

ONLINE COMMENT CARDS FOR OCTOBER 6, 2025 REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

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10/06/2025	Items from Citizens Present	Cancel 287 (g) agreement between ICE and Mesa PD	I oppose	ICE is terrorizing our neighborhoods and destroying families. We do not want to be complicit in this activity. Keep Mesa safe and families together!	Miree Jimenez
10/06/2025	Items from Citizens Present	Flock safety	I oppose	Get AI spy cameras out of Mesa! These “Flock Safety” cameras are AI driven data collection devices that are easily hacked. They record everyone and everything and not just license plate data. This is surveillance en-massed. Ban these cameras from our communities! Their data is stored forever. What happens after collection is questionable and could be part of data breach. These are already responsible for victims of stalking being tracked and killed a handful of times already! Kick these to the curb, they are 100 times worse than RedFlex were on our freeways!	Rachel Johnson
10/06/2025	Items from Citizens Present	Mesa PD-ICE agreement	I oppose	The agreement between Mesa PD and ICE is putting our police officers in the position of working with a federal force that is consistently violating human rights. I feel that terminating the agreement would be a strong message that the city of Mesa does not condone the violent and unconstitutional behavior being demonstrated by federal agents and instead puts the city's citizens and their safety over partisan political optics. As a city with a diverse population, we must not normalize the cruelty of this administration's actions.	Leslie Griggs
10/06/2025	Items from Citizens Present	287(g) agreement	I oppose	I oppose the 287(g) agreement	Dee McDonald
10/06/2025	Items from Citizens Present	287(g)	I oppose	On Friday, masked ICE agents descended into an apartment building in Chicago and detained adults and children sleeping in their own homes, having committed no crime. The City of Mesa must not only end the existing 287g agreement, but take proactive measures to protect and defend the rights of our residents against harassment, profiling and arbitrary demands for identification. You must make sure that our churches, hospitals, and schools are defended from traumatizing raids by armed men. You are obligated to uphold the rights delineated in both the US and Arizona constitutions.	Alyssa
10/06/2025	Items from Citizens Present	287g agreement Mesa Police and ICE	I oppose	I do not support the 287g agreement between Mesa PD and ICE, please end the contract.	Ashley Pihlman
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	Police involvement with ICE	I oppose	When local police collaborate with ICE, immigrants — even those who are victims or witnesses to crimes — become afraid to report incidents or cooperate with investigations out of fear of deportation. That makes entire communities less safe, not more. Police should focus on protecting and serving their communities, not acting as federal immigration agents. Mixing the two roles blurs the line between public safety and immigration enforcement, leading to racial profiling, wrongful detentions, and the breakdown of community relationships that are essential for effective policing.	Paulina Marquez Murrieta
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	Police involvement with ICE	I oppose	Local police should focus on protecting residents, not acting as immigration agents, collaboration with ICE discourages people from reporting crimes or seeking help out of fear, which ultimately makes our neighborhoods less safe!	Alejandra Marquez
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	City of Mesa 287(g) agreement with immigration and ICE	I oppose	I want the city of Mesa to withdraw from its 287(g) agreement with the immigration and Customs Enforcement Agency(ICE) and cease any and all cooperation between ICE and the Mesa PD.	Melinda Chancellor
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287(g) agreement between City of Mesa and ICE	I oppose	I oppose the 287(g) agreement between the City of Mesa and Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and want it canceled with no further cooperation with ICE within Mesa	Nathan Chancellor
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287(g)	I support	I support the continuance of Mesa's 287(g) agreement with ICE. Keep Mesa citizens safe.	Lynne Shears
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287 g agreement	I oppose	We, residents of Mesa, do NOT support Mesa PD working with ICE. Our police force should protect EVERYONE living in Mesa.	Maia Peterson
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287 (g) agreement	I oppose	We, residents of Mesa, do NOT support Mesa PD working with ICE. Our police force should protect EVERYONE living in Mesa.	Maria Tetu
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287 (g)	I oppose	I do not support Mesa PD working with ICE. Mesa PD should be protecting and serving all Mesa residents.	Dominique Mackler
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287 (g)	I oppose	This program is racist and does not belong in our city.	Sophia Rutkowski
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287(g) Agreement	I oppose	Cancel 287(g) agreement between ICE and Mesa PD	Kellen Sam
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287(g)	I oppose	I oppose 287(g) and Mesa Police Department partnering with ICE. It is institutional racism against people color. As a future social worker, I'm obligated to uphold social justice. This agreement between Mesa PD and ICE gives police officers monetary incentive to be racist. Ew.	Claire Rutkowski
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	Police Involvement with ICE	I oppose	Police should serve and support the community. Our tax dollars fund this service so our community can call on them in times of distress. If police are working with a federal agency, that is outside their jurisdiction and a misappropriation of taxpayer money. People will not call the police for help if they are worried about being beaten, disappeared and stripped from their family. Mesa is one third Hispanic families. I was born and raised here. These are our people. These are our friends and neighbors. Our family. Please keep us safe.	Mandy Nielsen
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	Ice in Mesa PD	I oppose	Cancel the 287(g)	Mariel Gonzalez
06/10/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287(g)	I oppose	Cancel 287(g) agreement between ICE and Mesa PD	Franca Amoroso Chang
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	End 287G Agreement	I oppose	The policies and conduct of ICE are an unacceptable affront to human rights, our communities, and the foundations of our republic. Any cooperation with ICE is a danger to the people of Mesa and should be ceased immediately. Over 70% of ICE detainees have no criminal background and allocating the city's resources to persecuting immigrants is wasteful and immoral.	Chris
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	ICE and our Police	I oppose	Our Mesa police department should NOT be working with ICE.	Carolyn McCoy
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	ICE working with Mesa PD	I oppose	Mesa PD is here to protect and serve the community, not terrorize minority groups.	Anthony King
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	ICE working with Mesa PD	I oppose	Mesa PD is meant to be a service for the citizens to make us safer. Working with ICE can create an environment where people feel unsafe calling for emergency services.	Christine King
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	Mesa PD working with ICE	I oppose	Against 287(g) to keep the community safe	Martina Parra
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	AZ involvement with ice	I oppose	Hearing my very state I am a resident of is involved with the deplorable actions of ice. I would appreciate staying true to the constitution and staying away from agencies that choose to destroy it.	Jose Medina
10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287 (g) Agreement	I oppose	Separation of federal and state law enforcement. Separation of powers.	Russell Mackler

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10/06/2025	10-Items from Citizens Present	287 G agreement	I oppose	I was born, raised, and recently purchased a home in Mesa. This has always been and always will be my community. I have never felt unsafe in Mesa. ICE has been shown to use illegal and inhumane tactics to sow fear. Specifically, within our community I have faith that Mesa PD has the capacity to address any issues without involving federal agents, so that the citizens of Mesa feel safe and reassured by their presence. Mesa should be promoting diversity, kindness, tolerance and respect—I urge you to protect the well beings of ALL people who reside in this city, especially the vulnerable.	Donaven Montes