Property Committee Report
11/15/2026

The Property Committee met in person on the evening of November 10, 2026. Those in attendance were Pam S., Julia H., Josh R., Bill S., and Bill W. The meeting began with silence.

Having not met since September, we discussed a number of issues.

The committee is not ready to move forward with the two vendors with whom we have discussed the courtyard remodel. We will be reaching out to additional vendors. We will be solarizing the courtyard in the coming weeks using cardboard and mulch to help us prepare for the remodel when the committee and the Meeting are ready to move forward. We will also be getting recommendations for someone who can help us understand our drainage concerns across the entire property and what action, if any, we should consider. We are looking into attaching the tile stones, made by children of the Meeting nearly 25 years ago and currently under the pergola, to the wall behind the Southwood bench to preserve them and add visual interest.

Having Kenny cut the grass "on demand" has not worked well as his schedule has gotten more crowded. We plan to schedule a monthly appointment with him so he can hopefully be more reliable, and the grounds can be more consistently maintained.

We plan to spread food-grade diatomaceous earth in response to pest control issues in the children's room, restrooms, and kitchen.

We will be investigating the cost of building a shed on the property to help increase our storage capacity.

Of course, we will continue with all of our typical maintenance responsibilities and remind Friends that Meeting for (not just) Weeding is held every third Saturday from 8:30 to 11:30.

Faithfully submitted for the committee,

Bill Wilkinson, Clerk