

Traffic Control

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We hope that 2019 is off to a great start for all of you.

In order to help maintain traffic control in our community please remember to observe and obey posted speed limits and stop signs. We continually observe residents speeding through the residents' gate entrance and on many of the community streets, especially on Cypresswood Boulevard. Because of this issue, the PCSO (Polk County Sheriff's Office) patrols have been increased. Violators will be issued citations. Please slow down and be aware of our many residents that are cyclists or pedestrians out for a walk or run.

Residents with gate transmitters need to remember that it is your responsibility to follow proper procedures. Do not presume that the resident gate arm will be up. You must raise and control the arm to keep it from hitting your vehicle. Remember to keep the gate transmitter activated all the way through the entrance and until you have passed the gate.

Traffic Control has only one person on duty at a time and it is their job it is to control community access. If you witness any suspicious or unusual activity in our community please call 911 if an emergency or in the case of a non-emergency call the PCSO directly at 863-298-6200. If you see something say something.

Remember that fishing without permission is permitted only in the two ponds adjacent to Plantation Way. All other ponds are private property and require owner's permission to fish them. Guests are not allowed to fish without a resident accompanying them. There is no motor vehicle parking permitted adjacent to the fishable ponds.

We are pleased to announce that the male Sandhill Crane with the dart through the neck has been captured by Bird Rescue Volunteer Lynn Zablo. The Crane was transported to Busch Gardens to have the dart surgically removed.

The Traffic Control Committee's implementation of the new policy requiring photo ID for any vehicle without a decal traveling through the non-resident gate as of May 1, 2018, has been successful. As a result the number of reported incidents and burglaries has been reduced. Thank you all for your patience and continued support.