

Villas West HOA Grounds Committee Report

October 12, 2021

As of my appointment to grounds in the spring, my committee and I have cleaned up and attended to the cactus in the cactus garden. It had been fertilized and grubbed at that time as well as in late September. Watering has not been needed since the monsoon season this summer. We have purchased new plant markers and are in the process of identifying all the plants and providing sheets to put in the kiosk at the garden.

We also have combed the VW sidewalks assessing the condition of all the circles. The conclusion is - all but two need attention. We were given permission from Chris, Board President, to go ahead and work on them. I will be guiding all decisions for proper plantings in these circles.

I have also purchased 3 trees from the TEP grow a tree program. These trees are offered for \$5 each for TEP customers. They will get planted in the proper location with the help of Marcos..

Our budget for the year for plants is \$1,000. To date, approximately \$800 has been spent. My goal is to stay in within budget. At the HOA meeting on the 12th, I will give this report as well as solicit any homeowners who wish to donate a cactus to us for replanting. I, for example, have a couple that I don't want on my patio anymore and they will offer more of a variety to our cactus garden