

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

On behalf of the Town of Star Valley Ranch Community Assessment Resource Team, I would like to thank the Town of Star Valley Ranch, the Star Valley Ranch Association and the community members and town leaders who worked so hard to coordinate the Town of Star Valley Ranch Five-year Follow Up Community Assessment. This report contains an abundance of information that will hopefully be used by the people of Town of Star Valley Ranch to better the community and reach its goals.

While reading this report, you will find a variety of recommendations made by the team members on the issues that were identified during the listening sessions. This report has recommendations for the town, the Star Valley Ranch Association, and some joint ideas. We encourage both the town and SVRA to use these recommendations to build a plan for the future of Town of Star Valley Ranch. So much has been accomplished in Town of Star Valley Ranch and many of the concerns expressed are already being worked upon. You are to be commended!

Anything is possible if everyone works together to achieve a common goal, as the community-minded citizens of Town of Star Valley Ranch already know as shown by the ambitious efforts to obtain efficient and attractive town council offices and meeting room along with the progress made on roads and water issues. Town of Star Valley Ranch knows the important values for living. Your energetic citizens and city leaders who organized this assessment are to be commended--thank you Al Redlin of Town of Star Valley Ranch, Kathy Daulton, Star Valley Ranch Association, and Mayor for conducting our tour. Every step, no matter how small, is a movement in the right direction toward achieving Town of Star Valley Ranch's goals. It can be done. What you do with the recommendations is your choice and will be accomplished by the dedicated citizens of Town of Star Valley Ranch.

Members of our team will return to Town of Star Valley Ranch to facilitate a follow-up meeting later. The meeting will help determine the priorities and develop strategies for implementation in Town of Star Valley Ranch. We encourage everyone from the community to attend this meeting, even if they were unable to attend the community assessment. This follow-up goal setting meeting will identify both short-term and long-term goals for Town of Star Valley Ranch and should help with other planning efforts currently going on in your town.

On behalf of the Town of Star Valley Ranch Resource Assessment Team, let me express our gratitude for the hospitality shown us during our time in your community. Good luck on your challenges and visions.

Sincerely,

Jo Ferguson
Team Leader