YAVAPAI SHERIFF AUXILIARY FORCE 2023 FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN



Hello Neighbor,

Last year we asked for your aid to help offset the out-of-pocket expenses of over 350 volunteers who work daily to help keep you safe where you live and in the wilderness areas of Yavapai County. To those who were able to contribute, THANK YOU!

Under the direction of the Yavapai County Sheriff's Office, the Yavapai Sheriff Auxiliary Force includes the Yavapai County Jeep Posse, Verde Search & Rescue, the Yavapai County Search & Rescue Team, and the Volunteers in Protection ("VIPs"). The Jeep Posse, Verde SAR, and the Yavapai County SAR Team search for lost, stranded or injured persons anywhere in the County, including our cities. Their members are often first on the scene. Last year alone, search volunteers responded to over 200 search and rescue missions and hundreds of Deputy Assists.

The Volunteers in Protection provide supportive law enforcement activities for YCSO on a daily basis, including but not limited to: prisoner transport, property protection, sex offender compliance, Deputy Assists, crime scene managment, and cold case investigations. Together, these four all-volunteer, 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations directly impact the citizens of Yavapai County and make it an ideal place to live and work.



The cost to obtain and maintain volunteer equipment, communications systems, and training comes from these volunteers and your tax-deductible donations.

The following are just a few examples of what our volunteers provide - 24/7 - in any weather:

- Large-scale searches for children & the elderly
- Short-haul helicopter rescues
- Technical rope & swift-water rescues
- Fire, flood, & other disaster evacuations

- K9 & equine-mounted searches
- Patrolling local communities
- Vacation home security checks
- Wildfire observation & reporting

We don't want anyone to hesitate to call 911 when needed.

No one is ever charged for volunteer services by YCSO.

Other services our volunteers provide include:



Fraud intervention, investigation, & group presentations

- Hug-A-Tree Lost Child Prevention Program
 - Neighborhood Watch start-ups
 - Fingerprint services
 - Cold case investigations
 - Community safety events
- Citizen or motorist assists
- Administrative services

Please help us continue these vital services by donating. WE'D be lost without <u>you!</u>

EVERY TAX-DEDUCTIBLE DONATION COUNTS. PLEASE HELP US, SO WE CAN HELP YOU STAY SAFE.

This mailer is sponsored and paid for by these 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations:

Yavapai County Search & Rescue Team Yavapai County Jeep Posse Volunteers in Protection Verde Search & Rescue



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