

**Cottonwood Palo Verde
Safety and Security Committee Meeting
April 2nd, 2025**

Board Liaison present: Tami Ronnfeldt

Management present: Tom Catri, Patrol Manager.

Committee Members present: Mike Rogers, Catherine Nelson, Chris Walter, Edd Welsh and Carole Weiner (via phone).

Committee Members absent: Bob Mariano

Homeowners: Maureen Morrissey – Communications Committee Liaison

Guests: None

Called to Order: 10:00 am

Approve Minutes: Minutes of March 5th, 2025 were approved.

Agenda:

- **Old Business:**
 - Mike asked Tom about the name tags for committee members.
 - Joyce Petrowski, from ROSE (Resources/Outreach to Safeguard the Elderly) Advocacy, will be doing a presentation on scams on Wednesday April 16th at 10:00 am in the Lecture Hall.
 - Mike has done AED and CPR training with the Patrol officers in a recent meeting, and has also completed training with most of the restaurant staff. Mike will do one-on-one training with anyone who requests it.
- **New Business:**
 - Mike stated that he will be submitting a grant request with the Greater Sun Lakes Foundation, asking for funds to purchase an AED for the Palo Verde Pro Shop, three radios and chargers for both pro shops and the Ranger on duty, an additional orange rigid sided case, first aid kits and supplies. This will be the last piece of the puzzle for safety equipment. If we receive this grant, and are able to purchase this equipment, we will only need to focus on AED batteries and replacement pads. Mike is working with the Men's Golf Club, as their Safety Advisor, to make this happen.

Management/BoD Liaison Comments:

- **BoD Liaison:**
 - Tami Ronnfeldt read the March 2025 Board of Directors Report.
 - Tami reported that our new Board of Directors Liaison will be Jean Nelson.
- **Patrol Manager Report:**
 - Tom Catri stated that Patrol had nine incidents reported in March.
 - Palo Verde will have some roadwork being done in the coming month.
 - Tom stated that he looked into some traffic calming devices. He will be reviewing it with Steve Hardesty soon, and report back.

- Traffic Logix was the only complete bid that was received by management. This bid will be forwarded on to the Board of Directors.

Homeowner/Committee Comments:

- Carole relayed a story that many years ago, there was a wait staff person at the Palo Verde dining room, with the last name of Snedigar. Carole and her husband had been in there for dinner. The next day, a member of the Chandler Police Department had been killed while on duty, nearby. His last name was Snedigar. The park on Alma School Road was named after him.
- Chris stated that he spoke with members of the Lady Putters, who use the facilities at Sisk Park. This group uses Sisk Park from October through May, four days per week, for three hours each day.
- Maureen gave a shout out to the Safety and Security Committee for their great communication skills! She reminded us that if we need assistance with any communication needs to reach out to her, or her committee.
- Catherine asked committee members to send her their bios by the end of the week.

Recommendations for BoD: None at this time.

Recommendations for Management: None at this time.

Adjourn Meeting: Meeting adjourned at 11:10 am

Next Meeting: Wednesday, May 14th, 2025 at 10:00 am in CLC 101

Submitted by:

Catherine Nelson, Vice Chair
Mike Rogers, Chair