Harbor Ridge of Palm Harbor HOA BOD Project Status update Erosion Control Project August 2020

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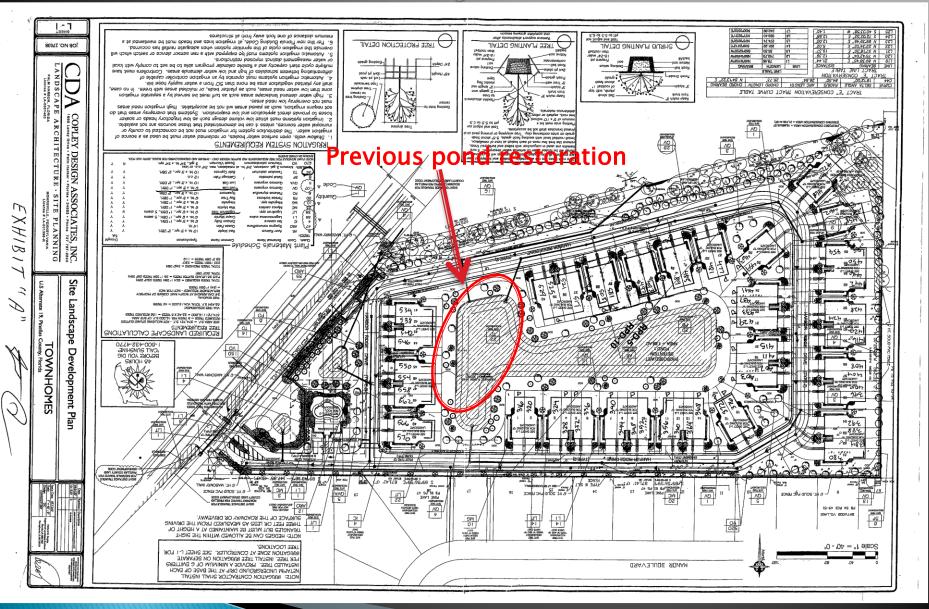
Erosion Control Project Background

- On Feb 2017 a Reserve Funding Study was commissioned to define the future financial needs (30 yrs.) for the upkeep of the community major components. The calculations included a 2.50% Inflation rate over the course of the study.
- At the time of the study, some erosion was noted at the large pond (1196' perimeter), recommending a remediation of the shoreline on 2020.
- The Funding Reserve Analysis is available to all homeowners at the Harbor Ridge of Palm Harbor HOA website (harborridge.org)

Erosion Control Project Current Situation

- Two Suppliers were invited to quote the Pond bank erosion remediation
 - Solitude Lake Management
 - Gulf Coast Lakes & Wetlands
- Information related to the original shoreline repair has been requested to Developer.
- During the inspections, both engineering firms suggested the erosion be driven by:
 - Wind (on the east side of the pond)
 - Water run off resulting from "buildings" around the pond

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Erosion Control Project Project Plan

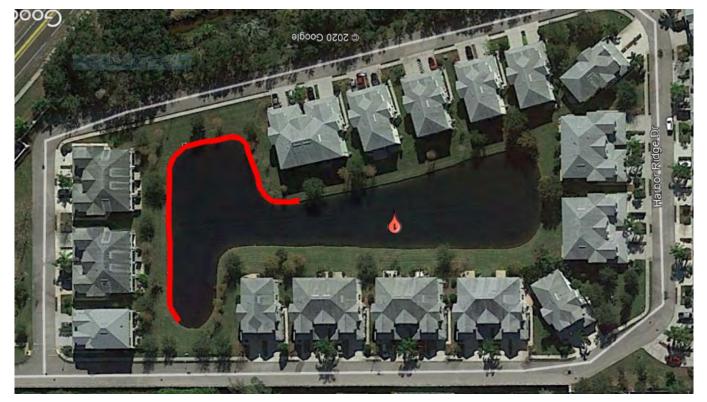
- Current members supporting project
 - Sonia Bermudez
 - Steve Bove
 - Nancy Hawkins
 - Don Donato
 - Dan McNeill
 - Herman Archie
- Legal consultation to define responsibility for gutters & drains installation cost
- Request Quotes to address Pond erosion
- Added to scope Gutters Installation Request Quotes
- Added to Scope Piping to direct water to pond Request Quotes
- Complete Engineering assessment Site visit on 9/7/20
- Evaluate Engineering recommendations Board members & support team
- Review with Suppliers to ensure alignment
- Review project funding requirements Schedule Special Meeting
- BOD vote on project execution
- Project execution

Erosion Control Project Current pond area aerial view



Erosion Control Project Proposed solutions

Pond bank – Install Dredge SOX 375LF – 12' wide



Note: The proposed area is about the same area previously repaired - is now showing deterioration with material used already exposed

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 Pond bank – Install aquatic vegetation 400LF – 3 rows in 4" – 18" of water



Erosion Control Project Scope expanded

Install gutters to manage water flow Quotes requested to:

- Home Love Construction
- Gutters Absolute
- Designer Gutter
- Gutter Man of Tampa Bay

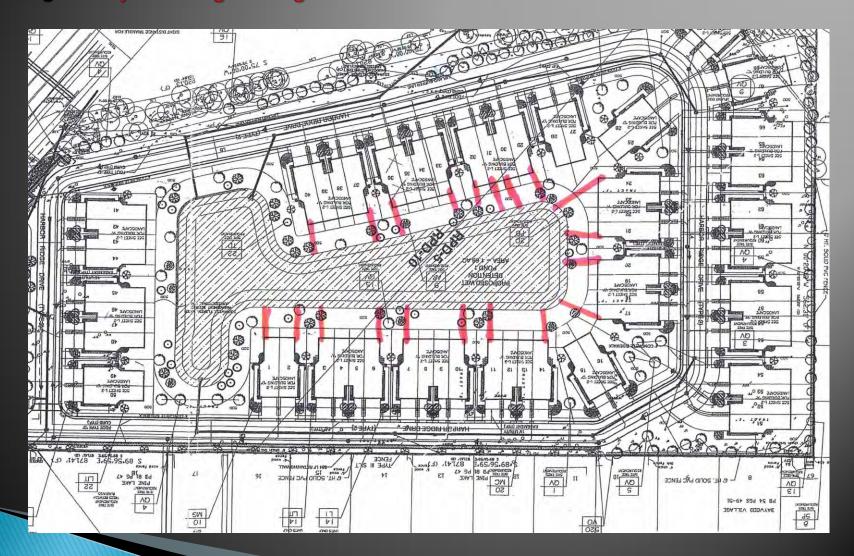
Connect gutters to an underground pipe to direct water to pond

Quote requested to.

- Southern Landscape Solutions
- Floridigenous Landscape

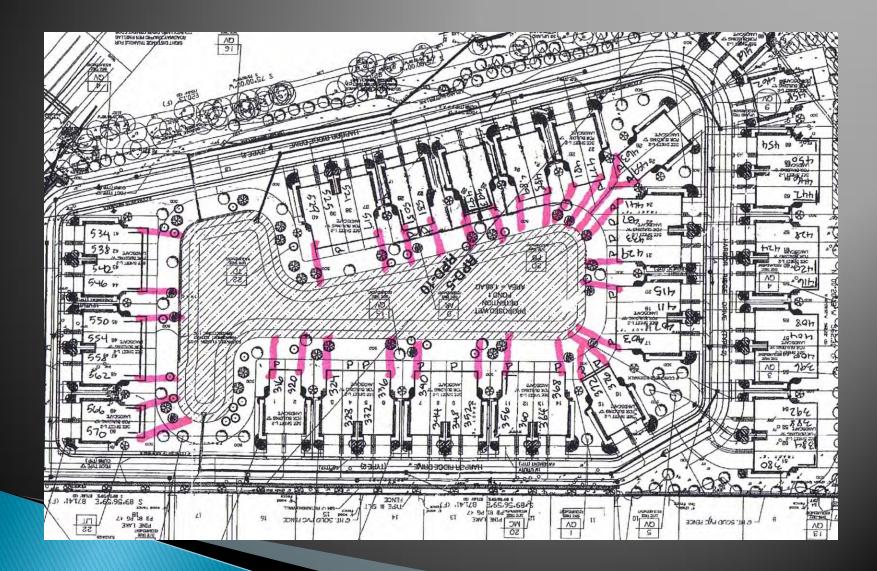
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Erosion Control Project Next step – Engineering Assessment

With the expanded scope, considering the financial investment and nature of the additional work proposed, the BOD majority voted on seeking technical support, to develop a comprehensive plan to address the erosion & drainage issues. **Site inspection scheduled for 9/7/20**

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Most all site design involved roadways, parking lots, drainage, sanitary sewer and water design and landscaping

Erosion Control Project Financial notes

- > Pond erosion Reserve project funding allocation \$40K on 2020.
- After reviewing the project scope and governing documents with legal counsel, it was concluded, the cost associated to the work required, and necessary for the maintenance & upkeep of the pond, is an HOA cost, as such, gutters on buildings & underground piping required to manage water flow to pond, is an HOA expense.
- Gutters Installation & underground piping expenses, required to manage water flow to pond, not in budget.
- Homeowners that have already installed gutters on their units should expect reimbursement based on the quote received by HOA for this project.
- The project cost and financial impact to HOA will be determined once the Engineering assessment report is received. Expected to be available before the end of September.