### **Gates Pass Area Neighborhood Association**

Spring Membership Meeting and Pot Luck on April 22, 2023

Note that these abbreviated minutes were compiled months after the meeting which was held at the home of Donna Snyder, approximately 30 people attended

1. President Denise Garland opened the meeting after the potluck part of the gathering.

## 2. Treasurer's Report – Sue King

# 3. Website and Social Media — Donna Snyder

Our website, GPANA.info is up to date. It's a great resource for past history, minutes, bylaws, joining or paying dues, news, tips and more. We utilize email blasts to members along with posts to Facebook and Nextdoor, depending on the subject.

#### 4. Issues we are tracking – Denise

We continue to track issues like speeding cars on Speedway and the rate of accidents at the intersection of Anklam and Speedway also Camino de Oeste and Speedway. Talks with county officials are ongoing.

Sheriff's Crime Stats Mapping app Pima County Regional Trail System Master Plan Buffelgrass pulls in cooperation with Tucson Mountains Association Cell phone tower construction

### 5. Guest Speakers Frank Staub and Carolyn Campbell

Frank gave a slide show presentation focused on what we will lose if I-11 is built in our backyard. The impact and loss of desert habitats will be devastating. Carolyn also spoke on I-11 and what we can do to help prevent I-11 from being built in this location.

After the meeting was over, Mike Cardwell, our highly regarded and local rattlesnake expert, showed off some of his live 'resident rattlers' in a very interesting 'hands on' presentation. Big thank you to Mike for some rattlesnake education.

Respectfully submitted, Donna Snyder, *Secretary*