

Agenda Item Summary Sheet



Item No: **J-2**
Meeting Date: **April 7, 2020**

Item Title: Interim Town Manager Greg Sparks - Consideration of removal of street lights at US 158/Oak Knoll Drive

Item Summary:

In late 1999, the Board approved the installation of streetlights on US 158, near the entrance of Nags Head Pond subdivision in response to citizen complaints of dangerous conditions regarding late night pedestrian crossings from Kelly's and Slammin' Sammy's. Commissioner Fuller brought forward a request for staff to review the current conditions and make recommendations for maintaining or removing the lights. Staff has reviewed the history for the necessity of the additional light in this vicinity for pedestrian safety and believes the lights are no longer warranted. Removal of the lights would be consistent with Nags Head philosophy of "dark sky".

The cost of electricity for these lights is as follows:

- (1) 250W HPS Cobra/Enclosed at \$19.80/month or \$237.60 annual
- (3) 400W HPS Cobra/Enclosed at each at \$31.27/month or \$1,125.72 annual
- (1) 400W Equivalent Tier 8 LED Cobra/Enclosed at \$22.33/month or \$267.96 annual

TOTAL ANNUAL SAVINGS: \$1,631.28

Staff has confirmed with Dominion that there is no cost associated with removal of the poles.

Staff recommends Board approval for removal of the five streetlights and replacement with low level lighting consistent with neighborhood entrance standards.

Number of Attachments: 0

Specific Action Requested:

Request approval for removal of the five streetlights and replacement with low level lighting.

Submitted By: Administration

Date: March 30, 2021

Finance Officer Comment:

Insufficient information to determine fiscal impact.

Signature: Amy Miller

Date: March 30, 2021

Town Attorney Comment:

N/A

Signature: John Leidy

Date: March 30, 2021

Town Manager Comment and/or Recommendation:

Update provided for Board information.

Signature: Greg Sparks

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Greg Sparks".

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