
Safety and Security

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Wed, Nov 17, 2021 at 9:28 AM

To: SLWLA Board <board@7lakeswest.com>

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To the SLWLA Board:

Once again, this Board chose to use their public stage to negate the recommendation of the Safety and Security Committee and attempt to "shame" the choice for committee co-chairs. Once more, this is how the Board has chosen to treat a 15 year community member volunteer and 8 year member of this specific committee.

The committee met last Tuesday, and with Director Liaison Greaves present, asked me to step up and co-chair with Erik Stromberg. But you all know this. I had asked Greaves at the meeting if the Board would accept this nomination and he replied, "I'll take care of it".

The Board accepted the minutes and required reports from me on behalf of the committee, with the addition of "Nominated by the Committee" after my name on the Co-Chair heading. Perhaps you need to review the definition of "liaison"; Director Greaves could have communicated the Board's heavy handed override before the meeting. I could not respond in the "Members' Forum" at the onset of the meeting prior to your committee member announcements, I chose to speak up during the Safety and Security report at which time you chose to rudely refuse any input. (Thanks to the mumbled reading of the committee's report, no one had any idea about the important issues addressed by Safety and Security.)

Thank you again for your attempt at public shaming. It only exposed your continued tactics to control the members or committees against any ideas opposed to your corrupt manipulations.

Sue Shepard <srshepard@embarqmail.com>

Wed, Nov 17, 2021 at 10:38 AM

To: Jane Sessler <janesessler@gmail.com>

Jane,

This is revolting and disturbing. The very least they could have done was to inform you of their decision prior to the announcement at the board meeting. Handled about like Ronnie's dismissal – he found out inadvertently from Don Smith while we were in Florida.

What is Greaves definition of "I'll take care of it"???? Make sure it does not happen? An abominable way to treat someone who has put so MUCH into the community, not to mention the Fellingham award. I am so sorry. Good honest, responsible long time volunteers deserve much better treatment than this board has given any of them.

Sue

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Jim Greaves <Director3@7lakeswest.com>

Wed, Nov 17, 2021 at 3:10 PM

To: Jane Sessler <janesessler@gmail.com>

Cc: SLWLA Board <board@7lakeswest.com>

Jane,
First I'd like to apologize for not conveying in advance the board's decision to not confirm you as co-chair. You are correct that as the liaison that communication would be my responsibility and it should have been done. I am sorry that my oversight caused you to feel publicly shamed, that was absolutely not my or the board's intention. I did not however suggest you for the co-chair in the committee meeting as it was not my place as it was committee business. I also did not say I would "take care of it" as I do not have that kind of authority over this board. I did say I would submit the committee's decision to the board, which it was. Ginger Equi will be taking over as the liaison for safety and security and I am positive she will more clearly convey the committee reports going forward.

As someone who has also been a community member for 15 years I am well aware of the enormous amount of time you've put in on the board, on committees, and for this community and I do appreciate and thank you for all you have done.

Jim Greaves
Director
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Terry Card <btgolf2007@nc.rr.com>
To: Jane Sessler <janesessler@gmail.com>

Thu, Nov 18, 2021 at 10:36 AM

Hi,

Further with regards to the telephone number that I used. This is funny! I found the 673-2311 number in the 2019 Kiwanis directory under Williams. I got a rather strange message, something to the effect "If this is the party to whom you are calling, please hold". Then I got a person who said that my party was not there, and would I like to leave a message. I then said that I'm not sure I dialed the right number, and went back to the Kiwanis directory to verify. She confirmed the number, but never stated your name. She then said that I could leave a message. It was weird because she really sounded like a recording. Maybe this was a number that you used to have, or, the directory had the wrong number. I wonder who owns that number now?? If I had used the Association's website, I would have dialed the correct number 201-693-0010.

It was as if I were in a different dimension—maybe like Halloween Night!!

Ter

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From: Jane Sessler
Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 10:28 PM
To: Terry Card
Subject: Re: Safety and Security

No, I don't have an answering service. My phone # is 201-693-0010.

I was there for your talk and appreciated it all.

This is not about me, but about how everything many of us, including you, worked for years to maintain is being destroyed. We need to get more people to wake up.

Hi to Barb.

Jane

On Wed, Nov 17, 2021 at 8:05 PM Terry Card <btgolf2007@nc.rr.com> wrote:

Hi,

The good guys got another chop to the face. The email sent to you by Jim is very, very similar to the one I got from Pat Zlotin when I was ousted! Another case of a Committee's recommendations not being upheld at the Board level. Not sure you had arrived when I gave my thoughts about the Board's transparency during the Open Session. I'm sending it to you in case you did not hear my report. I have already supplied a copy to Paul and Mike Hughes, in hopes that they might find it useful to send out via WATCH. I left when you did, however, I didn't have an opportunity to get close enough to talk to you, as you were the star of the night, surrounded by your fans outside!! The expression on your face said it all—What gall on Pat's part. I'm glad I got to get in a few licks on Jim, but, most was aimed directly at Pat. I am confident that she and her Board will soon get what they deserve. I did get a chance to talk to Dick briefly.

Question: I tried to call you this afternoon, but, received your answering service. At first, I thought I had misdialed your number. Is this service something you have gotten to screen calls coming in? If so, it is very effective.

Talk to soon, as we continue to fight the Gestapo,

Ter

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From: [Jane Sessler](#)

Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 3:43 PM

Subject: Fwd: Safety and Security

[This is the message I just received and my reply....](#)

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From: **Jane Sessler** <janesessler@gmail.com>

Date: Wed, Nov 17, 2021 at 3:30 PM

Subject: Re: Safety and Security

To: Jim Greaves <Director3@7lakeswest.com>

You have still not stated why I may not serve as co-chair, and I plan to continue my work with the committee. And for the record, I did not feel "shamed" at all.

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