

Pelican Landing Community Association Request for Funds

Initiator: Thomas Schemenaur Date: 9/15/08

I. Proposed Amount to be Approved: \$3,519.20 Funding Source: Reserves

(Note: Expenditures over \$1000 require three bids from vendors)

II. Purpose of the Request:

This is to replace the last bank of old batteries in the power storage system that powers the restrooms, well pump and the monitoring system and cameras These batteries are about 4 years old and are not performing the way they should. In fact they are drawing down our newer batteries so storage of power has been shortened. The old batteries were not designed for this type of usage.

III. Background:

We have a total of 48 batteries; so far we have replaced 32 with batteries that are designed for our solar and generator system. We need to replace the last 16 to obtain maximum performance go further reduce our usage of fuel. As the better the power storage system works the less the generator is used.

IV. Alternatives Considered and Reasons for Rejection:

There are no other alternatives for this system.

V. Approvals and Endorsements

CAM 9/15/08 Dept Head 9/15/08 Committee Chair

Finance Committee Chair date: Recommend 9/16/08 Oppose ___ Abstain ___

UOC date: _____ PLCA Board date: _____

* Explain abstentions