Westminster Crier

News from the Board Meeting

<u>A new Pickleball court</u> will be coming soon. The community voted in favor of the new court which will also feature a basketball hoop. From the onset, it will take about 2 months to complete this amenity.

The Board is receiving quotes for an **emergency generator** for the community center.

<u>LED street light</u> conversion has started. These new lights make a huge difference on our streets.

The Access committee is looking into the feasibility of a perimeter wall.

LOCK It Or LOSE It

There is an uptick in incidents where unlocked vehicles are being entered in the night time and personal property is being stolen.

Varsity Lakes recently had 20+ unlocked vehicles entered and there has been an increase in this activity in the neighborhoods around Westminster.

We have two residents from the Fairloop neighborhood reporting their unlocked vehicles were entered into overnight (9/22/20).

The Board would like to remind our residents to take steps to minimize the opportunity for criminal activity.

- Remove valuables from your vehicle.
- Lock your vehicle and close the windows and sun/moon roof.
- If your vehicle has an alarm make sure you activate it.
- Make sure your garage door is closed when unattended.
- If possible, leave an exterior light on.
- If you "See Something- Say Something", report suspicious activity to the Sheriff's Office (9-1-1 in an emergency, or 239-477-1000).

Taking these steps will help keep Westminster safe and will assist in crime prevention.