

## ATTENTION

April 1, 2010

To All Whispering Ranch Residents and Neighbors:

Listed is vital information to pressure the Maricopa County Department of Transportation (MCDOT) to build a bridge at Patton Road and the Hassayampa River – approximately 290<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Patton Road.

As you all know, when it rains we have serious flooding, and we are all stranded when the County closes Patton Road at the river bottom. Unable to travel across Whispering Ranch to the Wickenburg side since the Box Wash is flooded also. To solve this problem we need to work together to exert influence to have MCDOT build a bridge. Here are the steps to report the problem and request to have a bridge built at this location.

- 1.) Internet Web Site [www.mcdot.maricopa.gov](http://www.mcdot.maricopa.gov)
- 2.) At the Home Page, click on “SERVICES” on the top left
- 3.) At the bottom of the SERVICES page, click on “TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS”
- 4.) Toward the top on the right side of the TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT page, click on “PROJECT REQUEST FORM”
- 5.) Fill in the form with your request, state the problem and submit.

Please don't forget to mention about the Box Wash, Daggs Wash, Syndicate Wash and Star Wash. During rainy periods and flooding these cut off access to Vulture Mine Road to the west, and there are no alternative routes. Remember the Rainbow Valley situation and the bridge that MCDOT had to build there since a couple of people died in the flooding in that area. We have had deaths in the Hassayampa due to flooding, and we are now requesting a bridge.

Also, make a copy of this letter and distribute among your friends and neighbors. Let's spread the word and get this done!

If there is no access to a computer or to the Internet, a letter can be written explaining the problem. Sent the letter to:

Patti Suman  
MCDOT - Durango Complex  
2901 West Durango Street  
Phoenix, Arizona 85009

For additional information related to this request you can contact Patti Suman at (602) 506-8944 (Phone) or (602) 506-4882 (Fax).

Yours Truly,  
Whispering Ranch Property Owner