

HMC
Island Manager Report
Board Meeting
August 9, 2003

Summary

Administration

- Fire District 16 has been requested to advise what they are doing about the recent fire on the west side of the island but have not responded yet. HMC incurred costs related to the fire suppression and the I. M. is looking at methods of cost-recovery.
- A member has asked about the feasibility of having some type of notification system beyond what is currently available to the island (direct notice and signs at the ferry) for any future emergency, such as a brush fire. The concept may be worth exploring.
- The Community Associations Institute's annual "CA Day" in Bellevue is coming up on October 4. There are a number of seminars that pertain to HMC operations and that HMC may wish to have one or more Board members attend.

Transportation

- Update on hiring a new fill-in captain: One newly-hired individual is in training.

Finance

- The Cooper property sale is complete.

Legal Liaison

- No report.

Land Use

- No report.

Roads

- There have been a number of complaints regarding children and teens of varying ages driving recklessly on island roads. A draft of revised rules to deal with this is available to the Board for discussion, per Board request last month.

Water

- The recent monthly coliform sample tested as "unsatisfactory." Per State Department of Health requirements we will take four additional samples next week. It is likely that the original sample was inadvertently contaminated during the bottle filling, and that the water itself meets requirements.
- The new, and better-sealing, lid for the reservoir needs a small work party to be installed.