LAKE MURRAY TENNIS CLUB BOARD MEETING FEBRUARY 21, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 2:05PM by Ernie Kovacs, President, at Lake Murray Tennis Club. Those present were Ernie Kovacs, President; Kaye Listug, Vice-President; Debi Adcock, Leagues and Tournaments (and acting secretary); Diane Bailey, Grounds; Denise Stefanson, Social; Kathy Emmerson, Management; and Barbara Beedle, Secretary. A quorum was established.

The January minutes were reviewed. Barbara Beedle moved and Kaye Listug seconded that the January minutes be approved. Motion passed.

MEMBERSHIP: Although Tom Sidley was unable to attend the meeting, he gave the membership report to Ernie Kovacs. We are on track with last years numbers. Last year we had several pro-rated memberships. Kathy Emmerson also mentioned that many of our regular members are out with injuries and they will pay when they come back.

LEAGUES AND TOURNAMENTS: Debi presented the league report. She mentioned an e-blast advising we are not charging an initiation fee might be of value to potential new members. We should also pass that information on to friends

GROUNDS: Diane Bailey reported on our landscaping. Weeds are a major problem due to all the rain we've experienced. It was suggested that we have Pablo mostly work on weeding. The length of time Pablo works depends on the number of workers he has. Ernie mentioned that the number of helpers Pablo brings should have no bearing on what needs to be accomplished. Although we have had more than enough water this winter, we will need to water adequately once summer comes. We do have new plants that Ernie has planted. The City pays for our water, but there have been cutbacks and we do have limitations on our water usage and they no longer mow our grass. We discussed the use of rain barrels, but not really a workable plan at this time. The Palm trees and Cypress trees near courts 2 & 4 need to be trimmed. Diane will discuss all of this with Pablo.

PRESIDENT: Ernie Kovacs advised that it's supposed to rain on Sunday and the Christian College tournament is supposed to start that day so they may need another day to make up the lost day due to rain.

The signs are up on all courts advising only water is allowed on the courts.

SOCIAL: Denise Stefanson advised that we will have to revise the dates for our next social due to the delayed start of the Christian College tournament.

With no further business, the meeting adjourned at 2:30.

The next Board meeting is Tuesday, March 21, 2012, at 2:00PM.