

Arizona Association of Crime Analysts

AACA Quarterly Meeting

Wednesday, February 16, 2005
9:00 AM to 12:00 PM



Flexible Display Center
ASU Research Park
Tempe, AZ

Quarterly Meeting

“Homeland Security”

Host:
AACA Board Members
and Arizona State
University DPS

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Agenda

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| 1. Registration & Refreshments | | 9:00 – 9:15 AM |
| 2. Welcome and Opening Announcements | Pete Garza, AACA President, ASU Guest Speaker | 9:15 – 9:30 AM |
| 3. Phoenix Police Department's Burglary Reduction Program (BRP) and Homeland Defense Bureau | Detective Frank Pace, Phoenix Police Department | 9:30 – 10:15 AM |
| 4. Alpha Group Terrorism Overview | Pete Garza and Sgt. Omitt, Mesa Police Department | 10:15 – 10:45 AM |
| 5. Arizona Counter Terrorism Information Center (AcTIC) | Sgt. Shawn Wood, Arizona Department of Public Safety | 10:45 – 11:15 AM |
| 6. Arizona Department of Public Safety GIS Analysis | Sharon Nicholson, Arizona Department of Public Safety | 11:15 – 11:45 AM |
| 7. AACA Wrap-up and upcoming AACA elections. | Pete Garza, AACA President | 11:45 – 12:00 PM |
| 8. Lunch (<i>optional</i>) at Serrano's. Please join AACA members for some networking and association updates. | Serrano's is at 1955 W. Guadalupe, Mesa. | 12:00 – 1:30 PM |

Additional Information

Directions: The Flexible Display Center is on the West side of the Elliott exit, off the 101. After exiting Elliott, turn left/south onto South River Parkway. The Flexible Display Center is the first building on the right; the west side of River Parkway. Park in any non-reserved parking space. The entrance is secured, but AACA members can be let in by front desk security. They will also direct you to the correct room.

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Flexible Display Center, ASU Research Park

42 attendees

1. 9:15 a.m.: Pete Garza, AACA President, welcomed the attendees to the ASU Research Park.
2. 9:25 a.m.: Detective Frank Pace (Phoenix Police Department) introduced the PPD's Burglary Reduction Program (BRP). This works in conjunction with PPD's property crimes website – to share and disseminate information from like property-type crimes around the valley.
3. 10:20 a.m.: Sgt. Omitt, Mesa Police Department presented information from the recent Alpha Group Terrorism Overview course he attended. This included information on terrorist cells operating in the Southwest, as well as Arizona's ties to 9-11.
4. 10:55 a.m.: Sharon Nicholson, Arizona Department of Public Safety, presented information on the Arizona Counter Terrorism Information Center and presented the model for Arizona DPS public safety GIS analysis.

An optional lunch was held at Serrano's from 12:00 to 1:30 p.m.