# SUPERIOR SUN





# LETTER TO THE EDITOR

# Sheriff to redeploy Deputies to fast growing San Tan Valley

Our population continues to grow in Pinal County, even in a down economy. New families are relocating in the faster growing cities of Maricopa and Casa Grande, yet it doesn't compare to unincorporated San Tan Valley. The 2010 census counts 81,321 San Tan residents and current estimates show 90,000 or more.

Last year, the county contracted with the Segal Company of Washington DC to perform a staffing study for the Sheriff's Office which said, "Based on population, the average staffing for Maricopa and Pima Counties is 1.33 per 1,000 residents...Pinal County would need 141 additional sworn personnel."

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The Board of Supervisors approved our current \$330 million county-wide budget with nearly \$40 million in cash reserves. I requested 64 additional sworn positions to meet the increased demand for service and population growth, yet the board denied any new positions.

Last week, the board hosted a budget summit with all elected officials and we heard a gloomy forecast of shrinking cash reserves. I will again make a request for additional Deputies this year, yet I'm not counting on the board to view this second request as their priority.

At this meeting, I challenged the board to make good on their campaign promises of 2012. While campaigning, they promised to reorganize county government and prioritize public safety, yet there have been next to no changes in the priorities of this government. In 2008 I made several promises to you - my future

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-David Brinkley

bosses, that I would improve staff training, hold staff accountable, obtain Jail accreditation and reduce Deputy response time to emergencies. We've achieved all these goals and more, yet continued population growth requires additional staff to keep up with increased demand for service. Instead, the 2014 Sheriff's Office budget has 29 less full time positions than in 2008. My senior staff has



recommended that I redeploy Deputies and other sworn staff to meet the changing demands for service. I have already terminated long standing agreements with the FBI and DEA multi-agency task forces in order to reassign deputies back to uniformed patrol. My staff recommended permanent reassignment of 20 deputies from other areas of Pinal County to San Tan Valley effective June 1st.

I'm bringing this issue to your attention in advance, to let you know that with current staffing levels I can no longer fulfill my promise of faster emergency response times in most areas of Pinal County. We shall respond immediately to all emergency calls, yet lower priority calls (non-life threatening) may have an extended response time.

As Sheriff, I will make do with whatever financial resources and staff that the board provides. I am confident that our Sheriff's Office shall continue to provide exceptional law enforcement services.

I thank and appreciate the citizens of Pinal County for your continued trust and support as we strive to be the very best in law enforcement. It is our sincere privilege at PCSO to serve and protect our Pinal families. Respectfully,

/s/ Paul Babeu, Sheriff Pinal County, Arizona

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# **Superior Police Report**

According to state law, police may arrest suspected offenders by two methods. The suspect may be physically taken into the department and booked into jail, or the arresting officer may write a citation and release the suspect to appear in court later. All suspects are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. Only criminal citations are listed. All damage amounts are estimates.

Items are given to The Superior Sun by the Superior Police Department and reflect information available at the time the report is compiled. March 12

Possible theft was reported to police at the Main St. station.

#### March 14

Theft was reported in the 800 block of Western. An accident was reported on Highway 60.

#### March 15

An accident was reported on Highway 60.

An accident was reported in the 400 block of Main St. March 17

Assault was reported in the area of Magma.

Burglary was reported in the area of Crowe.

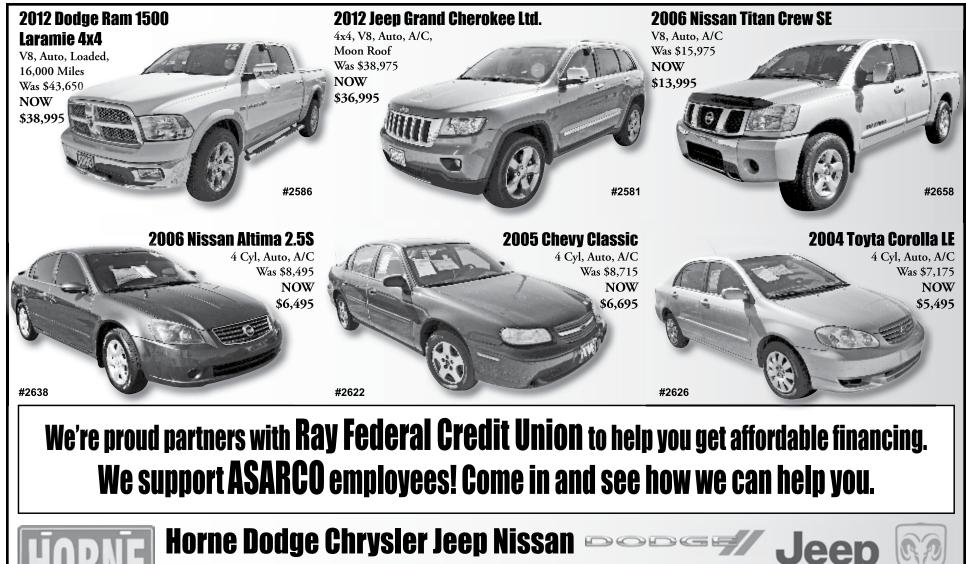
#### March 18

A subject was arrested on a warrant issued out of Su-

perior. The warrant was guashed per the court and the subject was released.

Calls not listed include six traffic stops, two welfare checks, three animal complaints, seven disturbances, one fraud complaint, one attempt to locate, four alarm drops, one medical call, two agency assists, one 911 hang-up, one harassment complaint, one fire call, one unwanted person, one civil matter, one suspicious activity report, one information report and one parking violation.

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# Sheriff Babeu to reallocate 20 officers to San Tan Valley

**By Michael Carnes** Copper Area News

The Pinal County Board of Supervisors and the Sheriff's Office have begun the political posturing portion of the budgeting process.

During a recent budget working session, the Board of Supervisors left Sheriff Paul Babeu with the impression that new funds would not be forthcoming in the 2014-2015 budget. In response, Sheriff Babeu released a letter to the media outlining his plan to deal with the growing population in unincorporated areas and a lack of new

resources. According to his letter, the Sheriff will reallocate 20 sworn personnel to San Tan Valley from the rest of the County areas.

According to the Sheriff, PCSO would need 141 additional sworn personnel to meet similar staffing levels maintained by Maricopa and Pima counties. Last year the Sheriff sought 64 new sworn personnel, but received no additional funds. Babeu indicated that the efficiency gains via new technology, procedures and training allowed the department to handle the growing population while overall staffing was reduced. However, the Sheriff asserts population gains coupled with efficiency improvements have reached parity. To maintain countywide service levels, PCSO must increase staff, or barring that, shift resources to meet minimum service levels in the high population grow areas. The beneficiaries of the reshuffle will be the residents of San Tan Valley.

The effect on the remaining areas of the county is not clear. The Sheriff indicates that Priority 1 calls will be still be handled quickly, but lower priority calls might have a longer response time.

As the county continues to add

population to unincorporated areas, the pressure on PCSO will continue to increase. Either additional funds will need to be provided or the high growth areas could take steps to build their own police forces via incorporation. No one has a crystal ball to determine which course makes the most sense for the high growth areas and the County as a whole. What is all but certain, is the pressure on County finances and the Sheriff's department will continue.

Supervisors Pete Rios and Cheryl Chase did not have a comment before press time.

## Resolution Copper celebrates five years of operation at onsite water treatment

This week, Resolution Copper Mining is celebrating five years of operation at its onsite water treatment plant. In the five year history of the plant, water removed from the inner workings of the old Magma Mine has been sent by pipeline to farmers in the New Magma Irrigation and Drain-

age District. Resolution Copper Mining is helping deliver water to 6,800 acres of crops near San Tan Valley via 27 miles of pipeline by electing to pump out, treat and pipe water for beneficial use. "Finding a way to benefit Arizona farmers through our dewatering project is a win-win

scenario," said James Almaas, Manager of Dewatering and Reclamation, "Using our water allows local farmers to reduce groundwater pumping."

The Resolution Copper Project is located in the same area occupied by the Magma Mine, which ceased production in 1996. After its closure, groundwater has been accumulating in the abandoned workings and in order for mining operations to be feasible again; the water needed to be removed. Beginning in 2009, excess mine water has been brought up from 4,000 feet below the surface to be treated at an onsite state-of-the-art treatment plant, where it is cleaned and filtered. "I am pleased about our exceptional safety record over the last

five years of the plant's operation," said Andrew Taplin, Project Manager "finding a mutually beneficial use for this water only adds to its success. This is the way Resolution Copper does business."

The pipeline runs downhill and uses gravity, not energy-driven pumps, to move the water. The water is blended with Central Arizona Project water and used to irrigate crops including alfalfa, cotton, turf and small grains. Growers are provided with all data pertaining to their fields at the end of each growing season. To date, sampling and monitoring results have indicated water quality has been suitable for soils and crops grown within New Magma Irrigation and Drainage District.

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#### By Mila Besich Lira Superior Sun

With the back drop of the Superior Chamber of Commerce building on Main Street, Bill and Janis Reynolds cut the ceremonial ribbon, signifying their business BFE, SatComOps was now offering high speed internet services to residents of Superior and the surrounding area.

The Reynolds are authorized dealers for Exede Internet which specializes in high speed internet services for rural areas. Their company BFE, SatComOps LLC also offers satellite internet, TV, phone along with consulting, installation and servicing. Their services can help local residents save money on their communication costs. To learn more about their services or to sign up call Janis at 928-961-4614 or Bill at 928-961-2215.

# Cobre Valley Regional Medical Center sets health fair, fit run for April 12

The annual Cobre Valley **Regional Medical Center** (CVRMC) Health Fair is scheduled for Saturday, April 12, beginning with the "Get Fit Run" at 8 a.m. on the east side of the hospital campus. All runners/walkers are asked to park at the Gila County buildings on Besich Drive. Booths, screenings,

and other activities will start at 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.

The "Get Fit Run" is always a popular community event with every registered runner/ walker receiving a small token, courtesy of Dr. Mir Ali and the Cobre Valley Heart Institute, for taking a step to better health. The "Get Fit Run" was organized in 2011

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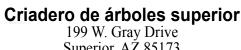
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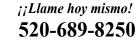
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to stress the importance of exercise. Runners/walkers and stroller-pushers can register at www.CVRMC. org and click on the "2014 Health Fair" button. Health screenings including

blood pressure, glucose check, cholesterol check, sleep assessments, breast lump detection, and much more health information will be provided by the professional staff of CVRMC along with the health, wellness, and safety experts of our communities, county, and state.

Children's activities, raffles, a craft fair, and car show are all part of the fair! Music, give-a-ways and much more will add to the fun for the dav!

CVRMC is committed to wellness in our communities with the knowledge that a healthier community is a more productive community. Together, with our many partnerships in health, wellness, physical fitness, and safety, we can grow to a healthier community. For more information, please call (928) 402-1141 or visit www.cvrmc.org, click on the "2014 Health Fair" button.

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# LDS Youth from Mesa beautify Superior

From March 20-22, nearly 200 boys and girls from Mesa, along with their church leaders, descended on Superior for a threeday retreat that included a significant service project at Fairview Cemetery. The title of the youth conference was: Good, Better, Superior. The 14-18 year-old youth from the Mesa East Stake of the LDS Church used the old Superior High School as home base for the threeday event, which included instruction, games, dances, service, and a talent show. The group was hosted by Elijah and Marjorie Cardon, who own and live in the old school. Elijah, who also serves as the local leader for the LDS branch, commented, "We love to have groups from the Valley come and enjoy the facilities and the history here in Superior."

On Friday afternoon, the youth spent three hours beautifying our Fairview Cemetery. They kicked off the event with an introduction from Margaret Gaston, town manager, and Anthony Huerta, public works director, who reminded the youth that every grave represents a life and a story worth telling. The group's activities included removing weeds and applying weed killer across large swaths of the cemetery, pruning back unwanted trees, planting six additional Italian Cyprus trees, re-painting of all garbage cans and spigots, cleaning up generally, especially around the section of unknown graves, and picture-taking of all headstones so that they can be catalogued and included in online family history sites like billiongraves.com. The youth enjoyed the project, with one participant, Britni Porter, saying, "I loved doing my little part to clean up this

important resting place." And President Michael J. Toone, the president of the Mesa East Stake, added, "It was sweet to see all of the kids working so hard together. When we were finished, in their eyes I could see a real sense of pride in their work and a connection with this town and its cemetery."

As the group left town on Saturday afternoon, they took memories of Superior with them. One of the boys, Austin Denham, said, "What a great three days. I made some new friends, laughed a lot, and got to give back to the community." One of the adult leaders of the event, Laraine Eddington, summed it up well, "We could not be happier with the facilities, the town, the content of the program, and everyone who contributed so much time and effort to make the conference a success. The youth seemed to love everything about it."

The group expressed appreciation to the leadership of the town for their partnership and support.



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# Lady Panthers remain undefeated

By Andrew Luberda Superior Sun

The Lady Panthers won their sixth consecutive game to start the season with a win versus Desert Christian last Friday, 13 – 10. It was the Panthers first game in nine days. Cierra Navarrette and Elizabeth Ochoa each

had 4 hits versus the Eagles. Navarrette also had 5 RBI. Ariana San Miguel was 1-for-2 with 3 RBI in the game. Sophomore Ivie Lopez picked up another pitching victory. Upcoming schedule: Mar. 27 @ Arizona

Lutheran Academy (2:00 p.m.), Mar. 28 @ Miami (10:00 a.m.), Mar. 28 vs. Millenium (2:00 p.m.), Mar. 28 @ Salt River (5:00 p.m.). Please check with the school or the team to confirm locations of the games. Some games may be part of a tournament and played at a neutral site.

# Panthers split two games last week

By Andrew Luberda Superior Sun

After a week off, the baseball team returned to action last week with games

versus Bowie and Desert Christian. The Panthers defeated Bowie last Thursday, 9 - 1, before losing to Desert Christian last Friday, 17 - 0. Caesar Villalobos, Nicholas Cruz, and Daniel Ramirez each had 2 hits in the win over Bowie. Villalobos and Cruz each had 2 RBI.

Ricky Longoria was with winning pitcher. He combined with freshman Jessie Lopez

Longoria struck out 10 Bowie hitters in the game.
 Upcoming schedule: Apr. 2 vs. Hayden.

to limit Bowie to 1 run in the game.

The game begins at 2:00 p.m.

## Knights of Columbus to host annual golf tournament at SaddleBrooke Ranch West

The Knights of Columbus' 12th Annual Charity Golf Tournament to benefit high school scholarships is Saturday, April 5 at Saddlebrooke Ranch West golf course, milepost 93 on highway 77, just north of Oracle Junction. Sign ups will be at 7 with tee off at 8 am.

"This is promising to be our best tournament ever," said tournament director John Wahlmeier.

The cost is \$75 and includes lunch and a

golf cart.

"To raise money for high school scholarships, we will auction off a round of golf for four at the brand new Casino del Sol golf course. We will also auction off a round of golf for four at the renowned Omni golf course," he added.

"For the the first time, we will auction off four reserved seat tickets to an Arizona Diamondbacks game," Wahlmeier said. "These are only a few of our auction items. And we have tons and tons of raffle prizes too. If you buy a raffle ticket you are pretty sure to win something," Wahlmeier said.

The Knights will offer two "Hole in One" contests at no cost to players. One is for a golf cart from Golf Cars of Arizona and the second is for three days and two nights in Laughlin, Nevada according to Wahlmeier.

The Knights will award prizes for First and Second place, closest to the pin,

longest drive, longest putt and most accurate drive. They will offer Mulligans too.

"A hallmark of our tournament is our surprise prize," Wahlmeier said.

"One year it went to the worst score, once it went to the exact middle score. Who knows what it will be this year. You don't have to be a great player to win a great prize in our tournament," Wahlmeier added.

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## Superior Optimist Club to host pastry event

The Superior Optimist Club will host a fundraising pastry event for the club. The pastry event will be held on Sunday, April 6, 2014 at 1:00pm in the Superior Junior Senior High School Multipurpose Room.

The club is raising funds to fund their annual Honor Roll Banquet and the annual Miracle on Main St. Christmas Parade.

For more information on the event or to donate baked goods or crafts please contact JoAnn Besich at 520-827-0592, Olga Lopez at 520-827-4119 or Karen Afdahl at 520-827-0962.

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#### **VOLUNTEERS SOUGHT**

The Superior Town Council is looking for interested citizens to apply for an Economic Development/Annexation Committee. To apply, fill out a Town of Superior application. Applications are due by April 11, and are available online. This is a volunteer position. The town is also looking to fill a position on the Planning and Zoning Commission. To apply for the position, an application needs to be submitted to Margaret Gaston, Interim Town Manager, PO Box 218 Superior, AZ 85173 by April 11.

#### GUIDED WALKING TOURS AT THE ARBORETUM

What's new in the gardens at the Boyce Thompson Arboretum in Superior? Ninety-minute daily walking guided tours are available through February and March, starting at 11 a.m. Plan to attend more than once. With more than a half-dozen guides, you'll learn different things from each.

## March

#### FISH FRY

The Knights of Columbus Council 3395 is sponsoring a Fish Fry every Friday at 5-7 p.m., from March 7-April 11 at the St. Mary's Center, 100 W. Sunset Dr. in Superior. This plate includes beer battered fish fillet, homemade cole slaw, french fries and a drink for \$6. Bean burros will also be available.

## **29STEMFest** is an annual free

community event which celebrates STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) and offers an interactive, hands-on experience for festival visitors regardless of age and life experiences, with more than 40 demonstrations and activity booths, This years it will take place on Saturday, March 29 from 9 a.m. to noon at the beautiful and historic Besh Ba Gowah Archaeological Park located at 1324 S. Jesse Hayes Road in Globe near the Globe Community Center. For more information, visit www. gilacountyschools.org or contact the Gila County School Superintendent's Office at 928-402-8784 or by e-mail to Holly Sow at hsow@gilacountyaz.gov.



#### 05-06<sup>HARRY WINN</sup> MEMORIAL SHOOT

The Apache Bowhunters of Globe-Miami are holding the Harry Winn Memorial Shoot on April 5 and 6, Saturday and Sunday at the range, located off Russell Rd. in Globe. Rhinehardt Targets will be used, with 3 rounds of 15 targets, one arrow per target. Binoculars are okay, but, no rangefinders. Registration opens at 7 am. Score cards must be turned in by 2 pm on Sunday, no exceptions. There will be 12 classes, starting at age 8. Prizes will be awarded in all classes. Fees are \$25 per adult; \$15 for all youth but Pee Wee class which is free, and \$50 for a family consisting of father and/ or mother and children living in home. For more information call the A.B.H.clubhouse at 928-425-6174, Joe Witterman at 928-812-1136, Robert Lopez at 602-748-8831, Dave Barragan at 928-701-1928, or Danne Quroz at 928-812-0543; or, visit the website at http://www.apachebowhuntersaz.com/.

## Visit our online calendar: http://bit.ly/16EHtwp

### 07-09<sup>SUPERIOR JR/SR</sup>

AIMS (Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards) testing will take place at Superior Jr/ Sr High School; High School on April 7- April 9, and Junior High on April 7 - April. Student attendance is imperative during these dates.



#### **19 GOLF TOURNEY** There will be a benefit golf tournament April 19 at the Queen Valley Golf Course. The three-man scramble format costs \$35 per player. Registration is at 7 a.m. and the shotgun start is at 8 a.m. First, second and third places will be awarded as well as longest drive and closest to pin. Cash amount will be determined by the number of participants. Raffles and food will be sold. Donations are appreciated. For more information or to register, call Ruben Delgado 520-391-0177. Proceeds will benefit Marisol Perez who was diagnosed with leukemia.

**25-27**<sup>SHS</sup> CLASS OF The Superior High School Class of 1964 will be hosting their 50th class reunion April 25 - 27. All classes are invited to attend. If interested, please contact Earleen Bilberry Andrews by emailing earleenandrews@frontiernet.net, calling 928-368-9064, or at P.O. Box 1315 Lakeside, AZ 85929; or Elaine Barret by email at EKWhissen@cox.net. Please include your email or postal address in order to receive the registration packet.



To add an item to the community calendar please submit information to cbnsun@minersunbasin.com or call 520-363-5554. Listings are free, however, the SUN reserves the right to edit or refuse submissions.

# Sheriff's Report

The Pinal County Sheriff's Report is taken from the daily logs, based on the information provided by deputies. All persons arrested are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. March 18

Anthony A. Benitez, 38, Tucson, was arrested at milepost 217 on Highway 60, Queen Valley, and was charged with carrying a concealed weapon without a permit, possession of dangerous drugs, possession of dangerous drugs for sale, transportation of dangerous drugs and possession of drug paraphernalia. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail in Florence.

#### March 20

PCSO Search and Rescue responded to the 37000 block of E. Highway 60, Superior. An 18-year-old autistic male walked away from his guardian at the Arboretum. He was located at the Queen Creek Wash. He was dehydrated and had lost consciousness. He was transported by helicopter to a Phoenixarea hospital. **March 23** 

Theft of a horse trough was reported in the 32000 block of E. Hewitt Station Rd., Superior.

#### Weather

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Date	High	Low	Рср		
Mar 17	83	44			
Mar 18	81	45			
Mar 19	83	41			
Mar 20	85	43			
Mar 21	83	44			
Mar 22	82	45			
Mar 23	85	47			
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20. Help Wanted

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Town of Superior

Fire Department is

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position is Paid-on-

Call, with the wage

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individuals will need

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20. Help Wanted

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To apply for the position an application needs to be submitted to Margaret Gaston, Interim Town Manager, PO Box 218 Superior, AZ 85173 by 04/11/14.

#### Jobs Available Check the Classified!



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#### 20. Help Wanted

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Mark Nipp is the new Chief of the Superior Police Department. Mila Besich Lira | Sun

# Meet Superior Police Chief Mark Nipp

#### By Mila Besich Lira Superior Sun

During the March 6 meeting the Superior Town Council voted to hire Mark Nipp, he was sworn in with his wife pinning on his chief badge. Nipp comes to Superior after a long career in law enforcement, he is looking forward to serving in a small town once again.

Mark Nipp began his law enforcement career in 1993 after receiving an honorable discharge from the U.S. Marines. Mark first joined the Mohave County Sheriff's Office and later worked for the Riverside County Sheriff's Department, the BNSF Railway Police, and the Hemet Police Department.

Chief Nipp has worked a variety of assignments for these agencies to include; resident deputy, SWAT member, K-9 handler, rangemaster, defensive tactics instructor, and Investigations. As a sergeant, Nipp was a watch commander, supervised the school resource officer program, managed a police volunteer unit, and a highly successful police Explorer program. In addition, he has managed a variety of specialized projects for multiple agencies. He retired from the Hemet, California Police Department as a sergeant in 2011 and moved to Arizona. After relocating, Nipp joined the Arizona Corporation Commission, Securities Division.

He joins the Superior Police Department with a commitment to the community and an eye to the future. Chief Nipp sees many opportunities to collaborate with other law enforcement agencies and the community to solve many of the current deficiencies in the department. He would like to implement the Volunteers in Police Service program in Superior. "There are many things that volunteers can help us with," he said. One of the bigger challenges he is facing at this time is improving the reliability of the vehicle fleet and police equipment. He hopes to find grants and other resources to support the department budget. During his interview with the Superior Sun, Nipp stressed fiscal responsibility and managing the budget to support staffing and equipment for the department.

Chief Nipp is married and has two children. He plans on finding a home in Superior within the next six months.

Enoch and Abraham.

Jeremiah 29:11 tells

us that God has plans

for us, but often, we

have our own plans;

and they are not in

alignment with His.

Sometimes we are both

on a different path. But

these two paths do not

If heaven is to be our

future home, we must

tells us that when we

seek Him, we will find

walk the road that Jesus

is walking on. Scripture

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