Yavapai County Sheriff's Office

Yavapai County Sheriff's Air Group, Inc.

Minutes of the Meeting of

25 May 2011

CALL TO ORDER Bud Lathrop

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE Bud Lathrop

MEMBERS PRESENT

Refer to member roster attached to hard copy of the May minutes

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS Bud Lathrop

Chief Deputy Scott Mascher who becomes Sheriff on June 4, 2011

REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES Bud Lathrop

Minutes of April deferred until June meeting

TREASURER'S REPORT Bud Lathrop for Mel Tiensvokd

Mel Tiensvold not available

Account status Balance on hand $ 3,260.95

COMMANDER'S REPORT Bud Lathrop

BBQ cancelled due to lack of interest. It will be rescheduled in July
Bud Lathrop made a presentation about the activities of the YCSAG at the May 17 meeting of the Prescott Airport Users Association.
Ray Johnson and Bud Lathrop are planning the YCSAG exhibit for the Oshkosh EAA convention in July

OPERATIONS OFFICER REPORT Noel Urban

Activity for May 2011

No call outs
Members are encouraged to do Smoke Patrols
Expenses are 100% tax deductable
Sheriff Scott Mascher is interested in having Emergency Management Services placed under the jurisdiction of the Sheriff's Department
The Sheriff's Office communication department will help YCSAG resolve radio equipment issues

FLIGHT SAFETY OFFICER REPORT Farrell Harris

Next training exercise will be June 4
Air crews are being developed
Members participating will meet at the Prescott Police trailer at 8am

ADJUTANT REPORT Charlie Gates

Availability forms for May distributed

UNFINISHED BUSINESS **Bud** Lathrop

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New patches and rockers are due in July

NEW BUSINESS Bud Lathrop

Retirement of Sheriff Steve Waugh
Scott Mascher described Sheriff Waugh's distinguished military service including his receiving the Silver Star
He also expressed that Steve has been an excellent Sheriff.

The new appointed Sheriff Scott Mascher expressed an interest in developing a program to have sheriff deputies become trained flight observers for the air group. He will talk to his commanders about the program. He stated that he has an open door policy and supports the volunteer programs 100%

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MEMBER COMMENTS. Members

No other comments

SET NEXT MEETING DATE Bud Lathrop

29 June 2011

CHAIRMAN'S COMMENTS Bud Lathrop.

Commander Lathrop and Sheriff Scott Mascher will meet in the near future to discuss the best utilization of the Air Group

ADJOURNMENT

2045 hours.

Submitted by: Charlie Gates