

# SUN CITY SHADOW HILLS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

## SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

### MINUTES

Wednesday, June 7, 2017

#### Call to Order

The June Safety Advisory Committee meeting was called to order by chairperson Ed Chavez with Committee members Joe Bourque, Mario Deiro and Jeff Kirkpatrick present. Other attendees included Agi Kessler, HOA Board; Rich Smetana, HOA; Mark Galvin, Security Director; Ben Guitron, Indio Police Department and Erin Smith, Information Advisory Committee.

#### Review/Approve Minutes

Upon a motion by Jeff Kirkpatrick and a second by Mario Deiro, the May 2017 meeting minutes were approved.

#### General Update

The security report for the month of May 2017 was reviewed. There were 25 incidents of failure to stop at posted stop signs, 12 by residents, 10 by vendors and 3 by guests. There were 4 speeding violations, 2 by homeowners and 2 by vendors. There were 130 incidents of garage doors being left opened and unattended. Mark reported there were 11 vendors cited for not having signage, 14 citations for trash cans and 4 incidents of gate damage. There were 57 incident reports taken during the month, including a couple of trespassing incidents, a possible vehicle break-in and some suspicious person calls. Mario mentioned the over growth of plants at the mailbox on Los Milagros, east of Sun City Blvd., causing a safety issue for pedestrians. This will be looked at and addressed.

Ben Guitron reported there were no significant incidents handled by Indio PD. He mentioned the importance of locking vehicles that are parked in driveways.

#### Old Business

Jeff Kirkpatrick provided an update on the Emergency Preparedness Subcommittee. The radio system has been completed, to include RACES capability as well as internal communications; an annual review was completed including goals and objectives; the red and green placards for placement in front windows are being worked on; street maps to include addresses are also being developed; radio battery chargers are in place; Jeff is working on a Disaster Prep 101 course for employees; a fuel source for generators at gate houses was discussed; Jeff also covered strategic planning issues, including emergency lighting and adhesive coating at the club houses, cooling stations, securing shelving, computers and equipment; most favored nation agreements and a continuity of government plan.

There were some brief comments on the issue of fines. This is an ongoing topic of discussion.

Next meeting: July 5, 2017, 10:30 a.m., Coachella Room, HOA Office