



## BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE

# THE BMCA e-BULLETIN

**Mission Statement:** To promote the exchange of resources and information that deters crime and secures our communities through the development of partnerships with fellow neighborhood organizations and city/county agencies and departments.

**BMCA website:** [www.bmcainfo.com](http://www.bmcainfo.com)

**e-mail:** [info@bmcainfo.com](mailto:info@bmcainfo.com)

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## BLACK MOUNTAIN POLICE PRECINCT NEWS

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The **BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE** is an all-volunteer network of neighbors helping neighbors serving their community. We are an alliance of Block Watch Groups, PNP Groups / Members, Neighborhood Groups, HOA's, Businesses, Schools, City/County Agencies and Departments and Individuals in the **BLACK MOUNTAIN POLICE PRECINCT**. Our goal is to prevent crime and improve the quality of life within our neighborhoods.



[www.bmcainfo.com](http://www.bmcainfo.com)

**NEXT BMCA & PNP MEETING**  
**No June, July or August Meetings!**  
**See you in September!**  
**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup>**  
**at 6:30pm**

at the DEER VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTER  
2001 W. Wahalla Ln., Phoenix, AZ 85027

**UPDATES FROM CITY COUNCIL**

**BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT UPDATES**  
by Commander Matt Siekmann

Meet with your AREA 21, 22, & 23  
Community Action Officers during the Breakout Session!

**PNP NEWS AND UPDATES**

To all Black Mountain PNP Members, this is your  
Black Mountain Precinct monthly PNP Meeting!

**PRESENTATION: TBD**

Crime Prevention Materials Distributed!  
Refreshments



### THE BLACK MOUNTAIN POLICE PRECINCT HOSTS THE

#### PHOENIX BLOCK WATCH ADVISORY BOARD

Meeting on **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28<sup>th</sup>**

6:30 pm at the Deer Valley Community Center

**PRESENTATION: ROSY ON THE HOUSE**



**PARENTS & CAREGIVERS**  
LOOK BEFORE YOU LOCK.  
KEEP OUR KIDS AND PETS SAFE!

### NEXT BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT COFFEE WITH COPS

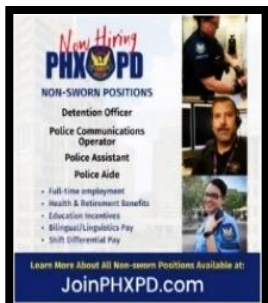


**Thursday, SEPTEMBER 26, 2024**

8:30 am at Biscuits Café, 310 E. Bell Rd.

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**

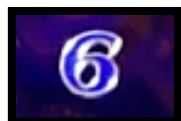
**GET TO KNOW YOUR CAO!**



**Wear BLUE on  
the 6<sup>th</sup> day of each month to show support of  
PHOENIX POLICE OFFICERS!**

***We can all show it on the same day. No need to gather at one place, we will be everywhere for all Officers to see!***

**WE'VE GOT YOUR SIX!**

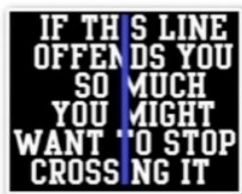


**Wear the "6" pin to show support for  
our police!  
Available at our Coffee with Cops  
and the BMCA General Meetings.**



**PHOENIX  
POLICE  
FOUNDATION**

**DONATE TODAY**



<https://www.phoenix.gov/police/oisinfo>

### **Phoenix Police Department Officer-Involved Shootings Information**

**The information on this page is intended to inform and educate the public about the use of deadly force, specifically Officer-Involved Shootings (OIS), and related topics from Phoenix Police.**

[www.phoenix.gov](http://www.phoenix.gov)

### **PPD USE OF FORCE DASHBOARD**

<https://stories.opengov.com/phoenixaz/published/6EtqIY5qQ>

## **Policeman's Prayer**

**Lord, bless the ones  
who wear the badge  
The ones who walk the beat,  
Protect and keep them safe  
While they're on the street.**

**As they wait and as they watch  
Doing good for all,  
guide their minds and  
give them strength  
For each and every call.**

**Ready to put their  
lives on the line  
Give them courage each day,  
Let them know  
you're always there  
In each and every way.**

**So bless the ones who  
wear the badge,  
Protect them from harm,  
Always keep them safe  
And in your loving arms.**

## **PHOENIX PD APP**

The Phoenix Police Department now has a mobile APP, bringing a variety of resources and information to one place. Users can use the app to access online reporting, crime statistics, precinct locations, phone numbers, career opportunities, virtual block watch, victims' rights information, and more. Users can also turn on notifications from the precinct they live in to receive news updates and information on events in their area.

The APP is now available both in the Apple Store for iOS and in the Google Play Store for Android.

**Report graffiti on the Phoenix PD app!** Graffiti can now be reported on the Police Department APP released in January 2021. Studies show that if graffiti is removed within 24 hours, there is a 90% likelihood that the graffiti will not use the app to have it removed! #GraffitiFreePHX

City of Phoenix Neighborhood Services Department.

## **WHEN YOU CALL 911 - KNOW THE 10 W'S**

- **What** - is your location? GIVE EXACT LOCATION
- **What** - happened? WHAT TYPE OF CRIME?
- **When** - did this happen?

*These questions will determine if it is a priority call. Give as much of this necessary information as you can.*

- **Was** - anyone hurt?
- **Weapons** - are there weapons involved?
- **What** - manner did they leave or arrive – foot, vehicle, bicycle...?
- **Who** - did it? –Suspect description
- **Where** - did the suspect go? – What direction
- **What** - did the suspect obtain? – type and amount
- **Who** - is calling? – Give your name location and phone number (You can remain anonymous. If you do give your name, the info is redacted from the public record access.)

**TEXT 9-1-1** "Call if you can. Text if you can't." After months of collaboration between numerous public agencies and advocates for the disability community (or advocates for the disabled) if you are in imminent danger and are unable to talk to a 911 operator, you now have for the first time in Phoenix the ability to text to 9-1-1.

# Phoenix Police Department Black Mountain Precinct NEWS



## Black Mountain Precinct

33355 North Cave Creek Rd., Cave Creek, AZ 85331

Precinct: 602.495.5002

## BACK TO SCHOOL

Well, it is that time of year again. The long days of a carefree summer are ending. Most parents are excited to have some free time to do some adulting and the kiddos are bummed to be back at the grind of school life. The heat is definitely still with us for a bit as vacations are winding down. The time for school shopping has begun and our children are heading back to the classroom. Soon, our morning rush to get out the door just to make it on time will start once again. All of us as a community should take some time to reflect on what this year will bring, and what we can all do to make this year healthy, safe and memorable.

Safety should always be a priority when it comes to our children. Most schools have unique ways they deal with drop off and pick up of students. Although this period of time is only 15 minutes twice a day, it can be very disruptive to some communities. Complaints range from illegal parking to aggressive driving and everything in between. Those of us who will be utilizing the drop off and pick up lines, please follow the school instructions on their required protocol. Many of the school's work with the City of Phoenix Streets Department to come up with a plan that is safe for our children. They design the traffic lines, so the children do not have to cross busy traffic, or risk getting hurt by cars. Parents, please follow your school's guidelines.

In addition, all citizens need to be cognizant of the speed limit, especially when school is in session. Most schools have signs posted and some have flashing lights to warn drivers about the school zone. If someone is caught speeding in a school zone, it is a criminal ticket, not just your standard speeding ticket. The slower speed allows more reaction time in the event you need to stop quickly. Please keep in mind there are crosswalks in these areas. If a car is stopped at the crosswalk, whether there is a red light, stop sign or anything else, another driver cannot pass that stopped vehicle. This is a safety precaution in the event

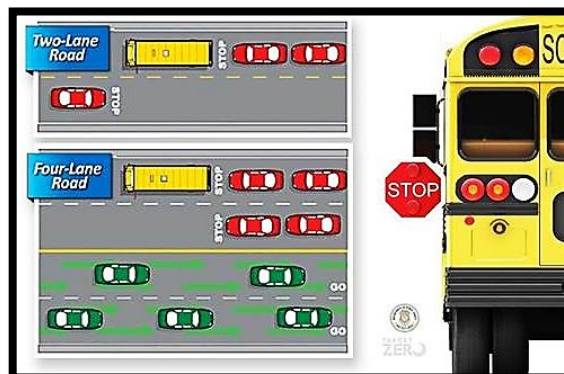
someone is crossing the street and is not yet visible by the other driver. This same rule applies to school buses as well. If bus lights are flashing and the stop sign is out it is your responsibility to stop. We want our children to get to school safely.

It has been said that children are one third of our population and all our future. Our children are precious and should be protected at all costs in all aspects of life. Give them the tools to take care of themselves properly and do your part to ensure they have a safe place to live, learn and love.



CA Officer Tim Tewers #8698

at 602-495-5213 or 480-506-6454 [tim.tewers@phoenix.gov](mailto:tim.tewers@phoenix.gov)



**'IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING !'**  
**AND CALL 911, CRIME STOP 602-262-6151**  
**OR SILENT WITNESS 480-WITNESS**

## BLACK MOUNTAIN POLICE PRECINCT COMMUNITY ACTION OFFICER SQUAD:



### 21 Area North/South (Beats 212 & 213)

(W 7<sup>th</sup> Street to E Scottsdale Rd. & S SR101 to N Carefree Hwy..)

### 21 Area North (Beat 214)

(W 83<sup>rd</sup> Ave to E 7<sup>th</sup> Street & S Dynamite Blvd. to N Mingus Rd.)

### 21 Area South (Beat 211)

(W I-17 to E 7<sup>th</sup> St. & S SR101 to N Dynamite Blvd.)

### CA Officer Jeffrey Blair #7966

at 602-495-5481 or 480-506-6993 [jeffrey.blair@phoenix.gov](mailto:jeffrey.blair@phoenix.gov)



### 22 Area North (Beats 223 & 224)

(W I-17 to E 7<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> Sts. & S Bell Rd. to N SR101)

### CA Officer Tim Tewers #8698

at 602-495-5213 or 480-506-6454 [tim.tewers@phoenix.gov](mailto:tim.tewers@phoenix.gov)



### 22 Area South (Beats 221 & 222)

(W I-17 to E 7<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> Sts. & S T-Bird/Cactus Rd. to N Bell Rd.)

### CA Officer Jon McQuillan #8926

at 602-495-5238 or 602-904-9985 [jon.mcquillan@phoenix.gov](mailto:jon.mcquillan@phoenix.gov)



### 23 Area North (Beats 233 & 234)

(W 7<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> Sts. To E SR51 & S Bell Rd. to N SR101)

### 23 Area South (Beats 231 & 232)

(W 7<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> Sts. To E SR51 & S Cactus Rd. to N Bell Rd.)

### CA Officer Jeremy Campbell #9021

at 602-495-5276 or 602-904-9983

[jeremy.campbell@phoenix.gov](mailto:jeremy.campbell@phoenix.gov)



### Black Mountain Precinct CAO Sgt. Linda Miller

602-495-5112 or 602-904-9195

[linda.m.miller@phoenix.gov](mailto:linda.m.miller@phoenix.gov)



### Black Mountain Precinct Community Programs Lt. Ben Sywarungsymun #7094

602-495-5016

[ben.sywarungsymun@phoenix.gov](mailto:ben.sywarungsymun@phoenix.gov)



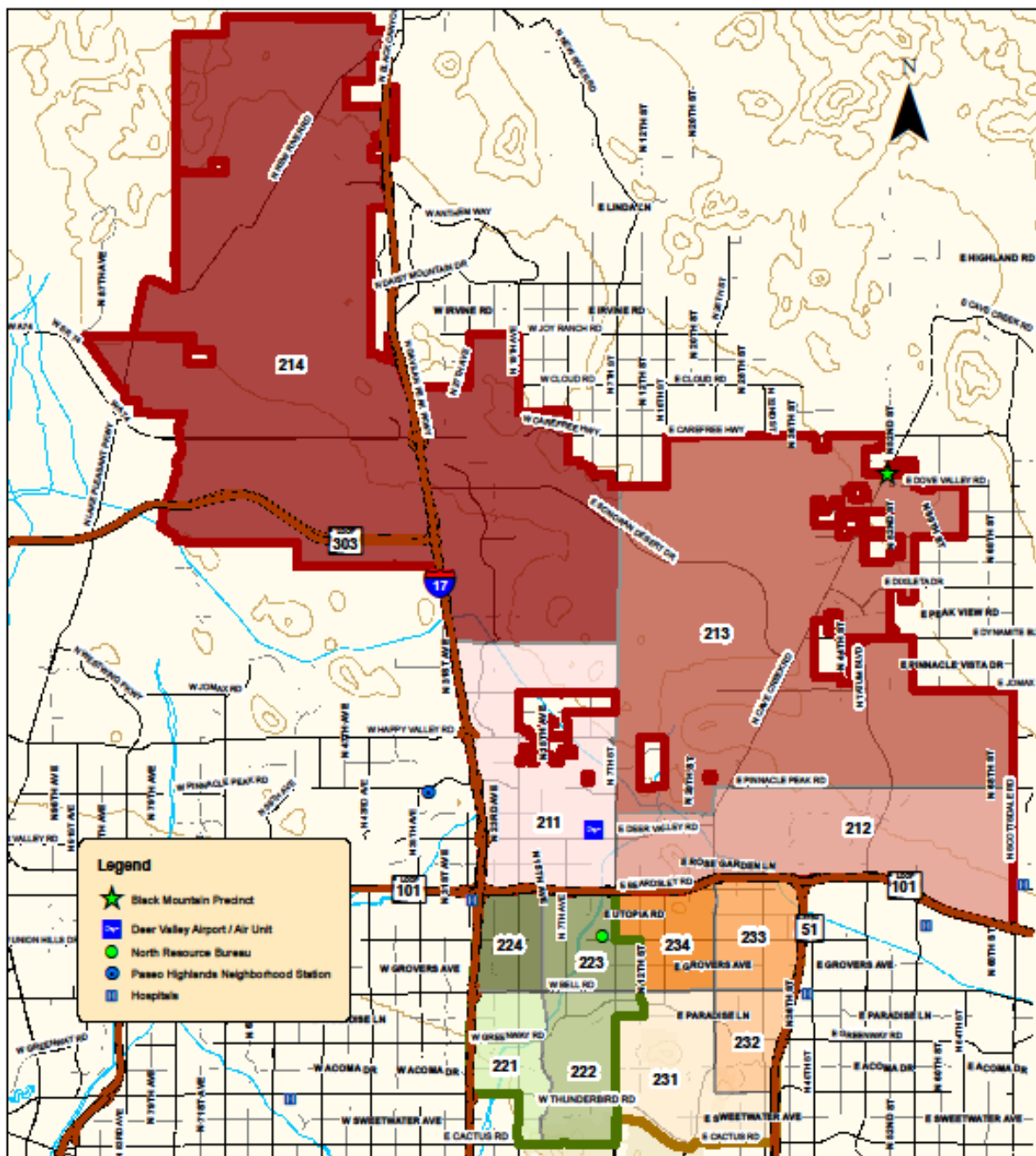
### Black Mountain Precinct Commander Matt Siekmann

602-262-5063

[matt.siekmann@phoenix.gov](mailto:matt.siekmann@phoenix.gov)



# City of Phoenix Police Department Black Mountain Precinct (200) Squad and Beat Boundaries



Boundaries Effective October 20, 2014

Phoenix Police Department  
Crime Analysis and Research Unit (GARU)  
Updated: 10/1/2014  
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## CITYWIDE PHOENIX NEIGHBORHOOD PATROL



Detective Brian Kornegay

### Monthly Citywide PNP Meetings

**3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month, 6pm to 8pm**

We have returned to in-person meetings at Mountain View Precinct, 2075 E. Maryland Ave, from 6pm to 8pm. Technology willing, we have a virtual component so people can still attend online.



The login information is below. For most people simply click the green box (hyperlink) below that says "Join PNP Meeting" and that will take you to the meeting. If not, open [webex.com](https://webex.com) and select Join Meeting, when prompted, enter the below meeting number and password in the appropriate fields

[Join PNP Meeting](#)

**Join by meeting number:**

**Meeting number (access code): 2460 133 9355**

**Meeting password: ceb2024**

(This is the same meeting number for all of 2024 to make it easier for everyone)

### IRS Mileage Rate Current Rate

If you have Mileage Reimbursement funds in your current BW Grant this is important info for you. The mileage reimbursement rate was increased as of January 1, 2024. It is now 67 cents a mile.

### PNP merchandise order forms and cost:

As you are writing your grants, you might be budgeting for PNP equipment, like clothing, street signs and/or vehicle signs and are curious about expected prices for 2024. If any of you have bought groceries or filled up your gas tank you know there has been an increase in the cost of just about everything recently. The updated order forms are now online at [www.phoenix.gov](http://www.phoenix.gov)

Brian Kornegay #5132, Detective,  
Phoenix Police Department  
Community & Employee Resource Bureau  
Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol,  
Criminal Nuisance Abatement  
& Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design  
Coordinator.  
602-256-4303 Desk / 602-534-2346 Fax  
[Brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov](mailto:Brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov)

### PNP Basic classes

#### 2024 Training Dates & Locations

**In-Person :** January 20, May 18, September 21  
(1-Day) Mountain View Precinct's Community Room  
2075 E. Maryland Ave, Phoenix, AZ 85016  
8am to Noon, check-in begins at 7:30am

**Virtual:** March 20 & 21, July 24 & 25, November 20 & 21  
(2-Days) Using Cisco Webex Meetings online platform  
5pm to 7pm each day, check-in begins at 4:30pm

Register for a class at:

[PNP.Coordinator@phoenix.gov](mailto:PNP.Coordinator@phoenix.gov) or 602-256-4303

Additional classes are added throughout the year, for the most current list please visit

[www.pnpmembers.com](http://www.pnpmembers.com)

### Block Watch and Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol TRAINING

#### Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol / Block Watch 4 hour Training

- Helps neighbors to be better eyes and ears for the Phoenix Police Department.
- Know when to call 911 or Crime Stop [602 262 6151](tel:602.262.6151)
- Understand the process of why the operator asks the questions and what information to be prepared with.
- Be an observer without being confrontational.

**NEXT TRAINING CLASSES: Online**  
**July 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>**

## PNP GROUP PATROL

Contact Rick Sain at [ussyorktown25@hotmail.com](mailto:ussyorktown25@hotmail.com) or  
at 602-799-0143

**Next First Friday's Group Patrol is on  
Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>**

We have a new meeting place, the address is 1202 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St, next to the Phoenix Center for the Arts. It is a big parking lot, and it does fill up fast. I am changing the meeting and start time. We will start to meet at 6:00pm, and start our patrol at 6:30pm, and we will get done between 9:45pm- 10pm.

**PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU CAN MAKE IT.** This way, I can try and block off some parking spaces for us. And I can also contact you if anything should happen. I do not have some of your cell phone numbers, so if you plan on going, please send me your number. If you can't find us on Friday night, my cell number is 602-799-0143.

Thanks. Rick

**Save the Date!**  
**2024**

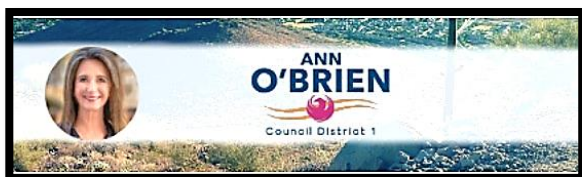
**47th Annual S'edav Va'aki Museum  
Indian Market &  
Young Artist Market**

**December 14 & 15, 2024**  
**S'edav Va'aki Museum**  
**Phoenix, AZ 85034**  
(formerly Pueblo Grande Museum)



ARTIST APPLICATIONS  
OPEN MAY 15  
Questions? Contact:  
[market@svmfoundation.org](mailto:market@svmfoundation.org)





### **District 1 Community Breakfast/Dinner with Councilwoman Ann O'Brien**

**Next Breakfast will be on Friday, September 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 am  
at the Doubletree in Metrocenter**

Please RSVP at 602-262-7444 [council.district.1@phoenix.gov](mailto:council.district.1@phoenix.gov)

### **Message from Councilwoman Ann O'Brien**

Did you know that the color of your swimsuit impacts visibility in the water? Summer is already extremely hot and many of you are looking to get out to the lakes, the public pools, or your own pools. I never even thought about it, but the color of your swimsuit effects the visibility depending on where you are at in the water. Make sure no matter what body of water you're in, you're picking colors that that will keep you and your kids safer. [The city also has a lot of resources for heat safety and weather relief, you can learn more here.](#)



All my best, **Ann** Councilwoman, District 1

### **Community Canopy Grant Program**



The City of Phoenix is offering grants for individuals and neighborhoods to apply for trees for their homes. [Visit here to apply and find more information.](#) Please contact Kayla Killoren at [kayla.killoren@phoenix.gov](mailto:kayla.killoren@phoenix.gov) or 602-534-1203 with any questions regarding this program.

### **City Launches Community Survey**

The survey is served up to residents on various websites and social media platforms. Residents can also respond to the survey directly with [this link](#).

We've also created a [survey landing page](#) on Phoenix.gov to answer questions, including the security and privacy of the survey.

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### **Interested in serving on Phoenix's Boards and Commissions?**

District 1 is seeking community leaders interested in serving as the District's representative for various boards and commissions, such as the Village Planning Committee.

To start the application process, please visit the [Boards and Commissions webpage](#).



**Twitter: JimWaring**

**Facebook: [facebook.com/waringjim](https://facebook.com/waringjim)**

### **Upcoming City Council Meetings**

**Next City Council Formal Meeting: AUGUST 26<sup>th</sup>**

**Next City Council Policy Meeting: SEPTEMBER 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>**

### **Subcommittee Schedule**

Public Safety and Justice (PSJ) – 10:00 a.m., first Wednesday of the month  
Economic Development and Housing (EDH) – 10:00 a.m., second Wednesday of the month

Transportation, Infrastructure and Planning (TIP) – 10:00 a.m., third Wednesday of the month



**District 3 Vice Mayor Debra Stark**  
602-262-7441 [council.district.3@phoenix.gov](mailto:council.district.3@phoenix.gov)

### **District 3 Community Meeting**

Our office will not be hosting any District 3 community chats during the summer. We will return in the Fall/Winter.

Please contact our office if you have any questions.

Email: [Council.District.3@phoenix.gov](mailto:Council.District.3@phoenix.gov) or call us at 602-262-7441.

RSVP 602-262-7441 or [council.district.3@phoenix.gov](mailto:council.district.3@phoenix.gov)

### **CITY OF PHOENIX DIAPER EVENT**

Phoenix is hosting a Diaper Event throughout August! Families can receive up to 150 diapers per child on a walk-in basis at various Family Services Centers.

Time: 8:00am - 3:00pm Dates and Locations:

Tuesdays: August 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th  
Sunnyslope Family Services Center  
914 W. Hatcher Rd., Phoenix, AZ 85021

Wednesdays: August 14th, 21st, 28th  
John F Long Family Services Center  
3454 N. 51st Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85031

Thursdays: August 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th  
Travis L Williams Family Services Center  
4732 S. Central Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85040

Please bring the following documentation:

Parent or guardian picture I.D.

Child's Birth Certificate OR document with both parent and child's names listed

Income verification (example: Paystubs or SNAP/EBT)

Must be at or below 185 percent of the Federal Poverty Level

Must reside in the City of Phoenix

For questions, please call: (602) 534-AIDE (2433)

# BMCA

## ATTENDS & SUPPORTS. . .

Meetings and Events all over Black Mountain Precinct and beyond each month!

### JULY 6, 2024

**Black Mountain Community Alliance  
at the THRIVE BELL ROAD CLEAN-UP**



Nina and the crew



### JULY 9, 2024

**Black Mountain Community Alliance  
at the Black Mountain Precinct  
BLOOD DRIVE**



CAO Tim



Police Assistant David



Arianna

### JULY 11, 2024

**Black Mountain Community Alliance  
at the BW GRANT OVERSIGHT  
COMMITTEE MEETING 6 pm**





### **BRBA MISSION STATEMENT**

**“We are an alliance of Businesses and Stakeholders for Crime Prevention and Safety along the Bell Road Corridor.”**

**JULY 16, 2024  
BELL ROAD BUSINESS ALLIANCE  
MEETING  
at 11 am at Bell Ford**



BRBA Chairman Greg Freeman



Susan and Councilwoman Ann



NSD Mari



Detective Brian Kornegay



The presentation was with Detective Brian Kornegay who specializes in CPTED.

What is CPTED you ask? Great question!

CPTED stands for Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design. It has a complicated name but is an amazingly simple and effective concept around how businesses can physically be "arranged" to deter and prevent crime. It can be as simple as not having posters covering the windows or the interior layout of the store being set up to make most areas visible.

Ever notice when you go into a QuikTrip store that the cashiers are on risers behind the counter and stand much higher than you? That's CPTED.

Another example is when the owners and property managers of the vacant building at 2340 West Bell Road replaced the (soft and comfortable) grass with (jagged and uncomfortable) rock all along the front landscaping.

Next Bell Road Business Alliance meeting is on  
Tuesday, August 20, 2024, at 11 am.

For more information contact [bellroadbusinessalliance@gmail.com](mailto:bellroadbusinessalliance@gmail.com)

### **NO AUGUST BELL ROAD CLEANUP!**

The next Thrive Phoenix community clean-up on Bell Road is Saturday, September 7<sup>th</sup> from 7 am to 9 am

For more information visit [Thrivephoenix.org](http://Thrivephoenix.org) or email at [info@thrivephoenix.org](mailto:info@thrivephoenix.org)

**JULY 16, 2024**

**Black Mountain Community Alliance  
at the CITYWIDE PNP MEETING  
6 pm at Mt. View Precinct and on WebEx**



**JULY 25, 2024**

**Black Mountain Community Alliance  
at the REACH MEETING  
1 pm at the Juniper Branch Library & Zoom**



Lisa Magarelli, Director 480-306-3297



**REACH North Phoenix  
Drug Prevention Project**  
Reaching Every Adolescent Creating Hope

**Mission & Vision**  
Vision: Rebuild our community where people are inspired to choose substance-free lifestyles and REACH their full potential  
Mission: Provide education and awareness to prevent and treat substance misuse for people to personally thrive and positively impact the community

**Who We are**  
The REACH Coalition is dedicated to fostering community well-being through focused drug prevention and education initiatives.

**Area We Serve**  
85032, 85027, 85024, 85022

**What do we do?**  
The REACH Coalition uses a comprehensive strategy that merges strong prevention programs, educational initiatives, and community-wide campaigns to tackle and diminish substance misuse disorders.

**Tabletop/Community Events**  
We extend community events to provide information and awareness.

**Community Presentations**  
As a coalition, we conduct community presentations to offer education, training, and increase awareness.

**Information Distribution**  
We distribute preventative or drug education, prevention, and youth resiliency.

**PRESENTATIONS  
FOR ADULTS AND YOUTH  
IN ENGLISH AND SPANISH**

**FENTANYL/NALOXONE  
METHAMPHETAMINE  
VAPING  
ALCOHOL  
MARIJUANA  
STIGMA AND RESILIENCY**

**Substance Abuse  
Coalition Leaders  
of Arizona**

**CALL FOR  
FREE  
NALOXONE**

Lisa Magarelli-Dallaire, MS, Director  
480.306.3297  
lisa@rebuildrecovery.org  
www.rebuildrecovery.org

**TIME TO START PLANNING YOUR  
2024 G.A.I.N. EVENT!**

**G.A.I.N. DAY IS OCTOBER 19<sup>th</sup> !**

**Send us your info - date, time  
and place for this Bulletin!**



**Confirm City of Phoenix  
Representatives now, before they  
are booked!**

**G.A.I.N. Kick-Off is on  
Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup> at Christown Mall**

**G.A.I.N. Information Page:**  
[Phoenix Police Department - GAIN](#)

**G.A.I.N. Registration link:** [GAIN Registration](#)

**If you have not already registered for your 2024 G.A.I.N. event, please visit the above links to get registered.**

**Online G.A.I.N. registration closes on September 25, 2024. All groups who register prior to that date will be eligible to receive a "Crime Prevention Tote" that will be handed out at the G.A.I.N. Kick Off event on October 5, 2024.**

**G.A.I.N. Kick Off**

**We are also happy to announce that G.A.I.N. Kick Off is returning to Christown Spectrum Mall for 2024. All registered G.A.I.N. events will receive an email invite with details of G.A.I.N. Kick Off once they are finalized**

# City of Phoenix

## NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES DEPARTMENT

**General Information 602-534-4444**



### NEIGHBORHOOD SPECIALISTS

District 1 - JOHNNY MENDOZA 602-463-6776

[Johnny.mendoza@phoenix.gov](mailto:Johnny.mendoza@phoenix.gov)

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[e.mari.herrera-daniels@phoenix.gov](mailto:e.mari.herrera-daniels@phoenix.gov)

District 3 - KRISTA ROY

[krista.roy@phoenix.gov](mailto:krista.roy@phoenix.gov)

### BLIGHT AND ZONING LAWS

**STRUCTURES:** The maintenance of a home is the responsibility of the property owner. Any wood, siding, shingles, roof covering, railings, fences, walls, ceilings, porches, doors, windows, screens, and other exterior parts of any structure on the property must be maintained in weather tight, sound condition and in good repair. The property owner is responsible for making sure there are no doors or windows left open and not secure to the outside. **FOR HELP** call the Preservation Division of the Neighborhood Services Dept. at 602-495-0700 to see if you qualify for a free Grant!

**OUTDOOR STORAGE:** All outside storage that can be seen from the street should be inside sheds or cabinets. Items should not be set in car ports in view of the street. Please use enclosed areas or backyards.

**JUNK, TRASH & DEBRIS:** Junk, trash and debris cannot be left in the yard or car port and must be properly disposed of. This includes junk auto parts, appliances, furniture, building and/or landscaping material, trash such as discarded papers, cardboard, plastics, etc. including tree trimmings and fallen limbs or any other items that appear to have been discarded. The only exception is during the Bulk Trash Collection weeks four times a year.

**PARKING:** Parking is only permitted for passenger cars and motorcycles on residential streets, on driveways or in garages. A driveway or parking area must be constructed with an approved dust free parking surface. The stone must be 1/4 - 3/4 in size with a permanent border holding it in. 1/4 minus size stone is not allowed for parking. There are limits to the amount of front yard area that can be used for parking. Only 35% of the front yard may be converted to driveway or dust free parking.

**GRASS AND WEEDS:** Grass and weeds must not be allowed to grow over 6 inches high due to fire hazard, allowing the weeds to go to seed and spreading throughout the neighborhood and insect infestation.

**ELIMINATE GRAFFITI:** Keeping the neighborhood graffiti free is something we can all do. If there is graffiti on your property, please remove it as soon as possible. The Graffiti Busters Program provides paint, supplies and training to assist groups with eliminating graffiti. The City will also remove the graffiti from private property with written permission from the property owner. Call 602-495-7014.

The Transit PD has a new dedicated email address for complaints specific to bus stops and light rail platforms. Please email [ppd.comm.eng@phoenix.gov](mailto:ppd.comm.eng@phoenix.gov) describing the location, issue and criminal activity observed. The on-duty Transit Unit Sergeant will be responsible for looking into the complaint, addressing concerns, and following up with the reporting party to explain the action was taken. Please feel free to share and pass the information along.

- Johnny Mendoza



Neighborhood College is a one-of-a-kind collaboration of workshops and hands-on learning experiences brought to you by multiple city departments. The intent of the program is to provide each participant with knowledge about the city's programs, services and resources; the tools to access those resources; and the skills and ideas with which to build positive, sustainable communities. Everyone is welcome! Regardless of whether you're a seasoned community leader or a new resident just looking to get to know your new home better, Neighborhood College is flexible enough to meet the needs of all Phoenix residents! We hope to see you at one of our many free workshops – and encourage your neighbors to do the same. **To sign up, call us at 602-534-4444. Online registration:** We've partnered with the Parks and Recreation Department to use their online enrollment process. You will be taken to "Parks and Recreation Online" where you will need to sign up for a free account. This is a one-time process that will only take a few moments. You will then be able to use the site in the future to sign up for any additional workshops.

**CHECK THE [www.phoenix.gov](http://www.phoenix.gov) website for info...**



Did you know that NSD operates a Tool Lending Program? The goals of the program are to support homeownership and maintenance and assist in the revitalization of neighborhoods.

The Tool Lending Program currently offers 16 different types of tools available for

loan. Tools can be borrowed by neighborhood associations and block watches registered on [Neighborhood Link](http://Neighborhood Link), and recognized non-profit organizations for valid community projects.

Learn more about the program at [phoenix.gov/nsd/programs/cleanups-and-tool-lending](http://phoenix.gov/nsd/programs/cleanups-and-tool-lending) or email [ToolLend.nsd@phoenix.gov](mailto:ToolLend.nsd@phoenix.gov) or call 602-534-4444.

### 2025 GENERAL PLAN SURVEY

Dear Neighborhood Leaders and Members,

*This message has been shared by the Planning and Development Department.*

The City of Phoenix Planning and Development Department is seeking the community's input on the 2025 General Plan! The General Plan serves as a comprehensive roadmap for the future physical development of Phoenix, based on the vision of its citizens. To help with this, Planning and Development has created two surveys. Community participation in these surveys is paramount in helping the City identify "tools for action" with the established city-wide policy framework, which will enable the City of Phoenix to plan, prioritize and align its efforts for the next ten years. Have your voice heard and become an active participant in this important initiative by completing the planPHX surveys today: [www.Phoenix.gov/PDD/GeneralPlan2025](http://www.Phoenix.gov/PDD/GeneralPlan2025)

## NSD PROGRAMS

### Code Compliance

[Private Property Code Compliance](#)

[Graffiti](#)

[Shopping Cart Removal](#)

[Abandoned and Neglected Private Properties](#)

### Community Engagement

[Get Involved in Your Neighborhood](#)

[Neighborhood Cleanups and Tool Lending](#)

[Volunteer](#)

[Neighborhood College](#)

### Neighborhood Revitalization

[Energy Efficiency Improvements](#)

[Housing Repairs](#)

[Lead Removal](#)

[Multi-Family Rental Property Repairs](#)

[Infill Housing Development](#)

[Neighborhood Business Assistance](#)



## BLOCK WATCH IMPROVES THE QUALITY OF LIFE WITHIN NEIGHBORHOODS

Block Watches come in all sizes. They can be a few houses in a cul-de-sac to a whole square mile neighborhood. They help to develop a "sense of community" and strengthen and sustain neighborhoods by bringing residents/neighbors together with a common interest.

Every Block Watch starts with one person and their concern for the safety and well-being of themselves and their families. Their motivation may be to meet or get to know their neighbors to protect the children, to keep property values up by eliminating blight and graffiti, to stop speeding on the streets by installing speed humps to protect the children, to have peace of mind by discouraging barking dogs and loud parties, and to be safe from crimes like burglary, theft, and assault.

We all want to live in a safe and secure environment. Our homes should be safe havens. By rights there should be several layers of protection from the national level to our own neighborhoods. National and state governments provide control of our borders; state and city governments provide police and fire protection, education, and other resources, community member groups provide Phoenix Neighborhood Patrollers and the posting of PNP signs on neighborhood streets; Block Watch provides neighbors watching out for neighbors; and we provide our own home security alarms, lighting, and burglary prevention measures.

## HELP STOP CRIME IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD BY STARTING A BLOCK WATCH GROUP ON YOUR STREET TODAY!

*Distribute this announcement to invite people to the Block Watch Meeting:*

### You're Invited to an Important Meeting!

If you are as interested as I am about maintaining and improving the quality of life on our street and in our neighborhood, please attend an important meeting to be held:

DAY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_ TIME \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION \_\_\_\_\_

A representative of the Phoenix Police Department will be there to discuss a way we can impact and improve our community. It is called **BLOCK WATCH**, and we will be informed how to combine our efforts to make our homes and our neighborhood a safer place to live.

**Please Plan to Attend and RSVP to:**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

## BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT Block Watch / PNP LISTINGS

List your Block Watch / PNP, Meeting Dates and Events HERE  
Send your info to the Black Mountain Community Alliance at

[info@bmcainfo.com](mailto:info@bmcainfo.com)

### LIST YOUR BLOCK WATCH AND INFO HERE...

**ANTHEM NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH** for info call 509-670-5237 or e-mail Chairman Christine Perry at [AnthemNeighborhoodWatch@gmail.com](mailto:AnthemNeighborhoodWatch@gmail.com) or [www.OnLineAtAnthem.com/ANW](http://www.OnLineAtAnthem.com/ANW)

**ARROYO GRANDE-ANTHEM BLOCK WATCH** for info call Diane Lee at 623-251-6612

**BELCANTO BLOCK WATCH** [gloriapink12@gmail.com](mailto:gloriapink12@gmail.com)

**CACTUS SWEETWATER BLOCK WATCH** Coleen Hager [chagercpa@cox.net](mailto:chagercpa@cox.net), or [essmott@cox.net](mailto:essmott@cox.net)

**CAREFREE MANOR BLOCK WATCH** for info e-mail [carefreepnp@gmail.com](mailto:carefreepnp@gmail.com)

**CINNABAR BLOCK WATCH** for info call 623-869-8118 or e-mail [budpamdeb@yahoo.com](mailto:budpamdeb@yahoo.com)

**DEER VALLEY PARK NEIGHBORHOOD BLOCK WATCH ORGANIZATION / PNP (DVPNBWO) MEETINGS** with the BMCA at 6:30 pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of most months at the DVCC! Check Website for info [www.dvpnbwo.com](http://www.dvpnbwo.com) 623-533-0847 / [dvpnbwo@aol.com](mailto:dvpnbwo@aol.com)

**DESERT WIND BLOCK WATCH** for info e-mail Bill Christian [whchristian@msn.com](mailto:whchristian@msn.com)

**HILLCREST EAST BLOCK WATCH** [spring11@cox.net](mailto:spring11@cox.net)

**INVERNESS COMMUNITY WATCH PARTNERSHIP** [community.watch.85023@gmail.com](mailto:community.watch.85023@gmail.com)

**JOHN JACOBS BLOCK WATCH** Meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month from 6:30 – 7:30 pm at the John Jacobs Elementary School cafeteria located at 14421 N. 23<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85023. For info contact [johnjacobsbw1@outlook.com](mailto:johnjacobsbw1@outlook.com) or Fred at 505-514-1439

**MINI MOON II BLOCK WATCH** (in Moon Valley along Interlachen) Primary Contact: Myra Ridder [myraridder@cox.net](mailto:myraridder@cox.net) Contact us for meeting info.

**MOON VALLEY GARDENS NEIGHBORHOOD BLOCK WATCH ZOOM** meetings are on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of February, May, September and November. The other months they are with the BMCA Meetings. [mvge@cox.net](mailto:mvge@cox.net) Candice 602-402-7914

**MONTE CRISTO BLOCK WATCH** [LECADDSEVICES@Yahoo.com](mailto:LECADDSEVICES@Yahoo.com)

**NORTHTOWN COMMUNITY BLOCK WATCH / PNP** FOR UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS e-mail [nkcurtinaz@hotmail.com](mailto:nkcurtinaz@hotmail.com) or call Nora Curtin at 602-689-9696

**PALM LAKES VILLAGE BLOCK WATCH** Meetings held on the first Fridays at 11:00 am at the Club House at 16415 N. 33<sup>rd</sup> Way. For info contact [mmellenbrook@cox.net](mailto:mmellenbrook@cox.net)

**RIDGE RUNNERS II PNP GROUP** Frank Landry 615-939-7759 [franklandry00@gmail.com](mailto:franklandry00@gmail.com)

**SEVEN PALMS BLOCK WATCH / PNP** Meetings are the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month at 6:30pm in the Clubhouse. Call 602-471-5861 or e-mail [sevenpalmsblockwatchpnp@yahoo.com](mailto:sevenpalmsblockwatchpnp@yahoo.com) for info.

**VILLAGE MEADOWS BLOCK WATCH** meets on the third Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm [www.villagemeadows.org](http://www.villagemeadows.org)

# CRIME TIPS:

## PROTECT YOUR MOVE: HOW TO AVOID MOVING SCAMS

Summer is the prime season for moving. Whether you're relocating across the country for work, downsizing to a new home or sending a kid off to college, choosing the right moving company should be at the top of your to-do list.

Placing your trust in a company to transport your belongings safely and securely at the agreed-upon price is a significant commitment, and unfortunately, scammers often exploit the stress and anxiety of moving.

Here's what to know to protect you and your possessions from a costly moving scam.

### HOW IT WORKS

You see enticing ads for cheap moving options online or in print.

The "affordable" mover offers you an estimate by phone without coming to assess the work effort.

They might demand a hefty deposit, or even full payment, in advance.

The mover may ask you to sign a blank or incomplete form, saying they'll fill it in later.

### WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

Moving scams are committed by rogue operators that exist primarily online.

With your deposit in hand, the "movers" may simply not show up at the appointed time and place.

Or they'll try to change the deal at the last minute, jacking up the price or adding fees, which can double the cost of your move.

In the worst case, the movers might disappear with your stuff, abandon it in a storage facility or refuse to deliver unless you fork over more money, a scenario known as a "[hostage load](#)."

### WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

Get referrals from relatives, friends or neighbors who have moved recently or from real estate agents.

Research companies you are considering. Look up their [Better Business Bureau](#) profiles, and use the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration's [database](#) to review an interstate mover's registration status and complaint history.

Get everything in writing — including estimates. If there are any changes, insist on a revised estimate before any packing or loading begins.

Use a credit card when paying so you have its protection in the event of a dispute.

## HOW FRAUD CRIMINALS SEEK PAYMENT

Today's fraud criminal takes great advantage of faster and newer ways to move money. Knowing about the financial tools they employ can help you recognize a scam attempt in process and disengage before the criminal's payday.

### HOW IT WORKS

Every fraud criminal is out to steal money (or sensitive information, which leads to money).

A common scenario starts with an unexpected and urgent communication that yields a heightened emotional response in the target. The criminals' playbook tells them it's hard for the target to employ logic when their brain is emotionally hijacked.

After this opening, the criminal seeks their payday, often taking advantage of payment methods that are quick or that their target may not fully understand.

### WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

Based on federal data from the first three months of 2024, the majority of theft happened through [cryptocurrency](#) and **bank transfers** (\$830 million, and we know that's a vast undercount).

Criminals employ crypto in bogus investment schemes and as a means of payment to address a fake issue — directing the target to withdraw large amounts of cash from their bank and deposit it into crypto ATM machines, which are popping up everywhere.

Theft through bank transfer occurs when an account holder is fraudulently induced to initiate a funds transfer (for a bogus investment or to "protect" money from a hacked account) or when the account holder's bank credentials have been stolen and used to access and drain the account.

### WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

If you receive a communication out of the blue that causes a strong emotional reaction, take a pause, knowing this is the way most fraud attempts begin.

Disengage and connect with the entity in a way you know to be legitimate: Sign in to an account via app or website, or call using a number on a paper statement. If the communication is purportedly from a loved one, disengage and contact them directly.

Refuse to use the methods criminals use to steal: cryptocurrency, bank money transfers, gift cards and peer-to-peer apps.

## TECH SUPPORT SCAMS REMAIN RAMPANT

Imagine you're browsing the internet when out of nowhere, a message pops up accompanied by a blaring sound warning you that your device is infected with a virus. This happened to Helen, a retiree in her 80s. Panicked by the warning, she followed on-screen instructions and phoned the tech support number provided. The criminals pretending to be tech support inevitably stole nearly all of her life savings.

### HOW IT WORKS

A pop-up notice, often accompanied by a blaring siren-like sound, claims there's something wrong with your device.

The maddening sound doesn't stop, and the page won't close.

The pop-up includes a toll-free number, which it claims will connect you to tech support associated with a big name such as Microsoft or Norton.

Tech support impostors say they require remote access to the device to detect the problems. That's where things can go very wrong.

### WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

A version of this fraud attack convinces the target to pay to fix the problem and pay more to enroll in a nonexistent support plan.

In a newer twist, criminals use remote access to plant login-stealing malware designed to expose your usernames and passwords to all of your accounts, including financial ones.

More complex fraud attacks begin with tech support, then evolve into bank and government impersonation schemes that end with criminals wiping out the victim's financial accounts.

### WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

If this happens to you or a loved one, contact your financial institution immediately to see if it can stop the flow of funds, then report the crime to the police so you have a record of it in case there is restitution.

If you get a pop-up that won't close, shut down your device (on a laptop, hold the power button down until the computer shuts off).

When prompted to update your operating systems and antivirus software, do it right away, or better yet, set them to automatically update. These updates may address vulnerabilities.

If you suspect an issue with your device, take it to a big-box store that offers tech support or to a trusted technician.

Knowledge gives you power over scams. The [AARP Fraud Watch Network™](#) equips you with reliable, up-to-date insights and connects you to our free fraud helpline so you can better protect yourself and loved ones. We also advocate at the state, federal and local levels to enact policy changes that protect consumers and enforce laws.



## Fire Prevention Public Information



### Fire Department's New Fire Data Link Map

This new online data map shows all the emergency incidents dispatched in the Phoenix Valley and Laveen.

Fire Department service area, which is the City of Phoenix, Town of Paradise Valley and Laveen.

The map has a 30-day rolling window and has filters for Neighborhood and Council District. Incident locations are displayed based on their Category and all incidents are geo-coded down to the street level, so that there should not be any incidents shown on someone's home. [Launch the Map.](#)

### Department Data



[Active Incidents](#)

[Incident History](#)

## Valley Watch



Brought to you by Phoenix Fire's good friends at Bonneville Broadcasting, **Valley Watch** airs every Sunday at 5:15 AM on KTAR News 92.3 FM. The radio show is dedicated to sharing news and stories

involving public safety and other related information from the City of Phoenix.

Valley Watch is hosted by the Phoenix Fire Department's Deputy Communications Director, Ali Pardi. Dedicated to both proactive and reactive messaging, Ali has a background in broadcast journalism. Prior to joining the Phoenix Fire Department, she was formerly known as Ali Vetnar from KTAR News 92.3 FM.

**Contact Fire Prevention 602-262-6771**

[pfd.prevention@phoenix.gov](mailto:pfd.prevention@phoenix.gov)

[Sign-up for Fire Prevention News & Information](#)

### Find It Fast

**Arizona Task Force 1** (AZ-TF1)

**Baby Shots / Vaccinations Program**

**Community Assistance Program Survey Summary 2022**

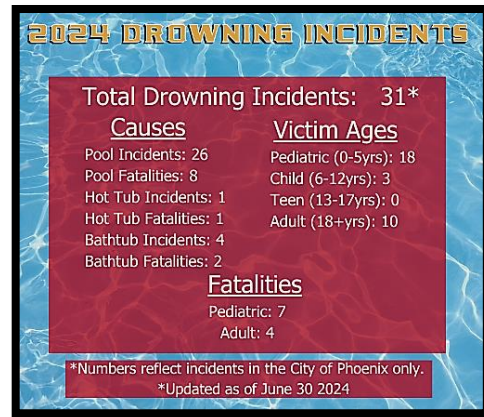
**Fire Station Map**

**Info For Life** (Español)

**Lockbox Information Form** (District 1 Pilot Program)

**Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Management**

**Phoenix Fire Foundation**



Drowning Zero is our vision to reduce the number of both adult and pediatric drownings in our city to zero. We can achieve this through community education, rapid emergency response, and preventative action. Please follow these tips and help us achieve #DrowningZero If You Find Someone In Trouble In The Water:

- Yell for help and pull the person out of the water.
- Call 9-1-1 immediately! Stay on the line.
- Begin CPR
- If you are not trained, follow the instructions from the 9-1-1 operator until help arrives.

#### How To Prevent Drowning:

- Use an approved barrier to separate the pool from the house.
- NEVER allow children to be alone near a pool or any water source. This includes bathtubs, buckets, toilets, ponds and canals.
- Have life-saving devices near the pool, such as a hook, pole, or flotation device.
- Keep large objects such as tables, chairs, or ladders away from pool fences.
- ALWAYS have a designated child watcher when kids are in the pool.
- If you leave the pool area, take the child (children) with you.

#### Pool Safety Tips:

- Learn [CPR](#)
- Learn to swim.
- NEVER swim alone.
- NEVER swim under the influence of alcohol or medications.
- NEVER swim when you hear thunder or see lightning.
- NEVER dive into an unfamiliar body of water



Call for Smoke Alarm Services. Smoke Alarm Medic specializes in Smoke Alarm / Smoke Detector installation, Smoke Alarm / Smoke Detector battery changes, Carbon Monoxide Alarm / Carbon Monoxide Detector installation and residential Fire Extinguisher installation & dryer vent cleaning.

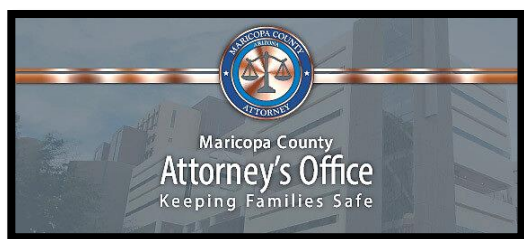
We also offer a **premier Home Watch service** for part-time residents or people on extended leave from their property.

Did you know that three of every house fire deaths resulted from fires in homes with no smoke alarms or no working smoke alarms per NFPA? Don't let you or your family be part of this statistic.

Call us for all your fire alarm and fire safety needs! We are a Firefighter owned and operated company!

(623) 221-8434

<https://smokealarmmedic.com>



## Events Calendar

### Calendar

**Wed, Aug. 14**  
**East Valley Safety Fair**

**Thu, Sep. 12**  
**Fentanyl Forum - Deer Valley**

**Tue, Sep. 17**  
**MCAO Citizens Academy**

**Thu, Oct. 3**  
**MCAO Citizens Academy**

**Wed, Oct. 9**  
**Fentanyl Forum - Glendale**

**Tue, Oct. 15**  
**MCAO Citizens Academy**

## STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES

The commitment of the Maricopa County Attorney's Office to a safe and well-governed community extends far beyond the courtroom. We use our talent and experience to help people and businesses throughout Maricopa County improve their neighborhoods and quality of life.

1. **Adoptions**  
Learn how the Maricopa County Attorney's Office handles uncontested adoptions.
2. **Advisory Boards**  
The Maricopa County Attorney values input from community and business leaders. Learn more here.
3. **Community Education**  
The Maricopa County Attorney's Office provides experts to speak to students, civic organizations, business groups and parents on a wide range of criminal justice issues.
4. **Community Programs**  
The Maricopa County Attorney's Office is actively involved in a number of outreach efforts to protect and strengthen local communities.
5. **Organized Retail Crime (ORC)**
6. **Events Calendar**  
View the events calendar for the Maricopa County Attorney community programs.
7. **K9 Victim Support Program**  
Learn more about the K9 Victim Support Program, whose service dogs provide calming, comforting support for these victims throughout the often stressful criminal justice process.
8. **Monthly Newsletters**  
Each month, our newsletter will include brief, useful updates on the projects, programs and developments that are helping the people of Maricopa County live safer lives.
9. **RICO Community Grants**  
The Maricopa County Attorney's Office funds community programs using funds recovered from criminals or criminal activity under the Racketeering Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act (RICO) by our Asset Recovery Bureau.

## MCAO Community Outreach

### Public Records Requests

The Maricopa County Attorney's Office has records related to many felony and misdemeanor criminal matters within the County. Please read below for more information on our public records process and other local resources for related records.

### How Do I Make a Public Records Request?

You may...

- Submit an [online Public Records Request](#).
- Email the Public Records team detailing your request.
- Fax your request to: [602-594-7171](#)
- Call [602-506-1974](#) to speak with a member of the Public Records team.
- Mail us a written request or drop off a written request at:  
Maricopa County Attorney's Office  
Custodian of Records  
[225 West Madison Street, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor](#)  
[Phoenix, AZ 85003](#)

\*Drop off can only be done during office hours: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday - Friday. Closed on most major holidays.

### A Day of Learning at MCAO's Citizens Academy!



Our Citizens Academy program is off to a great start! Over 40 members of the community joined us for a day of learning and got a firsthand look at Maricopa County's criminal justice system. We have three more programs scheduled for this year, but don't wait, classes fill up quickly!

**Register Today**

## FREE PRESENTATIONS FOR YOUR MEETINGS BY MCAO

[Download our informational Community Education card to share with others.](#) **Schedule a FREE educational presentation for your business or organization!**

### Community Education

A free service to Maricopa County residents, the MCAO Community Education provides informative sessions presented by deputy county attorneys, paralegals, and staff members on a range of criminal justice issues. Presentation topics include:

- Fraud, Scams & Identity Theft
- Online Safety
- Neighborhood Safety & Residential Burglary Prevention
- Substance Abuse Prevention
- Online Safety
- Substance Abuse Prevention
- Healthy Habits and Safety for Kids
- Bullying Prevention

**To request a speaker, simply fill out the  
[Community Education Presentation Request Form](#)**



## AC Replacement now Open to all County Residents



Our HVAC Repair and Replacement program is now open to all Maricopa County residents who make at or below 80 percent of the area median income. Watch the video to see how we helped a single mom and her teenage son whose air conditioner broke in the middle of Arizona's dangerously hot summer. [See if you qualify.](#)

## Welcome to the Human Services Department's Client Portal!

Our work is focused on maximizing the potential that lies within everyone, so that Maricopa County families and communities can thrive.

**And we know that it takes support and a team for all of us to thrive.**

That's why our approach to human services considers the support and resources that are needed at all stages of life. We partner with families and communities to create pathways of opportunity that encourage children to learn, invite youth and adults to cultivate professional skills, guide families to achieve financial goals, connect families to affordable homes, and enable seniors to live independently.

**Apply for our programs and unlock the potential within you!**

**START THE APPLICATION PROCESS**

**LOG IN TO VIEW APPLICATIONS & CASES**

**CONTACT US**



## COMMUNITY CATS

*Helpful Information and Tips for the Community*

A Community Cat is a catch-all term often used to describe any outdoor cat that may appear to not have an owner. Feral cats, which are under- or not socialized, fall under this umbrella, as do free-roaming, friendly cats.

***In Maricopa County, cats are not subject to the same licensing and leash laws as dogs. Because of this, Maricopa County Animal Care and Control (MCACC) cannot pick up stray or feral cats or take action against those feeding cats in their neighborhoods.***

Many times, members of the community act as colony managers to ensure that a feral cat colony is a managed colony. Cats in these communities are usually fed, watered, vaccinated, spayed, or neutered, and monitored for overall health. Other times, the cats are self-reliant and can survive in the neighborhood on their own, without any direct assistance.

**TNR** (Trap-Neuter-Return) is a long-proven and effective method for humanely addressing community cat populations across the world.

**Trap:** The cats are humanely trapped and brought to a clinic.

**Neuter:** The cats are fixed, vaccinated, and their left ear is "tipped" to indicate they have been fixed.

**Return:** The fixed cats are safely returned to their colony.

### Benefits of TNR

- Cats become better neighbors as it reduces or eliminates unwanted mating behaviors (e.g., yowling, fighting, spraying).
- Cats will be healthier when treated with this humane solution and typically are less likely to wander from their food source.
- Halts the breeding cycle which allows community cat populations to stabilize and eventually decline.
- Protects and respects cats' lives.

### How to Help Keep Community Cats Away from Your Property

- Remove or secure all potential food and water sources from your property, including dog food.
- Spray concentrated orange juice or hang orange or lemon peels in areas where cats are spraying — cats do not like the citrus scent.
- Keep all trash and recycle bins tightly closed as cats are considered opportunistic feeders/hunters.
- Use a motion-detecting device that turns on a sprinkler or bright light in response to motion on your property, such as ScareCrow™.
- Remove or secure potential shelter areas — secure access under houses, sheds, decks, porches, and buildings with wire fencing.
- Use plastic carpet runners spike-side up and covered lightly in soil to prevent cats from digging in your garden.
- Keep landscaping trimmed to avoid creating hiding/nesting spots.
- Spread dried wild animal manure in the areas you notice feral cats in your yard; wild animal urine also may work to deter the cats.
- There are also many commercial cat repellants (chemical and non-chemical options) available in garden stores, pet shops, and online.

For more information about TNR, please call the Spay Neuter Hotline at 602-265-7729 or complete the online form: <https://adlazz.org/spay-neuter-hotline/outdoor-cats/newrequest-for-tnr-services/>.

### Additional Resources

Alley Cat Allies: <https://www.alleycat.org/>

Altered Tails: <https://www.alteredtails.org/stray-outdoor-cats>

ALTERED TAILS at Phoenix: 602-943-7729

Fix.Adopt.Save.: <https://www.fixadoptsave.org/trap-neuter-return-program>

Foundation for Homeless Cats:

<http://www.thefoundationforhomelesscats.org/faqs/>

Spay Neuter Clinic: <https://www.spayaz.com/>

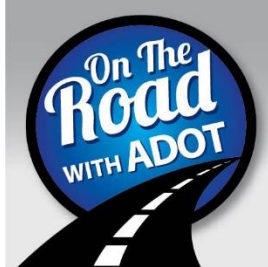
**Spay Neuter Hotline (ADLA): 602-265-7729**

**Injured or Sick Animals (AHS): 602-997-7585**

**2500 S. 27th Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85009 : 602-506-7387 : Maricopa.gov**



## PODCAST: Your safety message can be in lights!



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Have a flair for words? A heart for safety? Then we have a contest that's perfect for you -- and a perfect podcast episode as well.

The latest installment of On the Road With ADOT has Public Information Officer Kelsey Mo discussing what makes for a strong safety [Listen to this episode!](#) message and why ADOT holds its annual Safety Message Contest for the traveling public. That winning message in the graphic above? It came from someone just like you.

Please spend a few minutes listening to Kelsey visit with Doug Nintzel, our podcast host, and you'll get the information you need to succeed.

You can subscribe to episodes of On the Road with ADOT through [Apple Podcasts](#) and [Spotify](#). You also can find episodes at [azdot.gov/Podcast](http://azdot.gov/Podcast) and featured in [ADOT Blog posts](#).

## Explore Arizona

- **Lodging:** Modern amenities and Old West history come together at Prescott's Grand Highland Hotel.
- **Local Favorite:** FreeForm Coffee Roasters, in Sedona, specializes in small-batch beans from around the world.
- **Around Arizona:** The Flagstaff area is home to the country's first forest research experiment station.
- **Drive:** Head out to Eastern Arizona for a scenic, shady drive along Upper Eagle Creek Road.
- **Hike:** The road to the Kinder Crossing Trail is challenging, but this lovely hike is well worth the effort.

## Photography

- **Photo Editor Forum:** Joel Hazelton talks about how he drove all night to get a sunrise shot in the Kofa Mountains.
- **Photo Contest:** There's still time to submit your images for our wildlife photo contest. Upload your shots today!
- **Photo of the Day:** A new photo is posted daily! Share your images, and one of them just might pop up on our website.

# 988 988 988

People experiencing a mental health crisis have a new way to reach out for help in the U.S. They can simply call or text the numbers 9-8-8.

Modeled after 911, the new three-digit [988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline](#) is designed to be a memorable and quick number that connects people who are suicidal or in any other mental health crisis to a trained mental health professional.

"If you are willing to turn to someone in your moment of crisis, 988 will be there," said Xavier Becerra, the secretary of the federal Department of Health and Human Services, at a recent press briefing. "988 won't be a busy signal, and 988 won't put you on hold. You will get help."

The primary goal of the new number is to make it easier for people to call for help. Lawmakers and mental health advocates also see this launch as an opportunity to transform the mental health care system and make care easily accessible everywhere in the United States. The Biden administration has invested more than \$400 million in beefing up crisis centers and other mental health services to support the 988 system.

### Suicide Warning Signs

These signs may mean someone is at risk for suicide. Risk is greater if a behavior is new or has increased and if it seems related to a painful event, loss, or change.

♦ Talking about wanting to die or to kill oneself.	♦ Increasing the use of alcohol or drugs.
♦ Looking for a way to kill oneself, such as searching online or buying a gun.	♦ Acting anxious or agitated; behaving recklessly.
♦ Talking about feeling hopeless or having no reason to live.	♦ Sleeping too little or too much.
♦ Talking about feeling trapped or in unbearable pain.	♦ Withdrawing or feeling isolated.
♦ Talking about being a burden to others.	♦ Showing rage or talking about seeking revenge.
	♦ Displaying extreme mood swings.

**Suicide Is Preventable.**  
**Call the Lifeline at 1-800-273-TALK (8255).**  
**With Help Comes Hope**

**Crisis Response**  
NETWORK

*Inspiring Hope*

The **CRISIS LINE** is available 24/7/365 to anyone experiencing a mental health crisis.  
*In an emergency, always call 911.*

<b>CENTRAL ARIZONA CRISIS LINE</b> <b>602.222.9444</b> TOLL FREE: 800.631.1314 TTY/TDD: 800.327.9254	<b>WARM LINE (Peer-to-Peer)</b> <b>602.347.1100</b> <b>CrisisNetwork.org</b>
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## DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

### 24 – HOUR HOTLINES

**FOR LOCAL SHELTER CALL:**  
**602-263-8900 OR 1-800-799-7739**

Autumn House, Chrysalis, DeColores, Faith House, My Sister's Place,  
New Life Shelter, Sojourner Center

**NATIONAL HOTLINE: 1-800-799-SAFE (7233)**  
**LEGAL ADVOCACY HOTLINE: 602-279-2900**  
**OLDER ADULTS: 602-264-HELP (4357)**



## Juniper Branch Phoenix Public Library 1825 W. Union Hills Dr.

Cassandra Hamilton, Asst. Branch Mgr. Adult Services Librarian  
Phoenix Public Library Juniper Branch 602-534-2348

Phoenix Public Library Juniper Branch  
1825 W. Union Hills Dr.  
[phoenixpubliclibrary.org](http://phoenixpubliclibrary.org)

Please check the Calendar at [phoenixpubliclibrary.org](http://phoenixpubliclibrary.org) for additional program details. Storytime space limited, tickets available 30 minutes before programs.

### 2024 SUMMER PROGRAMS

Storytime space is limited, tickets are available 30 minutes before programs.

#### Children's Programs

Babytime—Tuesdays, 10:30 am  
ToddlerTime—Wednesdays, 9:30 am  
Tools for School—Wednesdays 10:30 am  
Music & Movement—Thursdays 9:30 am and 10:30 am  
Family Storytime—Saturdays, 10:30 am  
Drop in Art starts Friday, June 7<sup>th</sup>—Fridays 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm  
Kid's Café—Monday – Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup> – August 3<sup>rd</sup> 12:00 pm – 1 pm

#### Adults

Saturday Book Club – 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month 8/3  
Juniper Book Discussion Group – 8/14 1:30 pm – 3 pm  
Crafternoon – Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup> 1 pm – 4 pm  
Medicare Review on what to do – 8/7 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm

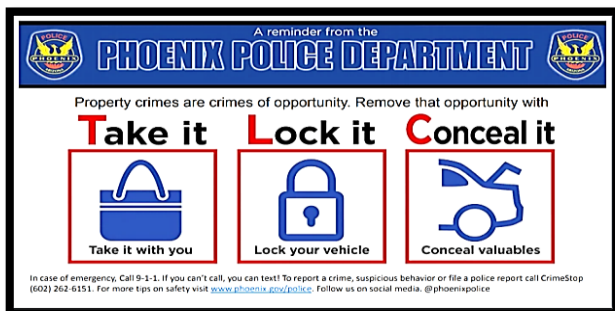
## The Amazing Library Card

Know someone who needs a Phoenix Public Library card? Help them get one!



A Phoenix Public Library card is an all-access pass to complimentary resources to promote learning and literacy at every age. Access a wide spectrum of informative and entertaining films, listen to music, check out physical and virtual materials, or learn a language with the help of Phoenix Public Library's eResources.

[Learn how to get every member of your family their very own Phoenix Public Library card.](#)



**SEPTEMBER 27, 2024**



**in DEER VALLEY PARK  
2001 W. Wahalla Lane, Phoenix, AZ 85027**

For DVP information, contact Deer Valley Community Center

DIRECTOR Noreena M. Ortega Office: 602.495.3734

Email: [noreena.ortega@phoenix.gov](mailto:noreena.ortega@phoenix.gov)

## NORTH PHOENIX PARK RANGERS!



Ranger R. Patton, Ranger A. Gonzales and  
Ranger D. Olson, Urban Supervisor 602-665-2297

For information call the North Mountain Preserve Park Ranger  
Office at 602-262-7901

## Volunteers Needed for City of Phoenix Park Steward Program



The City of Phoenix Park Steward Program is looking for volunteers to help maintain, clean, and preserve our trails. Help make a difference in your community! Visit [volunteer.phoenix.gov](http://volunteer.phoenix.gov) to apply or reach out to 602-495-5458 for more information on how to get involved!

# INFO OF THE MONTH

Share a tip, recipe, info, or some humor, e-mail it to  
[bmca200@gmail.com](mailto:bmca200@gmail.com)



## Public Works Announces Switch to Appointment-Based Bulk Trash Collection on September 30<sup>th</sup>

The City of Phoenix is changing the way bulk trash is collected. At City Council's Transportation, Infrastructure, and Planning (TIP) Subcommittee meeting on May 15, the Appointment-Based Bulk Trash system was presented. The new program will offer residents the ability to schedule their own bulk trash collection, rather than waiting for quarterly bulk trash pickup during the dates assigned to their area. Appointment-based bulk trash collection begins on September 30, 2024.

### What's different?

Under the current bulk trash program, Public Works lays out a collection schedule for the entire year for 13 different regions across the city, giving each region four designated collection periods annually. **The appointment-based system will be replacing the quarterly collection beginning on September 30.** All bulk trash collection on or after that date must be scheduled online.

Customers will have the freedom to schedule bulk trash pickup based on when they need it, rather than according to a citywide calendar. Residents will schedule a pickup date online. The portal will offer available collection dates based on the customer's address. Upon selecting a date, customers will get an email confirmation and can then begin to place their large items at the edge of their property no more than 7 days ahead of their pickup appointment. The new program will eliminate the collection of bulk trash in alleys. Customers will be allowed up to 10 cubic yards of trash per collection (approximately 17 ft. X 4 ft. X 4 ft.).

### What's the same?

Customers are still allowed up to four bulk trash collections each year. **General guidelines** on permitted/prohibited items for bulk trash will remain the same.

### What are the benefits of Bulk Trash by Appointment?

**Convenience** - The scheduling model will also allow residents flexibility and convenience according to their own needs. For example, a customer could avoid placing bulk items out during the heat of summer months and schedule appointments only in the winter. Or someone who is slowly cleaning out their garage could schedule all four collections in the same month if they wanted to. **Reduced blight** - Because customers may begin putting items on the edge of their property no earlier than seven days before their selected collection day, trash will be left out for a significantly shorter amount of time.

**Blockout dates** -- The new model will not allow customers to schedule collection on dates surrounding Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day each year. This will help eliminate unsightly trash piles during times when visitors and trick-or-treaters are out and about.

**Streamlined process** -- Because Public Works will be able to build collection routes according to scheduled appointments, items won't be sitting outside as long, staff workloads will be more equitable,

and equipment operators will spend less time outside during the hottest parts of the day.

### Important Dates

Friday, August 30, 2024 – Residents can begin scheduling bulk trash appointments online  
Monday, September 30, 2024 – First day of Bulk Trash by Appointment. All collections from this point on must be scheduled online.

For more information on the program, visit the Bulk Trash [homepage](#).

Related Social Media Hashtags and

Handles: [#bulktrash](#) [@PHXpublicworks](#) [@talkingtrashphx](#)

Keywords: [bulk trash](#), [garbage collection](#)

[Public Works \(Trash and Recycling\) Home Page](#) [Public Works \(Trash and Recycling\) NewsMedia Contact Directory](#)



## ATTENTION!!! North Phoenix

Ability360 is now at Telephone Pioneer park daily and I just wanted to share our resources.

<https://ability360.org/sports/tpp/> [\[ability360.org\]](https://ability360.org/)

Thank you, Brielle

**Brielle Carter** | M.S.

Senior Manager of Operations and Sports & Fitness Center (she/her)

**Direct** (602) 626-7250

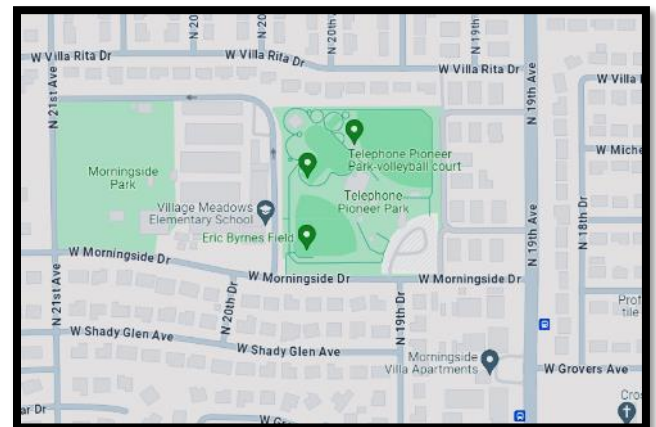
**ABILITY360** [\[ability360.org\]](https://ability360.org/)

5031 E. Washington St.

Phoenix, AZ 85034

(602) 386-4566

[Donate \[ability360.org\]](#) | [Social Media \[linktr.ee\]](#) | [Fragrance-Free Facility \[ability360.org\]](#)



## PLEASE DONATE TO STARFISH PLACE!

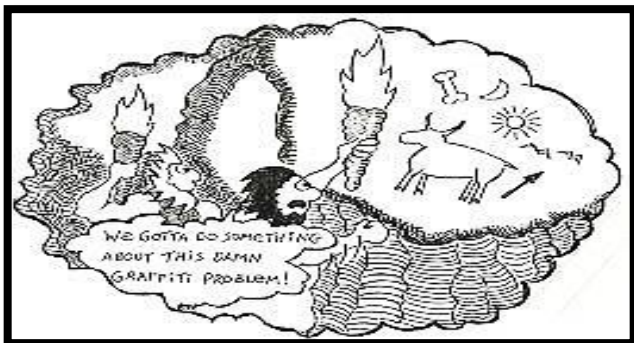


### WHAT WE NEED!

Peanut Butter, Jelly, Mustard, Mayo, Ketchup, Pancake Syrup, Pasta and Sauce, Meal Sides in a box: Mashed Potatoes, etc., Seasonings, Olive Oil, Cooking Oil, Pancake and Waffle Mix, Kid's Cereal, Granola/Protein Bars, Juice Packs, Apple Sauce, Graham Crackers, Fruit Snacks, Fruit Cups, Mac & Cheese, Canned Tuna and Chicken, Ramen Soup, Snack size Chips for lunches, Honey, Olives, Pickles, Dried Fruit, Trail Mix, Herbal Teas.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

Stefanie Calens at [stefanie.calens@asu.edu](mailto:stefanie.calens@asu.edu) 623-570-4339



As we all know, graffiti is a form of blight that may decrease property values in neighborhoods and attract other forms of criminal activity if it is not promptly removed. We encourage residents to be aware of their surroundings and report any graffiti they notice or observe in progress.

To report graffiti, residents can use any of these three methods:

- Go online to [phoenix.gov/myphx311](http://phoenix.gov/myphx311) or the app [myPHX311](http://myPHX311).
- Email [blight@phoenix.gov](mailto:blight@phoenix.gov).
- Or call 602-534-4444.

If you see graffiti in progress, please dial 911.

Not only do we encourage neighborhoods to take an active role in reporting graffiti, but we challenge them to learn how to remove graffiti and be a partner in combating it. If you and your neighbors are interested in learning how to remove graffiti in your neighborhood, please contact [Betsy.Cable@phoenix.gov](mailto:Betsy.Cable@phoenix.gov). We can coordinate a free class for your neighborhood group.



Did you know that Neighborhood Services' Graffiti Busters work seven days a week removing graffiti all over the city?



### Office of Homeless Solutions

The Office of Homeless Solutions (OHS) provides support for people experiencing homelessness and is committed to ending homelessness through a comprehensive, regional approach to shelter and heat relief, outreach, supportive and behavioral health services, homelessness prevention, and supportive housing. This monthly report does not encompass the totality of the City's efforts to address homelessness but rather provides a review of the key highlights from the preceding month and an update on major upcoming projects.

[View the latest report.](#)

[View the Phoenix Homeless Solutions Data Dashboard.](#)



HOW TO MAKE YOUR BED IN A HOTEL! NOT!



**JOIN BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE  
ON FACEBOOK!**



**WHERE WE SHARE INFORMATION!**

Whether you are in Congressional District 1 (Dave Schweikert) or District 8 (Debbie Lesko), here are some services offered.

Website links:

<https://lesko.house.gov/>

<https://schweikert.house.gov/>

- [Service Academy Applications](#)
- [Flags](#)
- [Internships](#)
- [Veterans](#)



**DON'T GIVE TO  
INDIVIDUALS GIVE TO SHELTERS**

To end panhandling, we have to end directly giving to people panhandling. Phoenix is full of compassionate and charitable citizens. They want to help those in need. However, giving money to people panhandling doesn't fix problems. In order to truly help those in need, stop giving money to panhandlers and instead support organizations and services that provide long-

lasting care. – Central Arizona Shelter Services – Andre House – Salvation Army – St. Joseph The Worker – UMOM New Day Centers – The Phoenix Rescue Mission – St. Mary's Food Bank For more organizations and information that can provide housing, or other services, please visit the Homeless Shelter Directory at:

<https://www.homelessshelterdirectory.org/cgi-bin/id/city.cgi?city=Phoenix&state=AZ>  
[www.givesmartaz.org](http://www.givesmartaz.org)



**Download Phoenix's  
mobile app now!**

**The Fast, Free  
Phoenix App**

myPHX311  
Now Available

Take the city of Phoenix with you! myPHX311 is your new APP to access essential city services, calendar of events, and contact information for all city departments and its employees. Start here to get connected: [phoenix.gov/APP](http://phoenix.gov/APP)

In addition to launching this new mobile app, the city of Phoenix has recently upgraded the "At Your Service" web portal (now [Phoenix.gov/myPHX311](http://Phoenix.gov/myPHX311)). Now you are in full control of getting help with a wide range of services including:

- Requesting water / trash services
- Viewing / paying city services bill
- Reporting issues in the community (streetlights, potholes, water main breaks, etc.)
- Accessing city calendars and public meetings.

**BMCA AND  
BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT  
COMMUNITY BUSINESS  
PARTNERSHIPS**

**A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO STARBUCKS**



**FOR DONATING COFFEE AT OUR MONTHLY  
BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETINGS!**

**THANK YOU TO DEER VALLEY II SELF STORAGE  
FOR SUPPORTING  
THE BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE!**



**LET US HELP PROTECT WHAT MATTERS MOST  
SCHEDULE YOUR LIVE  
DEMO TODAY!**

**SAFE HAVEN  
DEFENSE**

PROTECTING PEOPLE AND PROPERTY BY MAKING YOUR  
EXISTING WINDOWS BULLET AND IMPACT RESISTANT!

SAFE HAVEN DEFENSE LAMINATES ARE INDEPENDENTLY LAB  
TESTED AND INSTALLED WITH OUR PROPRIETARY  
APPLICATION PROCESS.

OUR LAMINATE IS APPLIED ONSITE TO EXISTING  
WINDOWS IN YOUR BUILDING WITH NO DISRUPTION DUE  
TO OUR FLEXIBLE INSTALLATION HOURS, TAILORED TO YOUR  
SPECIFIC NEEDS.

EMAIL - [BEAU.ROBINS@SAFEHAVENDEFENSE.COM](mailto:BEAU.ROBINS@SAFEHAVENDEFENSE.COM)

# BMCA RESOURCE LIST



[www.bmcainfo.com](http://www.bmcainfo.com)

## ARIZONA ANGEL INITIATIVE

Help with substance abuse

[www.substanceabuse.az.gov/angelinitiative](http://www.substanceabuse.az.gov/angelinitiative)

## ARIZONA 211

Get connected/Get answers

JUST DIAL 211 or 877-211-8661

[www.211arizona.org](http://www.211arizona.org)

## BOLOCOP

Register for Crime Alerts

[www.bolocop.com](http://www.bolocop.com)

## BLIGHT BUSTERS

Join the Blight Buster Program!

[www.phoenix.gov/nsd/programs/blight](http://www.phoenix.gov/nsd/programs/blight)

## CARING CIRCLES

Volunteer to help neighbors in need

[www.aaaphx.org](http://www.aaaphx.org)

## DOMESTIC VIOLENCE 24/7 HOTLINES

FOR LOCAL SHELTER CALL: 602-263-8900

OLDER ADULTS: 602-264-HELP (4357)

## FAMILY SERVICES CENTERS

Social services for low-income households

[www.phoenix.gov/humanservices/programs/emergency](http://www.phoenix.gov/humanservices/programs/emergency)

## FOLLOW POLICE CALLS ONLINE

See what's going on in your neighborhood

[www.radioreference.com](http://www.radioreference.com)

## HEADS UP!

TO KEEP PHOENIX ROADS SAFE!

[www.phoenix.gov/HeadsUp](http://www.phoenix.gov/HeadsUp)

## HOMELESS SHELTER DIRECTORY

<https://www.homelessshelterdirectory.org/cgi-bin/id/city.cgi?city=Phoenix&state=AZ>

## IDENTITY THEFT / FEDERAL TRADE COMM.

Recovery and information

[www.IdentityTheft.gov](http://www.IdentityTheft.gov)

## KEEP KIDS ALIVE DRIVE 25

Post signs and stickers to slow traffic

[www.KeepKidsAliveDrive25.org](http://www.KeepKidsAliveDrive25.org)

## LIVE ANOTHER DAY

Mental health and substance use resources

[www.liveanotherday.org](http://www.liveanotherday.org)

## MY COMMUNITY MAP

Neighborhood map and information

<https://phoenix.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=13428321a9f84e95a634be1beab5fe96>

## NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

24/7 Helpline 1-844-991-2962 Since 1953

[www.Arizona-na.org](http://www.Arizona-na.org)

## NEIGHBORHOOD CRIME STATS

[www.communitycrimemap.com](http://www.communitycrimemap.com)

or check out: [www.spotcrime.com](http://www.spotcrime.com)

## PHOENIX C.A.R.E.S.

Help the homeless! 602-262-6251

[PHX At Your Service.](#)

## PHOENIX CITY CAM

View the city in all directions

[PHXCityCam](#)

## REVERSE 911

Community Emergency Notification System

<https://maricoparegion911.onthealert.com/Terms/Index/?ReturnUrl=%2f>

## SENIOR LOCK BOXES

In partnership with Phoenix Fire

[www.knoxbox.com](http://www.knoxbox.com)

## SEX OFFENDER NOTIFICATION

In and around your neighborhood

[www.azdps.gov/services/public/sex-offender](http://www.azdps.gov/services/public/sex-offender)

[www.offenderwatch.com](http://www.offenderwatch.com)

[www.missingkids.org](http://www.missingkids.org) [www.nsopw.gov](http://www.nsopw.gov)

## VIRTUAL BLOCK WATCH

Sign up now!

[Police Virtual Block Watch](#) [www.phoenix.gov](http://www.phoenix.gov)

## WATCH YOUR CAR PROGRAM

ARIZONA AUTO THEFT AUTHORITY

[www.AZWatchYourCar.com](http://www.AZWatchYourCar.com)

## WRIC WASHINGTON

FAMILY RESOURCE INFORMATION CENTER

[www.wesdschools.org/wric](http://www.wesdschools.org/wric)

# **MEETING and EVENT CALENDAR**

## **AUGUST 2024**

Thursday, AUG. 1<sup>st</sup> NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.  
6:00 pm - e-mail [Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov](mailto:Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov) for link info

Tuesday, AUG. 6<sup>th</sup> WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

Tuesday, AUG. 20<sup>th</sup> BELL RD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.  
11:00 am at Bell Ford

Tuesday, AUG. 20<sup>th</sup> CITYWIDE PNP MEETING  
6:00 pm in person at Mt. View Precinct and on WebEx

Wednesday, AUG. 28<sup>th</sup> PBWAB MEETING  
6:30 pm at the DVCC Hosted by Black Mtn. Precinct

NO AUG. THRIVE BELL ROAD CLEAN-UP – Summer Break

NO AUG. FIRST FRIDAY PNP PATROL – Summer Break

NO AUG. BMCA BOARD MEETING - Summer Break

NO AUG. BMCA GENERAL MEETING - Summer Break

NO AUG. CPCA MEETING – Summer Break

NO AUG. BLK MTN Coffee with Cops – Summer Break

## **SEPTEMBER 2024**

Wednesday, SEP. 4<sup>th</sup> BMCA BOARD MEETING  
6:30 pm at the DVCC Conference Room

Thursday, SEP. 5<sup>th</sup> NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.  
6:00 pm - e-mail [Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov](mailto:Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov) for link info

Friday, SEP. 6<sup>th</sup> WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

NO SEPTEMBER FIRST FRIDAY PNP PATROL – Summer Break

Saturday, SEP. 7<sup>th</sup> THRIVE BELL ROAD CLEAN-UP  
7 - 9 am Meet at 1512 W. Bell Road

Wednesday, SEP. 11<sup>th</sup>  
BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETING  
6:30 pm at the DVCC

Thursday, SEP. 12<sup>th</sup> BLOCK WATCH GRANT BOOTCAMP  
6:30 pm at Washington Activity Center

Tuesday, SEP. 17<sup>th</sup> BELL RD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.  
11:00 am at Bell Ford

Tuesday, SEP. 17<sup>th</sup> CITYWIDE PNP MEETING  
6:00 pm in person at Mt. View Precinct and on WebEx

Saturday, SEP. 21<sup>st</sup> CITYWIDE BW / PNP TRAINING  
7 am – noon at the Mt. View Precinct, Attendees must pre-register [pnpcordinator@phoenix.gov](mailto:pnpcordinator@phoenix.gov)

Tuesday, SEP. 24<sup>th</sup> PBWAB MEETING  
6:30 pm at location TBD Hosted by Maryvale Estrella Precinct

Wednesday, SEP. 25<sup>th</sup> CPCA MEETING  
6:30 pm at Cortez High School

Thursday, SEP. 26<sup>th</sup> BLACK MTN. COFFEE with COPS  
8:30 am at Biscuits Café, 310 E. Bell Road

Friday, SEP. 27<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT 1 BREAKFAST  
7:30 am at the Doubletree in Metrocenter

## **OCTOBER 2024**

Wednesday, OCT. 2<sup>nd</sup> BMCA BOARD MEETING  
6:30 pm at the DVCC Conference Room

Thursday, OCT. 3<sup>rd</sup> NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.  
6:00 pm - e-mail [Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov](mailto:Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov) for link info

Friday, OCT. 4<sup>th</sup> PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL  
e-mail Rick Sain at [ussyorktown25@hotmail.com](mailto:ussyorktown25@hotmail.com) or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!.

Saturday, OCT. 5<sup>th</sup> THRIVE BELL ROAD CLEAN-UP  
9 - 11 am Meet at 1512 W. Bell Road

Saturday, OCT. 5<sup>th</sup> G.A.I.N. KICK-OFF EVENT  
10 am – 1 pm Christown Spectre Mall

Sunday, OCT. 6<sup>th</sup> WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

Wednesday, OCT. 9<sup>th</sup>  
BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETING  
6:30 pm at the DVCC

Tuesday, OCT. 15<sup>th</sup> BELL RD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.  
11:00 am at Bell Ford

Tuesday, OCT. 15<sup>th</sup> CITYWIDE PNP MEETING  
6:00 pm in person at Mt. View Precinct and on WebEx

Saturday, OCT. 19<sup>th</sup> G.A.I.N. DAY  
Events all over the city!

Saturday, OCT. 19<sup>th</sup> BMCA/DVPNBWO/MVGBW/DVCC  
Falloween/G.A.I.N. Event from 5 – 9 pm in Deer Valley Park

Thursday, OCT. 24<sup>th</sup> BLACK MTN. COFFEE with COPS  
8:30 am at Biscuits Café, 310 E. Bell Road

## **NOVEMBER 2024**

Friday, NOV. 1<sup>st</sup> PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL  
e-mail Rick Sain at [ussyorktown25@hotmail.com](mailto:ussyorktown25@hotmail.com) or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!.

Saturday, NOV. 2<sup>nd</sup> THRIVE BELL ROAD CLEAN-UP  
9 - 11 am Meet at 1512 W. Bell Road

Wednesday, NOV. 6<sup>th</sup> WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

Wednesday, NOV. 6<sup>th</sup> BMCA BOARD MEETING  
6:30 pm at the DVCC Conference Room

Thursday, NOV. 7<sup>th</sup> NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.  
6:00 pm - e-mail [Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov](mailto:Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov) for link info

Wednesday, NOV. 13<sup>th</sup> BMCA NSD Neighborhood College  
GRANT WRITING WORKSHOP 6:30 pm at T-Bird HS

Tuesday, NOV. 19<sup>th</sup> BELL RD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.  
11:00 am at Bell Ford

Tuesday, NOV. 19<sup>th</sup> CITYWIDE PNP MEETING  
6:00 pm in person at Mt. View Precinct and on WebEx

Wednesday & Thursday, NOV. 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>  
CITYWIDE BW / PNP TRAINING  
5 – 7 pm both days on WebEx. Attendees must pre-register at [pnpcordinator@phoenix.gov](mailto:pnpcordinator@phoenix.gov)

## **DECEMBER 2024**

Monday, DEC. 2<sup>nd</sup> BLOCK WATCH GRANTS  
ARE DUE BY 4:00 pm !

Wednesday, DEC. 4<sup>th</sup> BMCA BOARD MEETING  
6:30 pm at the DVCC Conference Room

Thursday, DEC. 5<sup>th</sup> NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.  
6:00 pm - e-mail [Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov](mailto:Michael.noyd@phoenix.gov) for link info

Friday, DEC. 6<sup>th</sup> WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

Friday, DEC. 8<sup>th</sup> PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL  
e-mail Rick Sain at [ussyorktown25@hotmail.com](mailto:ussyorktown25@hotmail.com) or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!.

Saturday, DEC. 7<sup>th</sup> THRIVE BELL ROAD CLEAN-UP  
9 - 11 am Meet at 1512 W. Bell Road

Wednesday, DEC. 11<sup>th</sup> BMCA HOLIDAY PARTY/POTLUCK  
6:30 pm at the DVCC

Saturday & Sunday, DEC. 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> INDIAN MARKET  
at S'edag Va'aki Museum

# IMPORTANT NUMBERS

EMERGENCY Police/Fire	911
Police CRIME STOP	602-262-6151
Police General Information	602-262-7626
Black Mountain Police Precinct	602-495-5002
Mayor Kate Gallego	602-262-7111
D1 Councilmember Ann O'Brien	602-262-7444
D2 Councilmember Jim Waring	602-262-7445
D3 Councilmember Deb Stark	602-262-7441
Abandoned Shopping Cart	602-CRT-PKUP
Abandoned Vehicle off street	602-534-4444
Abandoned Vehicle on street	602-262-6151
Alcoholics Anonymous	602-264-1341
Animal Control	602-506-7387
AZ Humane Society 8am-6pm	602-997-7585
Barking Dogs	602-262-6466
City Bus Service	602-253-5000
City Elections	602-262-6837
City of Phoenix General Info	602-262-6011
Complaints on Mosquitoes	602-506-6616
Construction Noise	602-262-6538
Construction Permits	602-262-7884
Dead Animal Pickup	602-262-6791
Dial-A-Ride	602-253-5300
Gang Hotline	602-534-4264
Garbage Collection	602-262-7251
General Investigations	602-262-6141
GRAFFITI Busters Hotline	602-534-4444
Graffiti Cell Phone Hotline	602 #4663
Graffiti Reward Hotline	602-262-7327
Green Swimming Pools	602-506-6616
Illegal Dumping	602-262-7251
Impounded Property	602-262-8371
Liquor Complaints	602-438-6625
Loud Party Information	602-262-7821
Loud Party Reporting	602-262-6151
Narcotics Anonymous	480-897-4636
Narcotic Complaints	602-275-5886
Neighborhood Enforcement	602-534-4444
Parking Complaints	602-262-6151
Parks Dept. after hours	602-534-9440
Poison Control	602-253-3334
Prostitution (Vice) Hotline	602-426-1231
SILENT WITNESS	480-WITNESS / 480-948-6377
Spay Neuter Hotline	602-265-7729
Speeding/Traffic Hotline	602-534-7733
Street Light Maintenance	602-495-5125
Street Repairs	602-262-6441
Traffic Signal malfunction	602-262-6021
Traffic Signs damage	602-262-4659
Transient Enforcement	602-534-4444
Underage Drinking Hotline	1-877-NOT-LEGL
Water Dept. after hours	602-261-8000
Zoning Violations	602-534-4444

If you suspect a vehicle is stolen, check the license plate number at [www.theftaz.azag.gov](http://www.theftaz.azag.gov)

## BLACK MOUNTAIN PNP PATROLERS:

# REMINDER!

## ONLINE REPORTING OF PNP HOURS

[volunteer@phoenix.gov](mailto:volunteer@phoenix.gov)

### PNP online Patrol Log entry

To get a username and password email

[Brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov](mailto:Brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov)

The following information:

Your name

PNP Badge number

Assigned precinct

Preferred Email address



For questions call 602-256-4303

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## COMMUNITY BUSINESS PARTNERS!

**BUSINESSES:** If you are interested in partnering with the BMCA, please call Candice Fremouw at 480-467-7399.

e-mail to: [info@bmcainfo.com](mailto:info@bmcainfo.com)

Mail to: BMCA, P. O. Box 41306, Phoenix, AZ 85080

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