

**WCC Board Meeting  
May 11, 2021  
At Jacobson Home**

In attendance: Nancy Kennedy, Eileen Clemans, Jennifer Jacobson, Sharon Morehouse, Toni Lund, Debra Palmer-Seiler  
Absent: Sue Clarke

***Call to Order***

Nancy called the meeting to order.

**Results of Nominating Committee**

It was moved and seconded to accept the results of the neighborhood vote based on the Nominating Committee's work on the open 2021 – 2022 Board positions and to present the following slate for ratification at the May membership meeting:

**President:** Brian Jacobson (election winner)  
**Vice President:** Dan Himelic (North Beach representative)  
**Treasurer:** Eileen Clemans (Returning Board Officer)  
**Secretary:** Susan Cwiertnia (one applicant)  
**Board Directors**  
**Social Events:** Karin Stender (one applicant)  
**Reservations/Tax Appeal:** Gary McLean (election winner)  
**Maintenance:** Toni Lund (election winner)  
**Trees/Bluff Conservation:** Jim Stender (election winner)  
**Communications:** Melody Edmiston (election winner)  
**Membership:** Ali Saccone (election winner)

The motion passed unanimously.

**Results of Boat Launch Survey**

There was discussion about the results of the survey provided to WCC members to understand the opinions of the community on this issue.

Results from the survey of community opinion from the Woodmont Country Club - Boat Launch Survey are:

114 of 149 ballots cast. Survey results:

I support the current rule passed by the board in February that allows motor vehicles to drive on the beach for the purpose of launching any form of watercraft when the tide level is above 6 feet. : 23 votes (20.2%)

Alternative Option A - No Tide Level Restrictions: There should not be any restrictions. Driving on the beach for launching should be allowed at all times.: 39 votes (34.2%)

Alternative Option B - Low Tide: Motor vehicles should be allowed to drive on the beach to launch watercraft when the tide is above 2 feet.: 14 votes (12.3%)

Alternative Option C - High Tide: Motor vehicles should be allowed to drive on the beach to launch watercraft when the tide is above 8 feet.: 4 votes (3.5%)

Alternative Option D - No Beach Driving: Motor vehicles should not be allowed to drive beyond the concrete boat ramp. Driving on the beach is not allowed.: 34 votes (29.8%)

Due to the survey's lack of a clear majority of over 50% in any direction, or on any option; and based on the decided approach to the tally of the survey results, the Board did not take any further action, and reaffirmed that the current boat launching rule remains in place: *'Club members can use the boat ramp to launch watercraft when the tide is at 6.0 feet or higher. Driving on the beach is prohibited when the tide is lower than 6.0 feet.* It was further clarified that this rule applies to motor vehicles driving on the beach for members only. It was agreed that this board will take no further action on this issue.

### ***Adjournment***

Respectfully submitted,  
Debra Palmer-Seiler  
Acting Secretary