

Rita Ranch Neighborhood Association
Web site: www.ritaranch.org
Next Meeting WED October 21 at Desert Sky Middle School
9850 E. Rankin Loop Time: 7pm

Note: MEETING DATE is WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 21st.

Topic: Presentation of Pro and Con regarding Proposition 200 (Public Safety First Initiative). If passed proposition 200, at a minimum, would establish not only mandatory manning limits for police and fire men based on City of Tucson population but also response times. Cost issues would come because of city debt and current revenue down turns

The meeting is being held earlier in October so you will have plenty of time to send in your absentee ballot or make up your mind before election day on this issue.

Weeds on Esmond Loop: As a reminder for those who have a back wall along Esmond Loop, the small patch of dirt between the brick wall and sidewalk is your property. It is your responsibility to clean weeds in this small section. Last year Ward 4 Councilwoman Scott paid for weed cleanup out of her budget. That assistance is unavailable this year. The city is also looking at notifying residents who have washes behind their homes. We have been told it is the homeowner's responsibility to maintain the area from the fence to the wash.

At September's RRNA meeting, residents approved AT&T's request to put up a 50 ft cell tower that looks like a palm tree in Purple Heart Park. City Parks department will receive \$150,000 for this tower. We will be having a meeting in the near future to decide how to spend this money in the park.

Construction is expected to begin in October on the second Little League ball field. This field will be built to the west of the current LL field. Part of the construction will include parking and a small ramada. This improvement is being paid for from impact fee funds.

Art Theme for Houghton Widening Improvement: About a million dollars will be set aside for art projects along the 13 miles of Houghton that will be widened over the next 10 years. We have been asked to participate in coming up with a theme for the entire project. If you have suggestions please let us know.

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Web site for Rita Ranch :<http://www.ritaranch.org>. The Rita Ranch Neighborhood Association boundaries are Poorman (North), railroad tracks (South), Pantano Drive (West) and Pantano Wash (East).



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