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A Message From the Board of Governors

April 4, 2024

GNBA neighbors and friends.

I wish to thank everyone who attended last night's BOG meeting. There was great interest and varied opinions for items on our agenda and the happenings at the court regarding pickleball especially.

I and the Board feel compelled to find some sort of relief for the neighbors of the clubhouse relating to noise generated from pickle ball and basketball while at the same time still encouraging the pickleball and basketball enthusiasts to get out and exercise and enjoy the benefits of this game and the facilities we all shared an investment in.

There is a solution and the many comments from all of those who attended and shared their thoughts brought good ideas and new perspectives to the conversation: information that helps greatly for us to understand the direction the association wants to move in.

We have met since August of last year to hear opinions, concerns, and ideas about how to create a respectful balance on this issue.

Last night, the Board voted to mandate quieter paddles and balls for use this season by all players and called for responsible reactions to the excitement of the games in progress. We will measure the noise levels and have a small amount of the quieter equipment available for community use for those who don't own these quieter paddles and balls.

We will look at options that will mitigate basketball noise as well. We will continue to discuss the path forward at our meetings and around the neighborhood. Please reach out to me or any of the board members if you have thoughts or ideas to share. We are a volunteer board working to help the community we live in.

Opinions should always be shared in a positive and respectful manner from us and towards us. We have implemented Zoom for all our meetings to encourage greater participation by the community- agendas with the Zoom sign-in are posted online and on the bulletin board for your convenience.

Thank you and looking forward to a beautiful and enjoyable for all summer season!

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