Island Manager Report August 8, 2020

Administration

Thank you to those of you who pulled Tansy and continued with tree debris clean-up.

Thank you to members for remembering to make appointments at the office so items are ready for swift pickup. Please note masks are now required to enter the office per the State of Washington.

N Herron Road Bridge Retrofit Project - July 20 - August 31, 2020

Thanks to all as HMC adjusts to the parking lot lanes and less parking. The addition of the 4th lane has been a great help nearly taking all traffic off N Herron Rd.

Should you park in the lot please ensure your vehicle is close to adjacent vehicles to allow as much parking as possible.

Ferry

Note, the ferry crew is wearing masks where they cannot maintain 6 feet distance, HMC requests all members, and guests, do the same. Thank you to those that wear a mask. Please make every effort to respect the crew and your neighbors by doing this for the short amount of time you interact with them. This includes in the passenger cabin.

If a crew member were to become sick, it would place a burden on the rest of the crew and the standby employees for coverage, potentially altering the ferry schedule if more than one crew member became ill. ~Please ensure your guests know this same information.

During Covid-19 HMC asks for <u>tickets</u>, <u>checks or exact change</u> for ferry passage. It is important for the public to do your part to protect yourselves and others by practicing good hygiene and wear masks where 6 feet distance cannot be maintained.

Ferry Dry Dock Dates – September 12 - 27, 2020. These dates are always subject to change depending on length of time in the shipyard due to US Coast Guard required work list. This year will be a lot of plating work on the keel, in voids and on the car deck. HMC will not know the full extent until the USCG examines the ferry within the first couple of days at shipyard.

Guest Passes – the crew is not permitted to complete guest passes, should you leave them with a crew member uncompleted you may not be able to get your guest onboard. If you have questions about guest passes, please call ahead to the office; open Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at 253-884-9350.

Rental Guests- please ensure your rental guests have guest passes ahead of their visit and ensure that there are no delinquent charges on your HMC or Water accounts. The guests will be denied access to the island otherwise.

Legal Liaison: There are 15 delinquencies; 12 with our attorney for action.

Departments/Committees

Maintenance: Gary Wanzong – No report

<u>Parks</u>: Dale Miller – No report <u>Policies</u>: Mike Gage – No report

Roads: Dan Marten – Ditch cleaning to be scheduled this month

Emergency Preparedness: Ken Higgins - No report

Water: Frank Harrison - No report

<u>Small Boat Docks:</u> Sherri Anderson – no report <u>Rules:</u> Mike Fassio - No hearings scheduled