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From: **Liz Atkinson** <erlib.atkinson@gmail.com>
Date: Sat, Dec 5, 2020 at 11:02 AM
Subject: Re: ER News
To: Barb Johnson <erlib.bnjohnson@gmail.com>

Hi Barb,

To date, there has not been any facts brought forward that support the attacks on Nannette, and because of this, I and many others believe it's based on emotions, not fact.

If there is substantiated facts based on job performance, I'm all ears. We've been through these waters before with conversations I had with Jane Stauffer. She's mad at me for my conclusion of baseless criticism of Nannette that was drawn on the information that Jane provided to me. I offered to listen if Jane had legitimate claims against Nannette; she offered nothing else. Therefore, until solid evidence is produced, I conclude it's based on emotion; i.e. baseless

You can not pursue these attacks unless you have legitimate, documented problems, and it can not be a "he said, she said" scenario.

Regarding a lease; Yes, we have a current lease. The building committee has been trying to get with the Village to create a new lease, one that defines the relationship, sets forth the parameters of expectations and responsibility. It's irresponsible to raise 3-5 million dollars, incur pre-construction costs, and manage a major construction project, all without a lease that spans all of this activity and secures our position (ERDL) as lessees. Also, we're soliciting funds from people like we have everything in place, when we don't. This is problematic.

This should be obvious to all board members and the Village. I don't say this in a snarky way, but the division of our library board makes no sense to me. If we all do things procedurally correct, adhering to policy, everything should humm along nicely. But, we don't have that. We have an undercurrent of behind the scenes activity with a different agenda.

I'm sure you will share this with Bill, Jim and Karen. I stand firm on the above topics. I tell everyone that I'm willing to listen, but it needs to be black and white, factual, and common sense, otherwise, I'M OUT!

Liz

On Sat, Dec 5, 2020 at 10:08 AM Barb Johnson <erlib.bnjohnson@gmail.com> wrote:

Help me understand why you are stating at your meeting that Nannette has been the focus of "baseless" criticism.

Also we have a lease with the Village. We are not operating without a lease.

The problem is incorrect information is being spread.

Barb

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