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EDEN ISLES HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION MEETING TO BE HELD ON MARCH 27TH

Eden Isles Homeowner's Association March 27th meeting will be held at Salmen High School Gymnasium at 7:30 PM. The agenda will include committee reports, formation of a nominating committee to elect a new board member, CLECO representative, John Braun's, presentation regarding the 2 year project to replace all underground cables in Eden Isles and judgeship candidate Jim Strain will introduce himself to area homeowners. A plan for services to be provided by the Eden Isles Community Services District will also be introduced for membership approval order that it may be submitted to the Eden Isles Community Service District for the April 3rd public hearing.

EDEN ISLES COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD ON APRIL 3RD AT ABNEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AT 7:30 PM

It is important that as many homeowner's as possible attend the upcoming public hearing regarding a plan for security and other services to be held on April 3rd. Members of the Commission are going to present their own plans for our security and grounds maintenance. Some Commissioners believe that the legislation is not specific with respect to whether there should be private security guards of sheriff's deputies and their plan will have sheriff's deputies in patrol cars instead of private security guards in the guard houses.

Your views for this District's contract services are important to the success of this District. Please plan to attend the next few meetings as these are the most important in terms of what will appear in a plan at a referendum for your consideration.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE RESPONDS TO QUESTIONS PRESENTED TO THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY BY THE EDEN ISLES COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

The Attorney General's office recently replied to the question of the constitutionality of the enabling legislation for the Eden Isles Community Services District. The AG's office stated that it will not rule on the constitutionality of the Eden Isles Community Services District legislation. If the District Attorney has specific questions regarding particular aspects of the legislation then it has been requested to provide specific concerns along with memorandum of authority supporting these concerns. Mr. Gary Dragon has stated that the District Attorney's office has never provided memorandum of authority because it is too time consuming, however, he will resubmit a list of specific questions regarding the contracting for private security service by a public body. He is aware that the City of New Orleans, Sheriff Charles Foti and the Criminal Courts now contract with private security details to supplement their reduced manpower. Mr. Dragon's primary question was whether we could combine a variety of services under one District rather than creating a separate District for each service. Mr. Dragon stated that his first impression of the legislation was that it appeared to provide as many services as a city would normally provide and this concerned him. In addition to Mr. Dragon's duties as Assistant District Attorney he shares a private law office at 495 Bosworth Avenue in Slidell with the law firm of Brook, Morial, Cassibry, Fraiche & Pizza, Neil Alford, Joyce Christainsen and Elaine Guillot. He can be reached at the District Attorney's office number 646-4083 or his private office number of 649-2609.

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Escargots de Bourgogne	4.95
Shrimp Cézanne	4.25
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<i>Sautéed with Crabmeat</i>	

Soupe

Soupe du Jour	1.75
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Salade

Caesar Salad	6.50
<i>Made at tableside, for two</i>	
House Salad	1.75

DESSERT

Mousse au Chocolat	2.50
Flan au Caramel	3.50
<i>Vanilla custard and caramel</i>	
Cherries Jubilee	1.50
Banane Flambee	1.50
<i>Banana, brown sugar and liqueurs, flamed and served with ice cream. Tableside for two</i>	

Specialty dessert of the day

Ask about our extended wine list

HOURS

LUNCH	MON-FRI	11:30 - 2:00
DINNER	MON-THU	5:30 - 9:30
	FRI/SAT	5:30 - 10:00

Entrees

All entrees are accompanied by fresh vegetables of the season

Poisson

Soft Shell Crab Sainte Victoire	11.25
<i>Soft Shell crab lightly fried and served with oyster and mushroom sauce</i>	
Soft Shell Crab Meunière	11.25
<i>Delicately fried soft shell crab, glazed with lemon butter sauce</i>	
Trout Meunière or Amandine	10.25
<i>Sautéed filet of trout with lemon butter sauce or with sliced almonds</i>	
Broiled Trout	11.25
<i>With crabmeat lemon butter</i>	
Trout Suprême	11.25
<i>Filet of trout sautéed in butter, topped with shrimp and mushrooms in Hollandaise sauce</i>	
Shrimp Mistral	9.95
<i>Shrimp sautéed with green onions, flamed in Herbesaint and simmered in a light cream sauce</i>	
Shrimp Cézanne	9.95
<i>Shrimp simmered slowly in a garlic and paprika sauce</i>	
Oysters Brochette	9.95
<i>Select Louisiana oysters delicately fried and glazed with a tangy lemon butter sa</i>	
Shrimp Brochette	9.95
<i>Grilled shrimp glazed with spicic butter</i>	
Bayou Pasta	9.95
<i>Oysters and fettuccine</i>	
Veau Nature	10.25
<i>Baby white veal covered with white wine lemon butter</i>	
Veau Lyonnaise	10.95
<i>Delectable baby white veal topped with melted swiss cheese and light cream sauce</i>	
Veau des Beaux Frères	10.50
<i>Sautéed baby white veal in a mushroom and wine sauce</i>	
Agneau aux Herbes de Provence	14.00
<i>Lamb Chop with herbs and spices</i>	
Filet Henri IV	14.50
<i>Grilled filet served with Beamaise sauce</i>	
Filet au Poivre	14.00
<i>Filet flamed with cognac and green peppercorn sauce</i>	
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On March 7th, Milton Gibson was sworn-in as the new police juror for the 13th District. Congratulations to Milton, and we must now all get behind him to improve our District.

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Having no sidewalks in Eden Isles means that pedestrians, including children, must walk in the roadways. This fact plus the increasing use of bicycles means that automotive traffic has to share the roads. Please drive carefully and obey the speed limit and other traffic rules.

The E.I. Safety Committee has compiled a listing of "SLOW CHILDREN" and other sign locations, which has been forwarded to the Police Jury. If a resident has a particular addition or suggestion regarding this effort, contact me. Recommendations are welcome.

Bicycles are a popular means of transportation with young and old. As vehicles, however, they have to follow the rules of the road including stop signs and traveling on the correct side of the road. Parents, please teach your young bicyclists the rules of the road and safe operation.

It should be noted that the Sheriff's Department is monitoring traffic from time to time along the Eden Isles Boulevard, Winward Passage, and other streets. Violators will be ticketed so take care to follow traffic rules.

Another issue that has arisen during this season is open burning. Outside rubbish and field grass burning is allowed by permit only. Contact the Parish Permit Office if the need occurs. However, if the reason for burning is tall grass in unattended vacant lots, contact the Homeowner's Cutting Committee (646-4166).

Vacant lots have been a serious chronic problem here and is one of the major reasons behind establishing the Service District. The District would have the clout to deal with the absent owners. Remember, fire can be tricky and even a seemingly small grass fire can generate enough heat to dissipate the stream of water from a garden hose before it can reach the fire. And this out-of-control condition can happen very rapidly.

SAFETY (continued):

Also, the following should be mentioned. On some of the narrower streets, especially near contractor sites, vehicles have been parking on both sides. This bottleneck effect can impede the large fire apparatus if the fire department has to get through. Please keep this need in mind when parking. And please keep corners and hydrants clear.

Finally, several have complained about safety lights being out at road construction sites - Pebble Beach and Marina Drives. Landmark has been informed and has promised to keep after this problem. Let me know if they are not keeping up with it.

See you next issue.

SAFE BOATING COURSE

Tammany Yacht Club will be holding a safe boating course. Registration is 13 April at 7:30 PM at the Tammany Yacht Club at Bayou Liberty Road and Thompson Road. Call 568-1953.

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LAWN AND GARDEN TIPS FOR APRIL

by Diane Liuzza
Gardens of Eden Garden Center

Peaches, plums, apples, and pears all need to be sprayed on a regular basis to prevent insects and diseases from taking their toll. You may want to consider the following simplified spray schedule designed specifically for the homeowner.

Spray fruit trees at the following intervals:

- (1) Petal fall - when 75% of the blossom petals have fallen.
 - (2) Shuck split - when the leaf scale below the petals fall off - this happens about 10-14 days after petal fall.
 - (3) First cover spray 10-14 days after shuck split.
 - (4) Second cover spray 14-21 days after first cover spray.
- Repeat second cover spray every 10-14 days up to 10 days of harvest.

The best combination of insecticide and fungicide to use will be Sevin or Malathion and Captan or Benomyl. There is also a good product on the market called ACG which combines both in one spray.

Spray trunks of borer susceptible trees with Lindane to prevent these damaging insects.

Control black spot on roses by using Funginex or Benomyl. Control applied with Malathion.

Control camellia scale with Dimethoate (Cygon) or oil spray.

Spray pine trees with Dimethoate (Cygon) to control pine tip moth from killing the tips of new growth.

Prune and fertilize all spring flowering shrubs after they have bloomed, such as spirea, flower quince, camellia, azaleas, jasmine.

LAWN AND GARDEN TIPS (continued)

Lawn fertilization - Turf grass in order to thrive must be fertilized properly. Most lawn grasses especially here in Eden Isles require large amounts of nitrogen and potassium, due to weekly losses of grass blades from mowing and poor soil. Nutrients in the soil are utilized during regrowth and consequently are required in larger amounts than most other horticultural crops. Soil PH is very important to certain turf grasses especially centipede. The PH has a direct relationship upon nutrient availability, rooting and the activity of soil micro-organisms.

Centipede grass need a PH of about 5.5-4.5. In most cases the PH of the existing soil in Eden Isles is good for centipede, but too low for St. Augustine. There is usually no need to add lime to a centipede lawn.



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QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS REGARDING THE PROPOSED NAME CHANGE OF EDEN ISLES

As of March 13 there have been a total of 76 responses to the questionnaire in the last newsletter regarding the consideration of a possible name change for Eden Isles.

There are two ways to approach a name change. One way is to change the marketing name of our community and the other way is to change the legal name. The former approach could be done by proclamation and is less involved than attempting to change the legal name from Eden Isles. The Board of Directors is investigating the least costly and less time consuming approach in the event this becomes a popular idea.

To date the responses have been as follows:

- 1) In favor of changing the name to Eden Isles of Oak Harbor - 27 votes.
- 2) In favor of changing the name to Oak Harbor - 26 votes.
- 3) In favor of remaining Eden Isles - 23 votes.

It appears that approximately 2/3rds of the vote is in favor of using the name Oak Harbor in some fashion. The fact that 23 votes are for maintaining the name solely as Eden Isles and 27 are in favor of preserving the name of Eden Isles with the addition of Oak Harbor would indicate that majority of residents do not wish to see the name Eden Isles be discarded.

If you have not responded yet and have an opinion on this subject, please fill out the questionnaire in this section.

QUESTIONNAIRE:

I am in favor of:

- 1) Changing the name of Eden Isles to Oak Harbor.
- 2) Changing the name of Eden Isles to Eden Isles of Oak Harbor.
- 3) Keeping the name of Eden Isles.
- 4) Other

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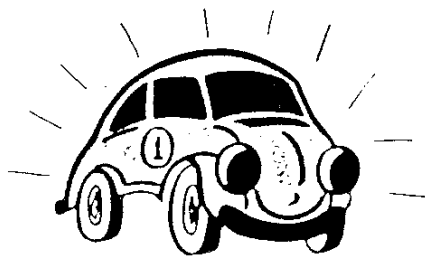
A PETITION TO RETAIN AND ENHANCE THE CURRENT SECURITY SERVICES

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Erin Harris	649-0296
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Shawn Verges	649-5315
Sandy Key	643-8693

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Renee Hurley
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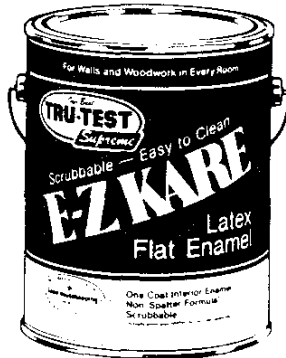
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