

# NOTICE TO OWNERS 2012 MAINTENANCE FEES

Sunday December 18, 2012

The Board of Directors has determined the 2012 Operating Budget for MTCC #600. Maintenance Fees for the coming year will **increase by only 2.6%.** The new rates are:

# The 2012 rates will increase by \$25 per month or 2.6.% over 2011 to the following levels:

Commercial Unit \$1,110.00 per month Residential Units \$980.00 per month

#### **How the Increase Breaks Down**

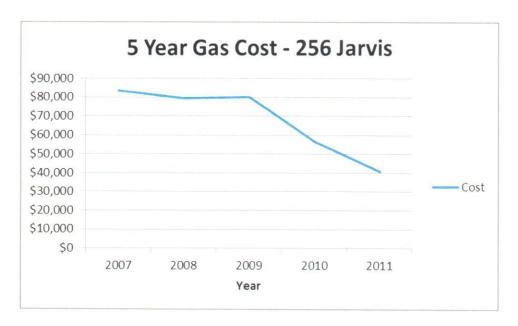
Of the \$25 monthly residential increase, roughly half of it (\$11.50) goes directly to the Reserve Fund. As you know, there is no latitude in that portion. We increase the contribution to the Reserve Fund exactly according to the Reserve Fund Study. What that means is the remainder of the increase \$13.50, represents a 1.4% increase in operating costs. We are pretty happy with that number since it includes some one-time big ticket items explained below.

#### **History of Maintenance Fee Increases**

Year	Increase over Previous Year
2007 v 2006	\$55.00
2008 v 2007	\$35.00
2009 v 2008	\$10.00
2010 v 2009	zero
2011 v 2010	\$60.00
2012 v 2011	\$25.00

# Where did we save the most in 2011?

The biggest area is Gas. We are down more than \$14,000 from our 2011 budget. In 2011, we are seeing the fully year effect of the investment we made in energy efficient hot water boilers we installed in 2010. As you can see from the chart below which depicts our gas cost over the last 5 years, our cost has plummeted such that our full year 2011 cost is projected to be half what it was in any of 2007, 2008 or 2009.



Our gas buying contract, which has historically been good for us, is up for renewal this year in August. Current indications are that we will be able to lower our cost per cubic foot.

We also saved \$6,000 in Professional Fees but we will spend that and more in 2012 for important projects. More on that in a moment.

## Where Are We Up in Spending in 2011?

General Exterior Repair & Miscellaneous – Here we are up \$15,000 over our 2011 Budget and that is because of two major items. We replaced the outer lobby grill that had deteriorated over the past 20 years and we repainted the outside of the building, on the bottom section of front and breezeway area.

#### Special Items in 2012 Budget

Professional Fees – There are 2 big projects where we will be spending money for Professional Fees next year. One is a study regarding the security of our precast slabs on the exterior of the building. We had planned this for 2011 but the work will be done in 2012. The other is water seepage into the P1 and P2 levels. You can read more about both these projects in paragraphs 3.5 and 3.6 of the November 14/11 Board Meeting Minutes. But they are both important, and hopefully both just one time expenses.

Fire Safety – We will also be up by \$5,000 in fire safety and as we always say, this is another area where we don't take any shortcuts. Keeping the building up to code is a primary responsibility and we will spend some more money in 2012 on that.

A detailed description of our Operating Budget is attached, showing each item of the 2011 Forecast and 2012 Budget, along with notes explaining the calculation of each.

Please provide post-dated cheques for the year dated the  $1^{st}$  of each month commencing January 1, 2012, payable to MTCC #600 and have them delivered to the Office – Suite 2C, no later than Tuesday, December  $27^{th}$ , 2011.

For those of you who are on the Pre-Authorized Payment Program (which is the majority of the building), you don't have to lift a finger.

If you want to be on the Pre-Authorized Payment Program, please place a void cheque in an envelope to the attention of Greg Geralde, and put it in the office mail box before the Tuesday, December 27<sup>th</sup> deadline.

Gregory B. Geralde, CGA

Treasurer for

The Board of Directors, MTCC #600

#### M.T.C.C. 600 STATEMENT OF OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE 2012 OPERATING BUDGET

	Column 1 Oct. 2011 YTD	Column 2 2011 BUDGET	Column 3 2011 FORECAST	Column 4 2012 BUDGET
INCOME				
Maintenance Fees Key/Card Fees Status Certificate Fees Moving Fees Lease income Other Income	\$527,405.00 50.00 100.00 450.00 400.00 1,210.00	\$631,740.00 150.00 200.00 200.00 400.00 1,000.00	\$631,740.00 50.00 100.00 450.00 400.00 1,210.00	\$648,360.00 100.00 300.00 300.00 400.00 1,200.00
Total Income	\$529,615.00	\$633,690.00	\$633,950.00	\$650,660.00
EXPENDITURES				
Administrative				
Audit Bank Charges Legal Office Professional Fees	\$4,294.00 658.00 0.00 2,619.00 <u>236.00</u>	\$4,200.00 1,400.00 1,500.00 5,000.00 7,200.00	\$4,294.00 858.00 0.00 3,000.00 <u>1,136.00</u>	\$4,200.00 1,100.00 1,500.00 4,500.00 18,000.00
Total Administrative	\$7,807.00	\$19,300.00	\$9,288.00	\$29,300.00
Personnel				
Regular Wages Weekend Relief E.I. Employer C.P.P. Employer WSIB Employer Third Party Relief Wages Telephone / Internet	\$30,520.00 3,360.00 844.00 1,972.00 1,125.00 2,250.00 <u>1,532.00</u>	\$39,828.00 4,160.00 1,110.00 2,400.00 1,600.00 3,500.00 2,500.00	\$38,645.00 4,160.00 1,065.00 2,118.00 1,300.00 2,900.00 2,200.00	\$39,800.00 4,160.00 1,110.00 2,400.00 1,600.00 3,500.00 2,500.00
Total Personnel	\$41,603.00	\$55,098.00	\$52,388.00	\$55,070.00

#### M.T.C.C. 600 STATEMENT OF OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE 2011 OPERATING BUDGET

20	Column 1 Oct. 2011	Column 2 2011	Column 3 2011	Column 4 2012
	YTD	BUDGET	FORECAST	BUDGET
Operating Services				
Cleaning Services (Exterior) Cleaning Services (Interior) Compactor Elevators Fire Safety Grounds HVAC Insurance Laundry Pest Control Property Taxes Security	\$3,091.00 499.00 565.00 16,532.00 5,046.00 1,088.00 28,017.00 15,366.00 0.00 509.00 2,815.00 13,388.00	\$4,000.00 1,400.00 2,080.00 20,000.00 10,000.00 1,500.00 33,700.00 16,635.00 0.00 750.00 2,900.00 19,350.00	\$3,200.00 840.00 565.00 19,800.00 6,046.00 1,200.00 28,233.00 15,366.00 0.00 600.00 2,815.00 16,152.00	\$4,000.00 1,400.00 2,000.00 21,000.00 11,000.00 3,500.00 29,000.00 16,000.00 0.00 750.00 2,900.00 18,550.00
Total Operating Services	\$86,916.00	\$112,315.00	\$94,817.00	\$110,100.00
Operating Supplies				
Cleaning Supplies Grounds Supplies Lighting Supplies Recreational Supplies	\$1,748.00 1,168.00 498.00 <u>520.00</u>	\$3,000.00 1,500.00 500.00 3,000.00	\$2,500.00 1,168.00 1,000.00 <u>520.00</u>	\$3,000.00 1,500.00 500.00 3,000.00
Total Operating Supplies	\$3,934.00	\$8,000.00	\$5,188.00	\$8,000.00
Operating Utilities				
Cable TV Diesel Fuel & Equipment Electricity Gas Water & Sewer	\$26,967.00 467.00 47,472.00 32,617.00 20,500.00	\$34,000.00 2,700.00 62,000.00 55,000.00 28,800.00	\$32,361.00 1,000.00 55,360.00 40,848.00 26,000.00	\$33,000.00 2,000.00 60,300.00 47,000.00 28,500.00
Total Operating Utilities	\$128,023.00	\$182,500.00	\$155,569.00	\$170,800.00

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	Column 1 Oct. 2011 YTD	Column 2 2011 BUDGET	Column 3 2011 FORECAST	Column 4 2012 BUDGET
Repair & Maintenance				
Electrical Repair	\$1,509.00	\$2,000.00	\$1,509.00	\$2,000.00
Mechanical Repair	409.00	1,000.00	409.00	1,000.00
Plumbing Repair	3,966.00	10,000.00	5,500.00	10,000.00
Recreational Repair	1,624.00	1,000.00	1,624.00	1,000.00
General & Misc. (Exterior)	43,031.00	30,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00
General & Misc. (Interior)	14,702.00	20,000.00	18,000.00	20,000.00
Total Repair & Maintenance	\$65,241.00	\$64,000.00	\$72,042.00	\$79,000.00
Total Expenditures	\$333,524.00	\$441,213.00	\$389,292.00	\$452,270.00
Operating Surplus (Deficit)	\$196,091.00	\$192,477.00	\$244,658.00	\$198,390.00
One Time Surplus				
Less, Contribution to Reserve	-158,145.00	-189,774.00	-189,774.00	-197,365.00
Net Operating Income (Loss)	\$37,946.00	\$2,703.00	\$54,884.00	\$1,025.00

## M.T.C.C. 600 NOTES TO 2011 OPERATING BUDGET

	2011 FORECAST	2012 BUDGET
MAINTENANCE FEES  2011 Fees (54 units x \$955 + \$1,075 commercial)	\$631,740.00	
2012 Budget - Increase of 2.6% based on January to December (54 units x \$980 + \$1,110 commercial)	)	\$648,360.00
KEY CARD FEES  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual. No more anticipated 2012 Budget based on 2 cards at \$50 each	\$50.00	\$100.00
STATUS CERTIFICATE FEES  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual. No more anticipated 2012 Budget assumes 3 moves		\$300.00
MOVING FEES  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual. No more anticipated 2012 Budget assumes 3 moves in and out	\$450.00	\$300.00
LEASE INCOME  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual. No more anticipated 2012 Budget		\$400.00
OTHER INCOME  2011 Includes rental of space for scooters 2012 Includes rental of space for scooters	\$1,210.00	\$1,200.00
AUDIT  2011 Forecast - no more expected	\$4,294.00	\$4,200.00
BANK CHARGES  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec  2012 Budget	\$858.00	\$1,100.00
LEGAL 2011 Forecast - no more expected	\$0.00	\$1,500.00
OFFICE  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec 2012 Budget based on 2012 Forecast		\$4,500.00
PROFESSIONAL FEES 2011 Forecast - Plus \$900 for Can Am study on odour	\$1,136.00	
2012 Budget - includes \$2,500 for Interim Reserve Fund Study \$10,000 for precast slab, \$5,000 water intrusion study, \$200 for Hook Anchor	/,	\$18,000.00

REGULAR WAGES  2011 Forecast based on \$30,520 YTD plus 5 pay periods, plus retro, plus Christmas bonus	\$38,645.00	
2012 Budget based on 3% increase effective Sept. 2012. plus provision for additional cleaning		\$39,800.00
WEEKEND RELIEF  2011 Forecast based on YTD plus 5 pay periods at \$160  2012 Budget based on \$160 per pay period x 26 pay periods		\$4,160.00
E.I. EMPLOYER  2011 Forecast based on annual maximum of		\$1,110.00
C.P.P. EMPLOYER  2011 Forecast based on 2011 expense  2012 Budget assumes increase.		\$2,400.00
WSIB EMPLOYER  2011 Forecast		\$1,600.00
THIRD PARTY RELIEF WAGES 2011 YTD plus riser security service	\$2,900.00	
2012 Budget based on \$750 per week for 3 weeks plus provision for special cleaning		\$3,500.00
TELEPHONE / INTERNET 2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec	\$2,200.00	
2012 Budget based on 2011 Forecast plus provision for increase		\$2,500.00
CLEANING CONTRACTS (EXTERIOR)  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual with no additional because we will only do 2 window cleanings this year	\$3,200.00	
2012 Budget for usual 3 window cleanings @ \$1,200 plus vent cleaning		\$4,000.00
CLEANING CONTRACTS (INTERIOR) 2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus 1 more carpet cleaning .	\$840.00	
2012 Budget for 3 treatments of carpet cleaning at \$321 plus 3%, and spot cleaning for \$300		\$1,400.00
COMPACTOR  2011 Forecast - no more expected	\$565.00	

ELEVATORS  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus 2 monthly charges of \$1,629 per month	\$19,800.00	
2012 Budget based on \$1,629 with 3.5% increase and provision for inspection and licenses		\$21,000.00
FIRE SAFETY  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus replacement of smoke detectors and quarterly ADT alarm	\$6,046.00	
2012 Budget for annual inspection \$4,000, plus \$2,300 for door closures, \$2,200 for dryer vent cleaning, \$1,000 for ADT and provision for smoke detectors		\$11,000.00
GROUNDS CONTRACTS  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual, plus November clean up	\$1,200.00	
2012 Budget includes replacement of high roof planters		\$3,500.00
HVAC  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual includes plus Internet access for automated usage control system	\$28,233.00	
2012 Budget assumes Honeywell at reduced annual rate of \$28,412 for only 3 quarters in 2012, \$4,160 Filter replacemes \$1,582 for Merit for automated control system, \$1,500 for wireless router,	nt,	\$29,000.00
INSURANCE 2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual. No more anticipated	\$15,366.00	
2012 Budget based on prior year plus 3.5%		\$16,000.00
LAUNDRY  Coinamatic contract cut in previous year as cost savings  Coinamatic contract cut in previous year as cost savings	\$0.00	\$0.00
PEST CONTROL 2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual plus 2 more months	\$600.00	
2012 Budget based on prior year plus 3%, plus provision for possible additional services		\$750.00
PROPERTY TAXES  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual. No more anticipated 2012 Budget based on 2011 Forecast plus 3 %	\$2,815.00	\$2,900.00

CLEANING SUPPLIES  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec 2012 Budget includes provision for extra salting	\$2,500.00	\$3,000.00
GROUNDS SUPPLIES  2011 Forecast - no more expected	\$1,168.00	\$1,500.00
LIGHTING SUPPLIES  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec 2012 Budget to be maintained at 2011 budget	\$1,000.00	\$500.00
RECREATIONAL SUPPLIES  2011 Forecast - no more expected	\$520.00	\$3,000.00
CABLE TV  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec 2012 Budget based 8 months \$2,697 and \$ months at \$2,800 plus CRTC tax provision	\$32,361.00	\$33,000.00
DIESEL FUEL & EQUIPMENT  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec 2012 Budget	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00
ELECTRICITY  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual plus provision for November and December	\$55,360.00	\$60,300.00
GAS  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec 2012 Budget based on 2011, plus provision for heavy winter less anticipated savings for Sept gas renewal contract	\$40,848.00	\$47,000.00
WATER & SEWER  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec 2012 Budget based on 2011, plus 9% increase	\$26,000.00	\$28,500.00
ELECTRICAL REPAIR  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual. No more anticipated  2012 includes breezeway light repair	\$1,509.00	\$2,000.00
MECHANICAL REPAIR  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual. No more anticipated 2012 Budget estimate	\$409.00	\$1,000.00

# PLUMBING REPAIR

2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual plus estimate for remaining Riser repair	\$10,000.00
RECREATIONAL REPAIR  2011 Forecast - October 30th Actual. No more anticipated \$1,624.00  2012 Budget estimate	\$1,000.00
GENERAL & MISCELLANEOUS REPAIR (EXTERIOR)  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec \$45,000.00  2012 Budget includes provisions of \$15,000 each for possible precast slab repairs and water instrusion at P1/P2 level	\$45,000.00
GENERAL & MISCELLANEOUS REPAIR (INTERIOR)  2011 Forecast - Oct 30 Actual plus estimate for Nov & Dec \$18,000.00  2012 Budget estimate	\$20,000.00