Shearwater Condominium Association Landscape Committee Report to Board - June 16, 2008

- 1. The mowing day this year is Wednesday. Spring trimming is underway. Due to the rains this spring, our specimen trees, plants, and grassy areas are holding up well so far.
- 2. We will shortly receive a proposal to repair exterior timber stairs where necessary, correct plant and grass encroachment on our paths, and re-shell the pathways were the oyster shells have washed out.
- 3. A request for proposals will be issued this week for a firm to accomplish the following for Shearwater:
 - a. Develop a master landscaping plan to include:
 - i. An inventory of existing plantings along with the condition and maintenance recommendations.
 - ii. A prioritized long range improvement plan for our landscaping.
 - iii. A maintenance plan for existing and new trees and plantings.
 - b. Plans and cost estimates for an irrigation system that could be constructed in phases as funding permits.
- 4. Some work was deferred this fiscal year due to funding issues. This work includes tree maintenance and work on the slope on the water-side of Building 7 and 8. Now that we are entering the new fiscal year, we will be taking another look at the work that needs to be accomplished.

Respectfully submitted,

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