

MINUTES-April 17, 2018

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY (ACOPS)

Paradise Valley Police Department
6433 E. Lincoln Drive
Paradise Valley, AZ 85253

ACOPS Members in Attendance:

Julie Pace, Chair
Kathye Brown
Michael Cummiskey
Jeff Gaia
Jay Ozer
Ryan Woody

Guests:

Wendy Cummiskey

Members absent:

Paul Moore

PVPD in Attendance:

Community Resource Officer Steven McGhee
Officer Nigel Williams

Guests:

Wendy Cummiskey

The ACOPS meeting was called to order at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, April 17, 2018 at the Paradise Valley Police Department Conference Room, 6433 E. Lincoln Drive. Assigned minute taker: Ryan Woody

1. Swearing in of new members by Town Clerk Duncan Miller
 - (a) Kathye Brown
 - (b) Michael Cummiskey
 - (c) Jeff Gaia
 - (d) Introductions among members of Committee and Officers.
2. Review of ACOP's goals
3. Update and finalizing floor plan collection for houses of worship update. Gloria Dei-Paul is still outstanding and Paul Moore and Officer Steve McGee will meet with the Church.
4. Review of Religious Places of Worship Table and identify outreach education communications.
5. Julie Pace updated Advisory Committee that Chief Wingert has been actively working with ACOPS and Council on solutions to reduce false

alarms, including implementing alarm tips letter. We discussed the breakdown of fines vs. mandated permitting.

6. After a detailed review of draft of construction checklist, the Committee proposed to reduce the checklist to two pages, double-sided in English and Spanish.
 - (a) Suggest adding security checklist at building permitting process.
 - (b) Including online form so it can be easily uploaded to police.
 - (c) Many suggested changes to checklist and Julie will take all the notes and do updated draft for next ACOPS committee.
 - (i) Section 1 line 3 make contractors and subs aware of checklist
 - (ii) Section 1 line 5 notify neighbors with contact information
 - (iii) Section 2 line 1 photographs of equipment for identification
 - (iv) Section 2 line 2 change deployed to posted
 - (v) Section 4 keys reduce section to 1 or 2 lines.
 - (vi) Section 5 strike lines 7, 9, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 23 and clarify 22 to meet town guidelines for dark sky.
7. Update new members on cactus eyes program, how it works and examples of the program at work.
8. 501(c)3 discussion and committee assigned members of program, Kathye Brown and Mike Cummiskey to work with Chuck Matthews and Chief Wingert to appropriate formation documents as summer project to discuss at Fall ACOPS meeting.
9. 2019 ACOPS goals will be discussed at future meeting
10. Julie updated members with input from other municipalities regarding photo radar and state-wide push to ban photo radar. Photo enforcement is a vital tool in the town. Keeping it will require resident involvement in the legislative process.
11. Community outreach and upcoming events
 - (a) Shred-a-thon for Saturday 4/25/18 from 8-12 shredding and electronic recycling. Thanks to Paradise Valley Wealth Management for sponsorship.
 - (b) Water safety with the YMCA 4/26/18 at PV Town community room

- (c) DEA drug takeback at PVPD 4/28/18 10-2 community members can bring in old, outdated or unused Rx drugs for proper disposal.
 - (d) Officer Steven spoke on the fundraising efforts at Cholla Trail every Sunday. The over the edge event for Special Olympics on December 8, 2018 and fundraising benefits. He also reviewed the Special Olympics torch run starting at 4:30 on May 3. Route redesigned to manage congestion and ensure a safer run.
 - (e) The torch run is open to the public followed by a carnival at Ascension Lutheran church and Kiva. Everyone welcome.
12. Biker safety and ongoing bike route concerns. Proposed 2 to 4 street signs and placement for town council and staff to and staff regarding 3 foot safe distance rule between cars and bicyclists and limit of bicyclists to 2 abreast. Not final, only proposed at this time.
13. Reminders:
- (a) Coffee with a Cop
 - (b) Blue Wednesday at local schools
14. Open comments:
- (a) Ryan Woody has concern of ongoing air rescue on Camelback Mountain and public awareness of the difficulties of the trails. As the weather improves we have seen a sharp climb of traffic and rescues often with helicopters late into the evening.
 - (b) Julie Pace followed up with Rachel Sacco at Experience Scottsdale to obtain and circulate hiker safety brochures/flyers at resorts to help everyone prepare for summer heat and understand mountain risks.

Next meeting for confirmed at 6 pm on June 12, 2018

7:46PM Meeting adjourned.