



Committee Name:	<b>Welcome Committee</b>
Committee Chair:	Denisse Bravo, American Family Insurance – 797-8900
Board member:	Gabrielle M. Luoma, CPA
Committee Purpose/Mission:	members will be the liaison for the Marana Chamber of Commerce at all the chamber events. Conducts New Member Orientation meetings to provide new members with the opportunity to learn about the programs and benefits of being an active participant of the Marana Chamber of Commerce.

Briefly describe what your committee is working on at present (last 12 months), and where you see your efforts in the near future (1year).

Review 2010/11	Goals 2011/12
<input type="checkbox"/> Continue the new member orientations	<input type="checkbox"/> Continue the new member orientations
<input type="checkbox"/> Continue the buddy system with new members – trying to implement “face to face” meetings	<input type="checkbox"/> Will continue the “Buddy System” to contact new members via e-mail to facilitate time and effort – email list to Rebecca & Lizzie also include the status or problems with making contact with previous “Buddy’s”.
<input type="checkbox"/> Marana Chamber will continue to coordinate all the ribbon cuttings	<input type="checkbox"/> Will create an outline for the welcome committee to use to email new members
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee members will greet all new members at chamber events, participate in giving out door prizes – started 50/50 drawing with the Special Event committee.	<input type="checkbox"/> Continue greeting new members, participate in giving out door prizes and selling 50/50 tickets at breakfasts & lunches
<input type="checkbox"/> We have struggled to find new committee members that are willing to attend all Chamber Ribbon Cuttings	<input type="checkbox"/> We need to encourage chamber members to join the committee. The new committee purpose will help recruit new members.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> We are going to work on a responsibilities “chart” that will enable the committee members to have a better idea of what is required.

Comments: Since the members of the committee have declined the committee chair will communicate via email with the members rather than have monthly committee meetings. Recommend having a table with committee information with a sign up sheet