

# Pelican Landing Community Association Request for Funds

Initiator: Sailing Date: September 9, 2008

I. Proposed Amount to be Approved: \$8,500 Funding Source: Reserves

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

II. Purpose of the Request:

To replace two sunfish boats that are leaking.

III. Background:

These hulls are 6 years old and have been used extensively. Hull No. 1 has a severe crack in the center board trunk. This is a slit in the deck that is only 1 ½ " wide and is very difficult to access for repairs. Repairs have been attempted 3 times without success This hull cannot be used.

Hull N. 4 also has a leak that fills the hull with water after every use. There is a crack along the chine that has been resurfaced three times without success

These hulls are not safe to be on the water.

Given the age of all hulls, replacement of one hull annually should be considered to keep the fleet in good repair. All 8 hulls have undergone some repairs: some more serious than others.

IV. Alternatives Considered and Reasons for Rejection:

Repairs have been attempted three times without success. Even if they are repaired there is no guarantee they will last.

Purchase of used boats has been considered. Two years ago these were in the paper every other week; none have been found in the past year. Though this would be a viable option there is no guarantee they do not also have leaks.

V. Approvals and Endorsements

CAM Sept. 9, 2008 Dept Head Sept. 9, 2008 Committee Chair

Finance Committee Chair: Endorse Sept. 16, 2008 Oppose \_\_\_\_\_ Abstain \_\_\_\_\_

UOC date: \_\_\_\_\_ PLCA Board date: \_\_\_\_\_