the report & unanimous 2<sup>nd</sup>

- 5. Facility Overview: Chris: discussion tabled until next meeting, after a walk through on 8/23/24
- **6.** <u>Wi-fi</u>: Discussed what's required to improve the system & cost of \$5,500. Chris will look into options & contact the co. under contract.
- <u>"Emergency Notification"</u>: Document was reviewed. Same protocol for Emergency & Lock-out. Still # posted at the Office & Red Phone near Unit #201.
- 8. Discussed solutions to reported concerns by a few owners. Some already remedied & some are on the future upgrade list for all units, as the budget allows. Suggestions from owners are always welcome & best to contact the office staff 1st. Looking into possible coverage for the front desk when guests arrive, in the future. Until there is another solution, the # at the office will get help as needed.
- **9.** One owner requested reimbursement and to replace the Inn's Management and Clerical staff. This was investigated, and found to have no merit.

Chris Ruggiero made a motion not to pay this requested reimbursement by an owner and no insurance coverage for this issue.

This was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Phil Gilbert & unanimous BOD.

Chris Ruggiero made a motion not to replace the management & clerical staff, who have been an asset to the Inn's. This was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Phil Gilbert

- **10.** BOD discussed optional ways to increase the revenue and possibly raise funds for specific items:
  - a. Raising rental fees on internal rentals, & Gail explained how All Mt. Rentals (AMR) already sets the rate on market value with demand.

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- b. Sell units & continue ½ price or BOGO program
- c. Check if we can use the trading services, Interval International & RCI for any of our IOWV units. Gail Kent will look into this for updates.
- d. Carol has several Fund Raising Ideas: "Name the Moose" to win some IOWV vacation time, "Find the Moose", "Fall Festival" w/ Penney Raffle, Raffle to win a week or WKND @ IOWV...Looking for more owners to join her committee !
- **11.** Gail: News Letter: needs cartoons about WV & "Something Fun About You": BOD members.
- **12.** Donna: Reduce Plumbing Issues: Garbage Disposal Do's & Don'ts
- **13.** Chris & other BOD members expressed interest in dedicating part of our BOD meeting open to owners.
- 14. Donna Hoyt made a motion to adjourn the meeting @ 7:40; Chris 2nd

## \*NEXT BOD MEETING: SEPTEMBER 18, 2024 @ 5:30