# MINUTES COLINGTON HARBOUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING November 16, 2021 7:00 PM

Call To Order: Meeting was called to order at 7:00 – Stephen Ornstein

Present:

Leah Holmes, Secretary

Stephen Ornstein, President

Bill Meyer, Member At Large

John Collins, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President, Treasurer

David Creecy, Member At Large

#### Absent:

Daniel Hoggard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Howard Snyder, Chairman

## **Others Present:**

Donna Price, Community Manager

Approval of Agenda – Agenda approved as presented - John Collins 1st, Bill Meyer 2nd – All in favor

**Approval of Minutes** – November 9, 2021 – Approved as presented – John Collins 1<sup>st</sup>, Stephen Ornsein 2<sup>nd</sup> - All in favor

Homeowners Forum: A homeowners forum was held

### **Officers Reports**

Stephen Ornstein, President: Leah Holmes, Secretary, was asked to read a petition that has been filed on behalf of homeowners for the removal of Daniel Hoggard from the Board of Directors.

Stephen announced that per policy, a 12-person committee will be formed to review the petition and asked for volunteers.\*

John Collins, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President: No Report Daniel Hoggard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President: Absent

Howard Snyder, Chairman: Absent

John Collins, Treasurer: Gave a report on the budget

Leah Holmes, Secretary: No Report Bill Meyer, Member at Large: No Report David Creecy, Member at Large: No Report

## **Old Business**

111, 113, and 115 Clipper Ct - A motion was made to sell - Bill Meyer 1<sup>st</sup>, Leah Holmes 2<sup>nd</sup> - All in favor 217 Kitty Hawk Bay Drive, 263 Outrigger Drive, and 217 Outrigger - Variances - Issues resolved Review of Covenants - 47F - Tabled until December meeting Colony Lake/Sunset Drive - Tabled until January meeting South Bulkhead - A motion was made to use funds from Capital Reserves - David Creecy 1<sup>st</sup>, Leah Holmes 2<sup>nd</sup> - All in favor

#### **New Business:**

No new business

Adjournment: 7:50P - David Creecy 1st, Leah Holmes 2nd - All in favor

<sup>\*</sup>See attachment

This document, signed by 26 homeowners in good standing, is hereby submitted to the Colington Harbour Association Board of Directors on this date, 1/12/2021, for the purpose of requesting the removal of Board member, Daniel Stephen/Hoggard, pursuant to the Declaration of By-Laws of Colington Harbour Association, Inc., Article V, Section 6, which states the following:

"A Director may be removed only for just cause with formal charges stated in writing and bearing the signatures of twenty-five (25) Members in good standing. Upon receiving said charges, the Board will appoint a committee of twelve (12) Members to hold hearings on the charges. No signer of the charges or no officer or member of the Board shall be a member of the impeachment committee. The chairman of this committee shall be elected by the members, and shall have full voting powers in the committee. A finding of 'just cause for impeachment' sustained by two-thirds (¾) vote of the committee shall automatically remove the impeached officer from his office."

Per the Declaration of By-Laws of Colington Harbour Association, Inc., Article V, Section 6, the following charges will provide the basis for the just cause removal of Mr. Hoggard from the Board of Directors.

Mr. Hoggard is well known in our community for his strong opinions and threatening statements. His many social media posts over the last year, which were available to the general public until approximately six months ago, were filled with violent themes and a preoccupation with weapons. As of October 19, 2021, his publicly available Facebook profile page, under his name and photo, states "I'm a great friend and an epic enemy. If you see this, we're friends. If not, watch your 6." The threatening tone continues.

Mr. Hoggard identifies himself as a "Three Percenter," an extremist group associated with resistance to the U. S. federal government. He proudly flies this flag and has the decal on his vehicle.

As of October 19, 2021, Mr. Hoggard is flying on his residence a flag depicting a profanity, "F--k Biden," with the American Flag interposed between the words and concealing two letters of the first word. His residence is the first home you see as you pass through the gate, and is located close to the school bus stop.

On October 19, 2021, in the face of outrage within the community, Mr. Hoggard posted an angry response on the Colington Neighbors page, declaring his beliefs and his rights, without acknowledging how others may have been affected by his actions. In the post, he called the president of the Board a "Marxist President" and attributed to him all manner of wrongdoing and threatened legal action.

Please find attached to this document evidence of the aforementioned conduct on the part of Mr. Hoggard. These include photographs (screenshots) from social media that accurately

reflect and document his photos and statements. These provide his name as the poster and most include the date he posted.

Also, attached is a photograph taken of the flag flown by Mr. Hoggard at his residence, taken October 19, 2021, which was described above.

Mr. Hoggard, as a Board Member, should be interested in representing our community in the most welcoming, and favorable way. The flags he flies are one of the first things a visitor to our community sees. The condition of his residence, with piles of belongings under his house, also doesn't seem consistent with efforts of the Board to maintain our community in an orderly fashion.

Any member of any Board is expected to have the ability to function within a group setting, interacting with others who are likely to have views different from her/her own. Integral in that is the expectation the Board member would be willing and able to respectfully listen to opposing views, engage in discussions, and discern what is best for the organization as a whole. Mr. Hoggard is clearly at odds with the Board President. How can he continue on the Board, given his very public name-calling and accusations? He has a pattern of refusing to accept differing opinions and instead attacks and threatens others who don't agree with him. He appears to believe that others are wrong and only he is right.

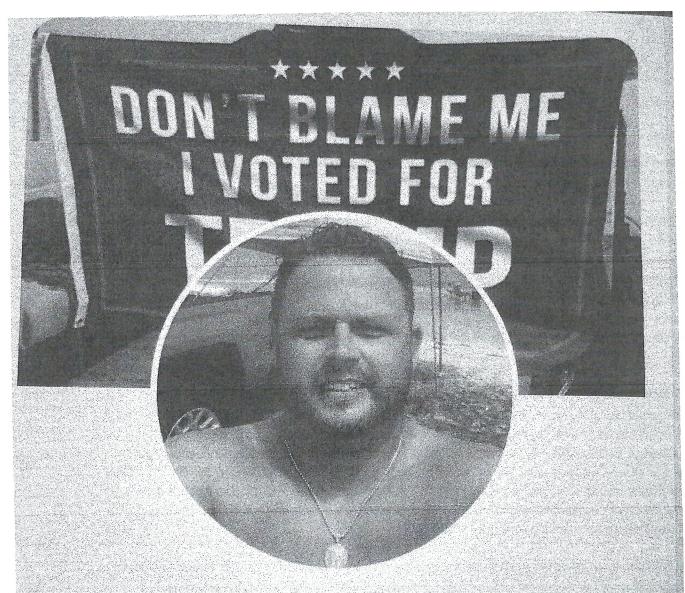
The ongoing pattern of conduct of Mr. Hoggard has created and continues to create division within our community. He clearly has no regard for societal norms. He appears to be preoccupied with violence and threats of violence, and acting in ways that provoke a reaction. This conduct calls into question his ability to exercise sound judgment when making decisions that affect others. From his public communications, it's apparent that he is unable or unwilling to set aside his very strong opinions to listen to or acknowledge the concerns or opinions of others.

Mr. Hoggard's continued involvement on the Board will only serve to undermine confidence and interfere with the efforts of the Board to work for the good of our community as a whole.

It is known that the Board has previously attempted to address Mr. Hoggard's conduct with him, in an attempt to resolve the community's concerns. Clearly, those efforts were futile as evidenced by his ongoing and current behavior.

The residents of Colington Harbour are, therefore, left with no choice but to ask, and insist, upon the removal of Mr. Hoggard from the Board.

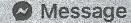
It is expected that the process as outlined in the By-Laws for removal will commence immediately upon receipt of this document.



# Daniel Stephen Hoggard (Daniel)

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See Daniel's About Info



Daniel Stephen Hoggard

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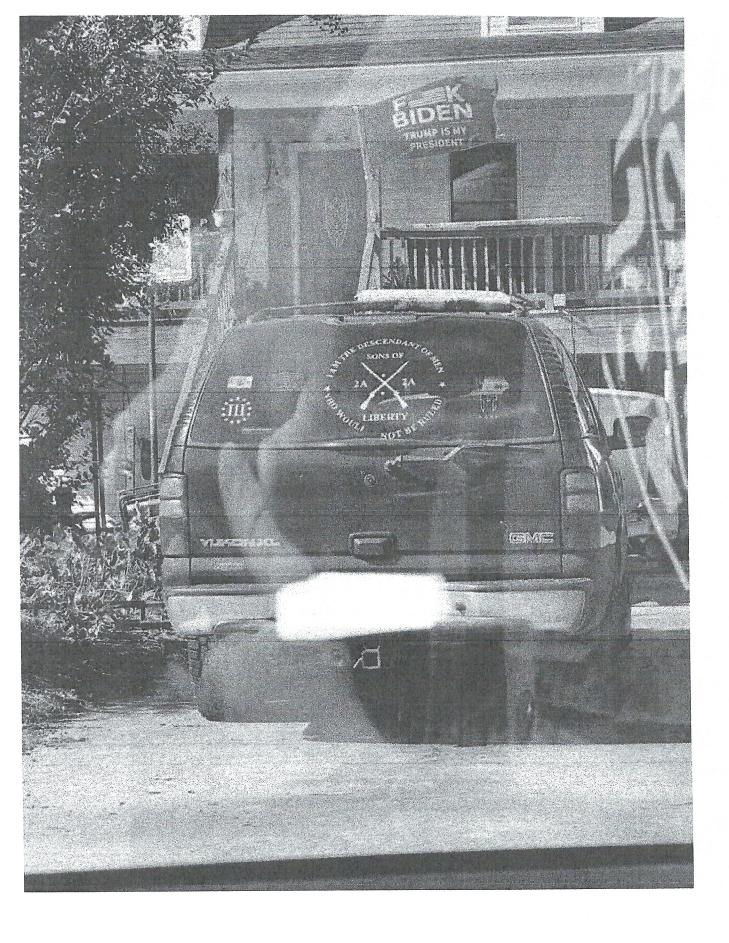












#### Comments







Daniel Stephen Hoggard

My disdain for this POTUS and his authorization policies, including the mandating of untested genetic therapies on the population of our nation, which has already led to the deaths of thousands of young people and tens of thousands of adults (including some of my family and friends), our borders to be open, inflation to skyrocket, our supply chain to break down, our energy independence to be destroyed, far exceeds the language portrayed on the flag in question. Socialism and communism inherently bring about authoritarianism and violence in government. I put up the flag to awaken people from the onward march of sheep headed off the cliff. The language is a bit brash, but is censored for that reason, although my sentiment for these actions stands.

The flag was posted to incite discussion and has done so. My position on the CHA BOD does not prevent or preclude my rights under the US Constitution to Free Speech nor does it waive any claims under the law to be free of harassment or violation of these rights, no more than it does the President of the HOA who kept the sign of a communist terrorist organization that has rioted, luted and murdered, causing untold death and destruction across our nation in the past few years. The odd thing is that the covenants of this neighborhood do NOT regulate flags, but strictly prohibit the sign that stayed in the openly Marxist President of our HOA's yard for months until he was threatened with censure himself. Meanwhile, while others in this community were fined for having those same signs and others, Mr. Ornstein saw no such fines, and abused his position on the CHA BOD to prevent same. Despite this, and the admitted fact that the CHA does not have any authority to regulate this matter, Mr. Ornstein is using his authority and position as absentee President of this HOA to threaten me, and vowing to further harass me in this matter, all without holding a vote of the CHA BOD to take said actions. I believe doing so is a flagrant violation of my constitutional rights and abuse of his position, and obviously opens. up the CHA to legal liability.

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The effort I put into NOT being SERIAL really needs to be Acknowledged

Daniel Stephen Hoggard

