

TO: Cochise County Board of Supervisors
FROM: Mescal Bar & Grill
DATE: Febr. 4, 2012
RE: Response to list of incidents from Cochise County
Sheriffs Office

We wish to thank the Board of Supervisors for the opportunity to consider our response to the incident report provided by the Cochise County Sheriffs Dept.

We assume that since we have received approval for our Temporary Premesis Extension every year prior to this year, that the concern of the Sheriffs Dept. is primarily the incident in Dec., 2011.

After review of the report we wish to also address the following:

Concerning the incident in Febr. 2008: The male suspect who assaulted the female patron inside the bar was requested to leave by the bartender as a result of the problems that he caused inside the bar. The male suspect was already out of the bar and leaving the premises when the bartender noticed his coat hanging by the door. She went outside to give him his coat when he, evidently angry at being asked to leave, drove his pick-up into the support posts. The bar requested and received compensation from the male suspect for the damage to the support posts.

Concerning the incident in Sept., 2009: We have only become aware of this incident on Thurs. of this week when we requested a copy of the Sheriffs report from Katie Howard. Without more details we are not able to recollect this incident to offer more insight.

Concerning the incident in Dec., 2011: Our understanding of the situation is that a male and a female subject were drinking at Bobbie Joe's Irish Pub. Male subject evidently left the female subject at Bobby Joe's and drove to Mescal Bar and parked in the parking lot. The female subject was then driven to Mescal Bar by Bobby Joe's bartender. Surveillance cameras then show the female subject entering the bar confronting a bar patron. She was immediately asked by the bartender to leave the bar. The confrontation continued outside in the parking lot. The male subject did not enter the bar at all. Due to the fact that the bartender went back into the bar to call Law Enforcement, we cannot offer more details than this.

We thank the Board of Supervosors for allowing us to present these facts for your consideration.

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