Villages of Valencia Homeowners Association, Inc Minutes of Special Board Meeting On Decorum September 1st, 2023

Minutes of September 1st, 2023 Minutes of Special Board Meeting On Decorum

- 1. **Purpose of meeting:** Discuss Board member decorum as a Director of the Villages of Valencia and specifically recent activity of Brandon Jeans.
- 2. Call to Order Victor Depallo called the meeting to order at 4:30 PM, September 1st 2023
- 3. **Proof of Notice -** Proof of notice was posted
- 4. Roll Call

Victor DePallo – President

John Hart – Vice President

Harold "Kim" Shailer – Treasurer / Secretary

Brandon Jeans - Director

Joseph Ciaramitaro - Director

- 5. Quorum Established A quorum of the Board was present
- 6. Approval of Minutes None
- 7. Committee Reports: None
- 8. Unfinished Business None
- 9. New Business:
 - a. Chairman opened the meeting and moved directly into a committee as a whole format, opening the discussion to owners present (approximately 30), asking each to share their concerns / opinions of Director Jeans's decorum.
 - i. Many members spoke of Mr. Jeans poor and threatening language in social media and emails.
 - ii. Other owners also expressed fear for their safety of what Mr. Jeans might do to them.
 - iii. Some owners wanted the board to remove Mr Jeans.
 - iv. Mr. Jeans made a general apology and said he was willing to write an apology for general distribution.
 - v. Some members accepted Mr. Jeans' verbal apology.
 - vi. The President stated he would take action in a timely manner to:
 - Authorize The board to seek council on procedures for removing a member, as there is a discrepancy between our Bylaws and FS 720
 - Formulate a plan to council Mr Jeans, develop a board policy on proper decorum and acceptable social media participation
 - Request Mr Jeans produce an apology letter for board approval and distribution council
- 10. Adjournment President DePallo adjourned the meeting at 5:45 pm.