

Addendum to Agenda – May 23, 2021

RE: Fire Plan Proposal Discussion

**Board** = Questions to Safety & Security Committee regarding Fire Plan Proposal

**S&S** = Response received

**Board** - Would like to see the fire plan in its entirety, so the board may be better informed before rendering an opinion

**S&S** - The fire plan draft has always been accessible for review at <https://bibhoa.com/documents/>

**Board** - Where would the water be retrieved from?

**S&S** - As a new community member and safety committee chair, guidance from both the Garden Committee and EAB would be appreciated in regard to answering this question. Reference the fire plan draft:

Ø Multiuse Cistern

- o Construct in the garden before wet season in order to collect water
- o This will eventually be multipurpose with the Community Center
- o Utilize cistern with Mayan Circle

**Board** - How will the rotoplast be transported?

**S&S** - The community has access to the tractor for transport. A suitable trailer can be purchased for transporting the water tank.

**Board** - What vehicle will be transporting the water and trailer? Who will be driving?

**S&S** - Reference answer #3. Reference the fire plan draft:

v Maintenance Plan

- o Purchase a small 4 X 4 vehicle that is multipurpose

§ This can be used for:

- *Road maintenance*
- *Rotoplast w/ pump to be mounted & used during fire*
- *Emergency use if medical issue*

**Board** - How will said vehicle get to location, as several of our roads do not have cul-de-sacs to turn around in. Will the driver be capable of backing trailer and vehicle safely down (Howler Hill, etc.)

**S&S** - *Reference answer #4. In an emergency situation, the priority is getting water to the fire. There are many capable individuals with extensive experience backing vehicles and trailers.*

**Board** - Who will be fighting the fires?

**S&S** - *Whoever is ready, available, and physically capable of fighting fires. For those not capable of physically fighting fires, secondary roles can be delegated to assist in the firefighting efforts.*

**Board** - Where will this equipment be stored that you propose to purchase?

**S&S** - *There is space available in the garden palapa to store the hoses and fittings. Reference the fire plan draft:*

➤ *Materials & Supplies*

○ *TO BE STORED in the POA*

**Board** - How will the water be pumped?

**S&S** - *The safety committee is open to suggestions regarding how the water is to be pumped. BIB POA has an existing water pump that belongs to the community so this would seem like a reasonable solution.*