

**Sun City PRIDES
Membership Meeting
April 6, 2019**

Meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Vice President Pat Richardson.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given.

New members: There are no new members in Phase I, one new member in Phase II, and no new members in Phase III.

Minutes: The minutes of the March Membership meeting were read. Ritchie Miller moved to accept the minutes as amended. The motion was seconded by Jay Wood, and the motion carried.

Treasurer's report: Income for the month of March was \$270.77. Expenses were \$7, 790.13, which included the cost of the annual luncheon. Nancy Kachinski made a motion to accept the report. Jay Wood seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Review of March Board meeting: The revised Bylaws were accepted and are posted on our website. Revisions to the Policies and Procedures were sent to the Membership for review. The Board will vote on the revisions at today's meeting.

Beautification Committee: The trees along 107th and Alabama are doing well. There have been rumors of theft of some of the trees, but Mike said the rumors are untrue. Work continues along Del Webb.

Old Business:

Appreciation Luncheon – 131 members and guests attended this year's luncheon.

Next year will be the 40th anniversary of the PRIDES.

Arbor Day - Trees were planted in memory of PRIDES Kevin Johnson and Tom Sullivan, as well as Ann Reich (a member of the Sun City community), and members of all three families attended.

Next year's Arbor Day will be celebrated on the last Thursday of March.

Hazard Waste Day – The event was very successful, even though many cars had to be turned away once the quota of hazardous waste had been met.

The Posse is sponsoring a day for document shredding later this month.

Building & Equipment Manager – John Terko has been appointed to this position.

New Business:

Five-year plan - MCDOT and PRIDES met this week to review the 5-year plan. There was discussion about the large triangular area on the south side of Bell Road at the west entrance to Sun City. A plan will need to be formulated. The Beautification Committee will prepare a proposal.

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Steve Fribley has resigned as Treasurer, although he will help out until a new Treasurer is appointed.

Banner Health has offered to give us a presentation about their Senior Center. A show of hands indicated that the Membership is in favor of such a program.

Other Items:

Phase II Coordinator Deborah Douglas presented a five-year service pin to Faye Knowles. Speaking for the Phase Coordinators, Deborah proposed a monthly email to the Membership giving the total number of volunteer hours in each phase.

Deborah also suggested that the Board form a promotional committee to educate and inform clubs and organizations throughout Sun City about the PRIDES.

Ken Smith recognized Stan Pastorek for his work on the building renovations.

Jerry thanked the Squad for their work at PRIDES Park.

Remember to report your work hours to your Phase Coordinators.

The money jar was won by Grace Kinsey.

The next meeting will be May 4, 2019.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Rosie Swain