

**Sun City PRIDES
Membership Meeting
January 4, 2025**

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by President John Terko.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given.

Election of Board members:

Val Bedoe, Cindy Hintze, Linda Liang, Russ Hodgden and Linda Benson were nominated for the five available positions. There were no additional nominations from the floor. Molly Soblewski moved that the secretary cast one ballot for the slate as presented. Cindy Hintze seconded the motion, and the motion carried. Linda Benson introduced herself to the Membership.

December Minutes:

The minutes of the December Membership meeting were read. Jay Wood moved to accept the minutes, Ron Bedoe seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Treasurer's Report:

Income for the month of December was \$856.25. Expenses were \$1,015.85. Checking account balance ending December 31, 2024 is \$19,071.94. Morgan Stanley balance as of December 31, 2024 is \$660,459.86. The report will be placed on file for audit.

Audit Committee:

Ken Smith has asked Kristine Scoville to chair the Audit Committee this year.

Phase Updates:

Cindy Hintze reported for Kevin Herakovich (Phase 1) and recognized his "rock stars". Cheri Marchio (Phase 2) has one new member, and she recognized those who had put in "double-digit" hours in December. Val Bedoe (Phase 3) reported that Jeff Gochoco is no longer able to work with the PRIDES due to illness.

County Donation:

Before leaving office, County Supervisor Clint Hickman offered the PRIDES a donation of \$30,000, for the purpose of maintaining common areas for the beautification of the Sun City Community. The agreement has been signed, and the money must be spent by June of 2026. PRIDES members are asked to think about possibilities for use of this money and bring suggestions to the February meeting.

County Update:

The County sent best wishes for the holidays. They will meet again later this month.

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Roads & Safety:

Cindy reported that the committee is still waiting for the results of the study concerning a stop light at Cameo and 103rd. Lane markings at Del Webb and Bell were not approved. SCF&M need more staff. Tina Anderson is the new Commander of the Posse.

Beautification Committee:

The committee is planning to plant more trees and shrubs. They will meet again on January 15th.

Education Committee:

They gave a presentation to the Sundial Craft Club and will be at Discover Sun City later this month. New promotional items have arrived and are on display this morning.

Leadership Coalition:

There was no December meeting.

Upcoming Events:

Arbor Day – February 12, 2025 (Tentative date)

Appreciation Lunch – February 19, 2025

Open House – March 13, 2025

Other Business:

Ronn Enzweiler will no longer lead the Arbor Day tree planting; Fay Knowles will continue to assist.

Ron Bedoe thanked Linda Benson for taking photographs of PRIDES activity and posting them on Sun City Chat.

The money jar was won by Paul Germanowski, who donated it back to the PRIDES.

The next meeting will be held on February 1, 2025.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Rosie Swain