*Link to April 6, Zoom Meeting*

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1. Live/Hybrid Meeting - Tom call to order at 8:08
2. Gift Card Raffle – Gift Card winner: Greg Wanket
3. Approval of March Minutes - approved by acclamation

Open Items (Old Business)

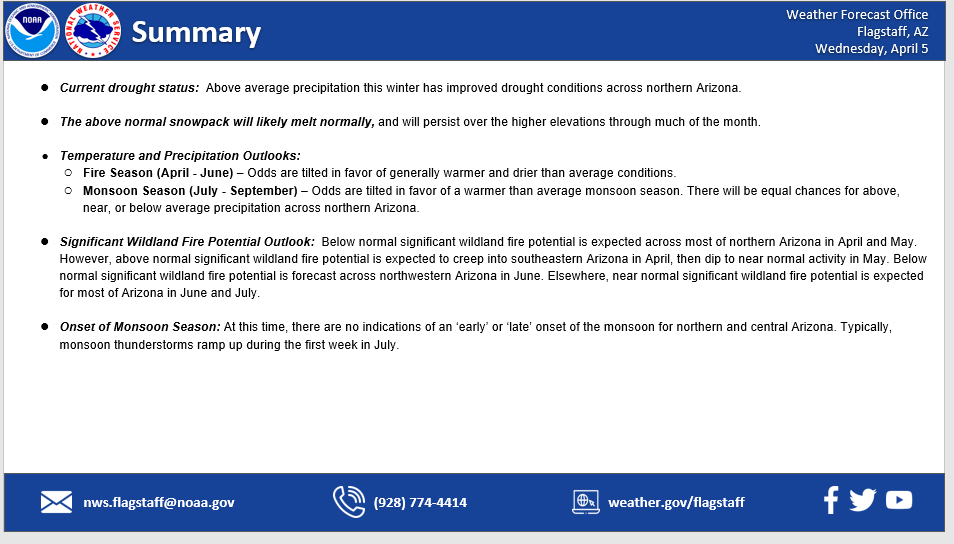
1. Tom reminded members that we do not solve problems, but can help with getting people to the right organization (specifically - Slash Piles person was connected with the correct agency)
2. Treasurer and Grants Reports, Budget 2023
   1. Budget Report will be for one month previous – see slide summary
3. Nominating Committee Update - Vice Chair and Treasurer
4. April 22nd Expo – Volunteer positions filled but Need attendance
5. Marketing Plan Task Force Volunteers

New Business

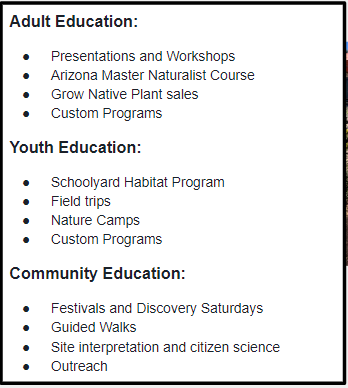
1. Agency Reports
2. AZ-DFFM Andrew Dropik – Jack Pine project white spar trail 2419 – 50 of 525 acres done
3. LASER - Abbey – sheltering for barn animals, training started, implemented practice, old fairground chino valley equestrian - LASER contact:
4. Peeples Valley – Ray – not available April 22 (fund raiser) – phase 2 completed – tank 17 project continue – hand thinning throughout district – many requests for machinery
5. AZ-DFFM - Matt Rust – Firewise accessory course at Police (20), Attending StoneRidge Firewise day and will have a booth, and the same with Dewey-Humboldt Don’t get burned. feel free to reach out to Matt to confer (mrust@dffm.az.gov)
6. Piles in Skull Valley (completed 40 acres),
7. Prescott – Myles – Groom Creek, Quinuis, and Constellation trailhead, Turley trail head, still chipping in city of Prescott
8. Prescott fire chief - Durre, significant process in personnel, Wildfire Risk Reduction Coordinator and Fire Adapted Communities to be posted soon,
9. Prescott National Forest
   1. Ben Roe – many new positions, Machine thinning in Camp Wood 450 acres (Williamson Valley) Black Jack mastication started x acres (xxx)
   2. Xxx Fuel Shop – prescribed fires 5 areas; many weather delays, but now good 1000 acres of pile burning in past few weeks; hand thinning bulls project, Wilhoit mastication 7000 acres; getting ready for fall prescribe fires
   3. Ansgar Mitchell – starting new personnel at stations; 14-15 Basin Operation Drill (senator hwy + test fires in area) … we have webpage, Facebook, twitter, etc.
   4. Levi Duffey field
   5. Joe Connolly – was on Prescott Hot Shot crew;
10. Yavapai County Board of Supervisors - Craig Brown – Proclamation May Firewise Month; worried about grassland fires this summer, Community Cleanup in Paulden – April free-slash at transfer station (no bags), YC is going to purchase a Mastication machine, so expect more roadside work.
11. Emergency Management – Ashley – dealing with flooding + fires, training event, Planning event with partners. Sign-up for AlertYavapai, April 14-15 trail opts, StoneRidge, Wildfire Expo, evacuation zones dialogue continues, Meeting for Camp ground preparedness
12. Donna – grant opportunities; inflation reduction grant for tree planting (due at end of May)

Guest Presentation – 2023 Weather Outlook

1. Jeremy – warming trend, week of above normal (warming), fine fuel & grass fires likely in summer, next storm system is dry with winds (drying things out) [nws.flagstaff@noaa.gov](mailto:nws.flagstaff@noaa.gov); Weather.gov.Flagstaff
2. Monsoon – no indicators of onset or precipitation estimates; expecting warming monsoon temps;
3. Very wet past 12 months (increase 200%)
4. Next 3 months: anticipate below normal precipitation; anticipate above normal temps; Wildland Fire Outlook: normal to below normal;



1. Guest Presentation – Sarah Vincent, M.Ed., Education Director Highlands Center for Natural History “Forest health and Fire Ecology Education for All Ages”
2. Wildfire Education; Thank you to First Responders & help during Crook’s Fire;
3. Visit for no admission fee – Trails connected to PNF, Leeds certified, off-grid;
4. To help children & adults discover the wonders of nature and become wise caretakers of land…
5. Adult Education programs & presentations; school field trips; community education stops on trails; Festivals & events;
6. Youth Education: controlled experiments; games; Hands on work (creating seed balls for recovering)
7. Education diagram insert



1. Announcements: Upcoming Events
   1. How to apply, amend grants – next month AFTER meeting
   2. Sign-up sheets on back table to volunteer for the Don’t Get Burned at Mortimer Farms, and the Home and Garden Show in May – if you want to help, please call Lois
   3. Expo – April 22ND 9:00 – 2:00
   4. Don’t Get Burned May 6th, 20:00 to 1;00
   5. Home & Garden Show - Friday May 19TH to Saturday May 20TH 9:00 – 5:00, Sunday May 21ST 9:00 – 3:00
   6. NFPA-Firewise Festival - Founding Fathers – October - TBA
   7. Holiday Parade – December 2ND
2. Mathew Brennan - Slash Pile near Thumb Butte – taken care of piles
3. Steven Cutting – Certified Arborist - Pine Lakes – weather may be impacting/killing bark beetle.
4. Jerry presentation – Wildfire Expo
   1. Community Boards – selected a few for display (11)
   2. Jerry will contact to get their community board
5. Adjournment
6. Next meeting Thursday, May 4

* Adjournment at 9:36
* ***40-IN ATTENDANCE-Freeman Building***

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| Tom Davis | PAWUIC/Chairman | Fred Heggestad | YCOEM |
| Lois Hoskinson | PAWUIC-Admin | John Jones | YCOEM |
| Shirley Howell | PAWUIC/Grants | Ashley Alquist | YCOEM |
| Julius Koenigsknecht | PAWUIC/Secretary-StoneRidge | Elaine Chambers | The Mountain Club |
| Dave Soto | PAWUIC/Vice-Chair | Margie Ferrucci | SYFD |
| Dennis Shaw | Hidden Valley | Jerry Borgelt | Highland Pines |
| Jim Campbell | Pinon Oaks | Dan Russell | Prescot Lakes |
| Mike Spencer | Prescott Foothills East | Loren Bykerk | Walker |
| Ernest Manzanedo | GCFD | Matthew Gordon | GCFD |
| Ron Weiss | Santa Fe Springs | Al West | Southview |
| Steven Cutting | Pine Lakes | Greg Kidd | Kingswood 1 & 2 |
| Donna Fagan | Vista del Cerro | Tony Merriman | NWS Flagstaff |
| Jeremy Mazon | NWS Flagstaff | Lamont Ban | NWS Flagstaff |
| Greg Wanket | Southview HOA | Holger Durre | PFD |
| Tom Knapp | PFD | Marty Borgelt | Highland Pines |
| Levi Guffey | PNF | Russ LaFayette | Prescott Lakes |
| Andrew Dropik | DFFM | Chris Espinosa | YCOEM |
| Mary Kelley | Quail Hollow HOA | Miles Graybill | PFD |
| Ben Roe | PNF | Joe Connelly | PNF |
| Mike Curry | AZ DFFM | Angus Hill | Crown King |

* ***23-ZOOM-Freeman Building***

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| Sara Clawson | PNF | Jim Zimmerman | Pinon Oaks |
| Abby Harbicht | Laser | Barbara Fox-Thomas | YCBOS |
| Bob Betts | Hidden Valley Ranch | Carlos Payan | BLM-Phoenix |
| Catherine Knox- | Coffee Pots at Sedona | Daniels, I Phone |  |
| Dave |  | Debbie Miller | D-H |
| Elaine Chambers | Mountain Club | Heather Stevens |  |
| Jerome Fire Dept | Carl | Mark Russell | TinberRidge |
| Marlyn Van Keuren | YC BOS | Mary Ann Clark | PAWUIC Social Media |
| Mike and Ronnie Donovan | D-H | Ray Paiz | Peeples Valley RD |
| Richard Jackson | Oak Knolls | Rick Contrearas | Cottonwood Fire Marshal |
| Ron Jakola | Jeep Posse | Steve Lombardo | PAWUIC-Community Liaison |