## PARADISE REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB

## GENERAL MEETING MINUTES- JANUARY 07, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 am by President Judy Lawrence. The invocation was given by Janet Hiatt who also led us in the pledge.

Judy Lawrence, President of Paradise Republican Women's Club discussed the mandatory upcoming meetings for Precinct Committeemen and State Committeemen. The MCRC meeting is on January 14, 2017 and the State Committee Meeting is held on January 28, 2017.

Our meeting investment has been reduced from \$30 to \$28 by having a breakfast meeting verses lunch meeting and gives us the remainder of the day to do as we wish.

Diana Marsh introduced the AZGOP Candidate Speakers for the meeting.

The first candidate was Jonathan Lines current AZGOP Treasurer the last 2 years under Chairman Robert Graham who indicated that he would keep AZ RED since it was the  $41^{st}$  largest county in the nation.

The second candidate was Jim O'Connor Who indicated that he is capable of raising millions of dollars, and well as incorporating and including grassroots activist and by-law-committee to bring out the BEST of AZGOP.

The third and final candidate was Frank Thorwald who worked for the Reagan Administration and indicated that he was making a comeback after his illness and wanted transparency and to unify the Republican Party.

There were 3 New Members recognized and introduced.

MCRC 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Chairman Candidates Yvonne Cahill and Cyndi Love were given a couple minutes each to speak about their candidacy.

Jay Lawrence discussed bills he is working on in the house.

- 1. A Law making it illegal for cities to issue Id cards to individuals who are not legal.
- 2. Making it a felony to assault wild horses.

Judy said, "If you have an issue you care about, go to your legislature and let them know."

Lori Urban received a President's award for her hard work on the Trump Team Campaign to help get President Trump elected. Lori Urban also announced "PC DAY at the CAPITOL" on Thursday January 12, 2017 which includes lunch and information on how to sign up.

Paradise Republican Women's Club cordially recognized and welcomed our New Members for January 2017:

Lynne Breyer Jeanette Kirk Jeanine Linsenmeyer Jeanne Sterrett Tiffany Uhlik Marcie Waters

Next, Barb and Ardith gave the Treasurer Report.

The Queen of Hearts was not turned over this time. Maybe next month!

The February meeting topic was mentioned about "Lobbyists: Who's the Best or who's the Blame?"

The Winter Republican Women's Club meeting is on February 10-11, 2017 in Sierra Vista, AZ.

Ardith talked a little about AZRA and the RIGHT TO SPEAK---Lunch is served from 11:30-12:30 pm on Thursday. AZRA is the seal team of keeping the republican score card!

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Cyndi Love, Recording Secretary