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# MESSAGE FROM THE MANAGER

Dear residents,

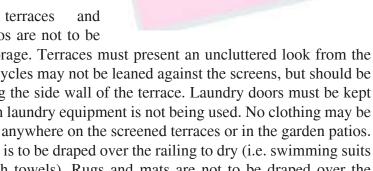
We are midway through the third quarter of the year and I'd like to address several issues and remind you of the rules and regulations in the effect for ALL Southview Residents and visitors. Many of you seem to ignore the fact that there are rules and regulations in place. Keep in mind that it is not a personal attack on you but rather put in place for the betterment of the community in general. Some of the main rules I've noticed are often broken are listed below...

#### **Rule # 5.**

Only patio furniture and potted plants are permitted on the screened terraces; such furniture cannot exceed above the railing; umbrellas are not permitted; hammocks may not remain hung on screened terraces when not in use. Etc.

#### **Rule #7.**

Screened



garden patios are not to be used for storage. Terraces must present an uncluttered look from the outside. Bicycles may not be leaned against the screens, but should be placed along the side wall of the terrace. Laundry doors must be kept closed when laundry equipment is not being used. No clothing may be hung to dry anywhere on the screened terraces or in the garden patios. No clothing is to be draped over the railing to dry (i.e. swimming suits and/or beach towels). Rugs and mats are not to be draped over the railings either.

(I've noticed that many of you have prohibited items on your balconies and MUST correct this ASAP. Also, if your balcony closet door is hanging, leaning on the screen or left open when you are not using your washer or dryer, you are in violation).



#### **Manager** (from page 1)

#### • Rule # 12.

There shall be no solicitation by any person anywhere in the buildings for any cause, charity or any other purpose whatsoever without prior written authorization by the Board of Directors.

(I've heard the rumors and received complaints from owners claiming residents are going door to door, spreading false information or rumors and/or slipping notes under resident's doors. This is completely prohibited and if you are caught you will be addressed through the violation/fine process).

#### • PETS, DOGS, Rule #8.

Dog owners must clean up after their dogs in the event they defecate, vomit, or urinate on areas, INSIDE OR OUTSIDE of Southview property,



most importantly, critical and crowded areas such as the mailroom, elevators, stairwells, parking lot, walkways, etc. Ignoring this important rule will cause the Association to fine the dog owner.

(Some of you continue to allow your dogs to urinate or defecate on the walkways where your fellow neighbors, and visitors must walk or potentially step. This is unsightly and unsanitary and, if you haven't noticed by the MANY signs posted in the past, down right POHIBITED).

Thank you in advance for your prompt attention to the correction of any violation you may have not realized you were committing. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Samantha Jean-Baptiste, CAM Property Manager



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#### TIPS AND TRICKS

### No Wipes in the Pipes

Place toilet paper in a mixing bowl with water and mix at a low to medium speed. Place a wet wipe in a mixing bowl with water and mix at a low to medium speed. Note the difference. Toilet paper immediately breaks apart. The wet wipe will likely remain intact.

Wet wipes must be disposed in garbage cans. Although some packages say "flushable", that is not always accurate and the wipes can cause sewage backups into your home or business.

#### Can the grease

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Be sure to get rid of fats, oils and grease the right way.

After you are done cooking, pour the grease into a metal can and let it cool. Then, toss the can into a garbage bin. Don't pour it down the sink or flush it down the toilet.

#### **Items Not to Flush:**

Grease / Oils Wet Wipes Sanitary Items Paper Towels Rags Cotton Swabs **Diapers Dental Floss** Medicines / Vitamins Bandage Cigarettes / Cigar tips Needles

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# **Wonderful Waffles**

National Waffle Week is August 31st through September 6th. To celebrate, we've come up with some fabulous waffle toppers. Whether your



waffles are handmade on an old-fashioned waffle iron or just popped out of the toaster, these additions are sure to bring a smile to your morning.

Simple toppings for waffles include the old standby maple syrup, applesauce sprinkled with ground cinnamon, fresh or frozen berries with a dollop of whipped cream, or fruit-flavored yogurt or jam. If you are more ambitious, try cooking up one of these delicious sauces to go with your waffles.

#### **Berry Sauce**

In a small saucepan, combine 2 cups frozen berries, 2 tablespoons water, 2 tablespoons honey, and some freshly grated orange or lemon rind. Cook, stirring, for about 10 minutes. Let cool slightly and then pure the mixture in a blender. Return the sauce to the pan and cook for an additional 3 minutes. Cool slightly

#### **Orange Sauce**

before serving.

In a small saucepan, combine ½ cup frozen orange juice concentrate, ½ cup sugar, and ¼ cup of butter. Cook over low heat, stirring, until the sugar is dissolved and the syrup begins to thicken. Cool slightly before serving.

#### **Rum Sauce**

Beat 4 egg yolks with an electric mixer until thickened and lemon-colored, about 5 minutes. Add 1-1/2 cup powdered sugar. Continue beating until combined. Gradually mix in ½ cup rum or 1 teaspoon rum extract until well blended. Fold in 2 tablespoons whipped topping. Serve immediately.



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# **Hurricane Trivia**

- It wasn't until 1953 that the U.S. National Weather Service started using women's names for storms. In 1979, men's names were added.
- Around the end of the 19th century, an Australian meteorologist began giving women's names to tropical storms and hurricanes.
- A list of names is put together that includes names beginning with every letter of the alphabet except Q, U, and Z.
- Today, the World Meteorological Organization uses six lists in rotation, reusing the same list every six years. If a hurricane is particularly deadly or costly, the name is retired and a new name is chosen.







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