

**Northwest Security Coordinators Association Meeting**  
**April 20, 2004**  
**7:00 PM**

In attendance from Sheriff's Office:

Major Mike Smith	Captain Lanny Hitchcock
Lt. Hennessey	Sgt. Field
Sgt. Brown	Sgt. Bohannon
Sgt. Petruska	Sgt. Barber
Sgt. John Martin	Deputy J. McRoberts
Deputy Hubert	Deputy Lerma
Deputy Walker	Deputy Wolfford

Meeting called to order by President, Dora Young, at 7:00 PM

Major Mike Smith introduced Sergeant John Martin, our guest speaker. Major Smith also announced that the new substation is opening in August.

Guest speaker: Sgt. John Martin with the Identity Theft Unit. He has been with the department for twelve years. Sgt. Martin gave a very informative talk on what identity theft is, how to protect yourself, and what his unit is doing about it. He also gave excellent information on what to do if you become a victim of identity theft. He also handed out an informative packet that covered the topics he discussed and more.

Sgt. T.J. Bohannon from the BARS unit updated us on the progress of the unit. They have been out here for the last 15 months and have really accomplished a lot. He stated that the statistics for the last year are: 1,438 cases, 208 charges filed, \$225,556 in property. They currently enjoy a 99% conviction rate. Sgt. Bohannon is stationed out of the Fallbrook station and his direct number is (281) 537-9293.

Major Mike Smith and Captain Hitchcock spoke about the bid process, the RAD program, and stated that there are other community assistance programs offered as well. He said that they are open to adding additional programs if someone knows of one that would be beneficial to the community. Sheriff Thomas is up for re-election.

Sgt. Barber is the night shift sergeant. His days off are Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Please do not call him on those days.

The back-line for the Cypresswood substation is 2260.

The supervisor line for dispatch is 7347. Major Smith stated that if you need to speak to the dispatch supervisor about a problem with dispatch, he wants to hear about it too.

Minutes from the January meeting were read and approved.

Paulann Alleman stated that some subdivisions have not yet paid their dues for the year. The fee is \$25.00 and it covered flowers/plaques that are given, refreshments, etc. Paulann also gave the treasurer's report. There is \$363.64 in our account as of this date. If you still need to pay your dues, please send them to:

Paulann Alleman  
8522 Lamppost Lane  
Houston, TX. 77064

Dora Young asked who we might want to have as guest speakers at future meetings. She suggested Sheriff Tommy Thomas but stated that we really need to have a decent attendance when we have him so as to not waste his time. Everyone agreed. Dora will check into getting him to speak, and suggested that we hold the meeting in Judge Adams' courtroom. Dora adjourned the meeting at 9:00 and stated that the next meeting is scheduled for July 8<sup>th</sup>.

Everyone was invited to speak with Captain Hitchcock if they have concerns about the bid process.

Members in attendance were:

Larry Wallace – Fallbrook  
John Clark – Woodland Oaks  
Paulann Alleman – Carriage Lane  
Fred Edler – Willowbridge  
Bill Burton – Memorial NW HOA  
Craig Young – Memorial Chase  
Bob Dillard – Emerald Forest  
Mike Goodwin – Oak Creek Village  
Mike Jones – NWSA web site

Zed Daniels – Woodland Oaks  
Sue Strawbridge – Westador  
Pat Dennard – Willowbridge  
Gene Birdwell – Memorial NW HOA  
Holly Calbat – Winchester Trails  
Mary Price – Cypresswood  
Edie Goodwin – Woodedge Village  
Dan Stabb – NWHC-MUD #24  
Dora Young – Northwest Park