

Memorandum

CITY OF HENDERSON

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BUILDING & FIRE SAFETY

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TO: Residents on Tiger Willow Drive, Sun City MacDonald Ranch

FROM: Fulton Cochran, Blasting Committee Chairman

DATE: February 9, 2006

SUBJECT: Rock Fall Hazard Assessment

On Tuesday, February 7th at City Council the residents of Tiger Willow Drive brought to the attention of the City Council what they believed to be an immediate danger to their homes. Namely, the potential for a rock on the ridge behind some of their homes to become dislodged due to blasting in the Canyons development and roll down the slope into their homes. The Council heard this concern and told staff to look into this immediately.

On Wednesday, February 8th, city staff contacted several engineering firms requesting an immediate site visit and assessment. Terracon Consulting Engineers was able to respond to this short notice request and did visit the ridge in question and walk the hillside.

The engineer's report from Terracon is posted on the blasting web page.