



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

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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

NEXT BMCA EVENT AT THE DVCC

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11th at 6:30 pm

BMCA ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY/POTLUCK/TOY DRIVE

at the Deer Valley Community Center
Multipurpose Room

If your last name begins with:

A – I please bring a Main Dish

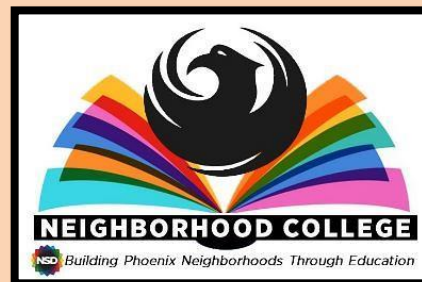
J – R please bring a Side/Salad

S – Z please bring a Dessert

**...and don't forget a wrapped gift for the
White Elephant Dice Gift Exchange**

**and new, unwrapped TOYS for our Harvest
Compassion Center - Phoenix Christmas Toy Drive**

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 13th at 6:30 pm



NSD BMCA BLOCK WATCH GRANT WRITING WORKSHOP

with Laura Robins and Candice Fremouw

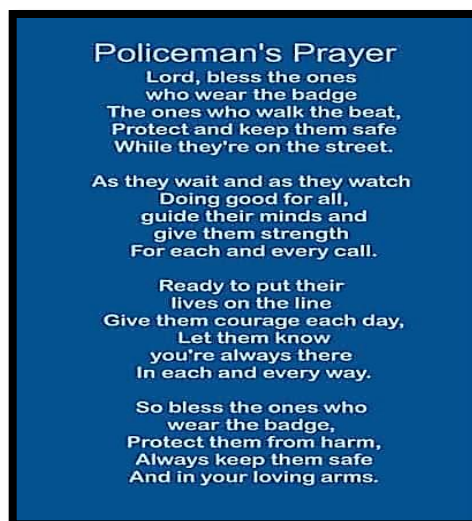
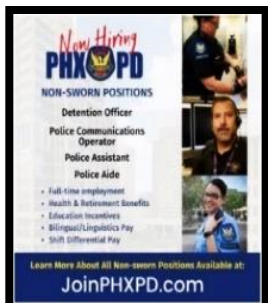
WHETHER YOU ARE A FIRST TIME BLOCK WATCH GRANT WRITER, OR HAVE BEEN WRITING GRANTS FOR YEARS, SEE A NEW PERSPECTIVE AND NEW IDEAS FOR BLOCK WATCH GRANT CRIME PREVENTION & SAFETY PROJECTS AND WHAT CAN HELP YOU ACCOMPLISH THEM!

at WASHINGTON ACTIVITY CENTER

Auditorium, 2240 W. Citrus Way, Phoenix, AZ

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!

e-mail info@bmcainfo.com



PHOENIX PD APP

The Phoenix Police Department 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.

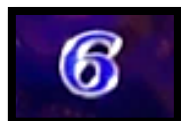
Report graffiti on the Phoenix PD app! Graffiti can now be reported on the Police Department APP released in January 2021. Studies show that if graffiti is removed within 24 hours, there is a 90% likelihood that the graffiti will not use the app to have it removed! #GraffitiFreePHX
City of Phoenix Neighborhood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



**Wear BLUE on
the 6th 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!

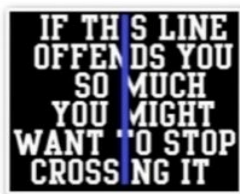


**Wear the "6" pin to show support for
our police!
Available at our Coffee with Cops
and the BMCA General Meetings.**



**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

PPD USE OF FORCE DASHBOARD

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

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 RESERVE Protect and Serve, Become a Reserve!

www.phoenixpolicereserve.org
602-534-9000

Phoenix Police Department Black Mountain Precinct NEWS



Black Mountain Precinct

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

Precinct: 602.495.5002

HOLIDAY SEASON CRIME PREVENTION

Another year has gone by and the holidays are approaching fast. The holiday season is a time for reflection, celebration, and renewal and as we do these things let us all remember the less fortunate or those having difficulties, temporary or permanent. There are many ways we can assist, from the donation of time, money, or gifts to even the small things like being courteous or polite during this hectic season. Here are some tips to have a safe holiday season.

This past year has been another active one for law enforcement and Phoenix PD in many ways. There are always too many tragic events across this country or in this community to mention but the officers of the Phoenix Police Department will continue to serve the citizens of Phoenix in a respectful and professional manner. We appreciate and are very thankful for the continued gestures and words of support that we get from everyone, it means a lot to the officers to know that they are supported in their jobs.

This time of year, also brings many events to attend, family to visit, traveling, shopping and much more. Many of you will not think of crime prevention during these festive times but a few simple reminders will help reduce the opportunities for you and your family to be a victim.

1. When walking to and from stores keep your head up and be aware of your surroundings. Walk with a purpose, do not divert your attention by texting or talking on the phone, digging for car keys, or be burdened with too many bags.
2. Park in a well-lit area, do not park in dark or faraway places. I know it is difficult to find good parking but do the best you can. If you go in during daylight hours and think you might be inside until it is dark, park as if it were dark.
3. Roll the windows on your car all the way up and LOCK your car. Do not leave valuables, packages, or even gym bags, in plain view inside the car; put them all in the trunk. Gym bags or other bags in view may not have but a few items of clothes in them but the thieves do not know that and will try anyways.
4. When parking your cars at home, get them in the garage if you can. If you must park in the driveway or street, remove all valuables, garage door openers, and lock the car. Many thieves will break into a car just to take the garage opener and then use it to take items from the garage or enter the house at a later time.
5. Do not keep large amounts of cash with you or display cash when shopping. Take with you only what you need for the day. Be on guard while at ATM's.
6. Keep a constant eye on your children and ALWAYS know where they are. Children are easily distracted by the decorations and excitement of the holidays and may wander off in only a couple seconds.

7. Do not drink and drive, please use a designated driver, call a taxi or uber. This time of the year many people have holiday functions from work or family and drink when they usually don't and make a bad decision to drive which could end up having tragic consequences. Please enjoy the season but drive responsibly and patiently.

8. Make sure the doors and windows to your home are locked, the front lights are on all night and keep a watchful eye for suspicious activity. If you are expecting deliveries and you will not be home, ask a trusted neighbor to pick them up when they arrive. Please call Crime Stop at 602-262-6151 if you see suspicious activity.

9. Please drive carefully, schools will be out on winter break and many kids will be out in the neighborhoods trying out new bikes, toys, and you need to be aware of their presence.

10. If you are going to be out of town for a winter vacation, tell a trusted neighbor to watch over your house, do not post on social media that you will be gone and call the Black Mountain Precinct at 602-495-5002 and ask for a Vacation Watch. Officers can check on your house while you are gone if the radio calls allow them to.

11. Lastly, be patient. The crowds are larger, people are rushed and stressed. Some people do not like the holidays and can act out so please exercise patience and we all can enjoy the holidays in our own way.

- The Community Action Squad



October was Faith and Blue Month, this year Phoenix PD partnered with some GAIN events as part of Faith and Blue. See the below links for details if interested or visit www.faithandblue.org for more general information.



NEXT BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT COFFEE WITH COPS



Thursday, NOVEMBER 21, 2024

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

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

GET TO KNOW YOUR CAO!

'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 7th Street to E Scottsdale Rd. & S SR101 to N Carefree Hwy..)

21 Area North (Beat 214)

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

21 Area South (Beat 211)

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

CA Officer Jeffrey Blair #7966

at 602-495-5481 or 480-506-6993 jeffrey.blair@phoenix.gov



22 Area North (Beats 223 & 224)

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

CA Officer Tim Tewers #8698

at 602-495-5213 or 480-506-6454 tim.tewers@phoenix.gov



22 Area South (Beats 221 & 222)

(W I-17 to E 7th/16th 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



23 Area North (Beats 233 & 234)

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

23 Area South (Beats 231 & 232)

(W 7th/16th 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



Black Mountain Precinct CAO Sgt. Linda Miller

602-495-5112 or 602-904-9195

linda.m.miller@phoenix.gov



Black Mountain Precinct Community Programs Lt. Ben Sywarungsymun #7094

602-495-5016

ben.sywarungsymun@phoenix.gov



Black Mountain Precinct Commander Matt Siekmann

602-262-5063

matt.siekmann@phoenix.gov



CITYWIDE PHOENIX NEIGHBORHOOD PATROL



Detective Brian Kornegay

Monthly Citywide PNP Meetings

3rd 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 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

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

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 or 602-256-4303

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

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:6022626151)
- 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 CLASS IS VIRTUAL
November 20th & 21st**

PNP GROUP PATROL

Contact Rick Sain at ussyorktown25@hotmail.com or
at 602-799-0143

**Next First Friday's Group Patrol is on
Friday, November 1st**

We have a new meeting place, the address is 1202 N. 3rd 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**

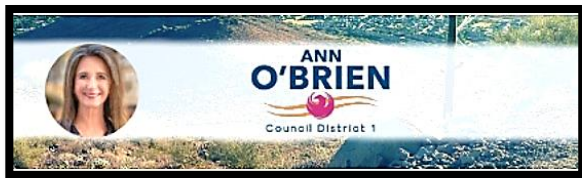
**December 14 & 15, 2024
S'edav Va'aki Museum
Phoenix, AZ 85034
(formerly Pueblo Grande Museum)**



ARTIST APPLICATIONS
OPEN MAY 15
Questions? Contact:
market@svmfoundation.org



Richard Dawavendewa
2024, Featured Artist



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

Next Breakfast will be on Friday, December 6th at 7:30 am
at the Doubletree in Metrocenter

Please RSVP at 602-262-7444 council.district.1@phoenix.gov

Message from Councilwoman Ann O'Brien

If you've been to any one of my community meetings, then you know, District 1 residents have been begging for solutions and have overwhelmingly demanded this option. At every block watch, neighborhood, or community meeting I attend, one of the top questions is "when are we going to get red light cameras back?" The national data is clear, we are number one in the nation for red light running. In fact, of the top 30 worst intersections by crash risk ranked by the Maricopa Association of Governments (MAG), Phoenix has 28. This isn't conjecture, this is science and data. We can and must do better!

We are the fifth-largest city in the country and still, every day, we are behind in technology and innovation. Just like drones, Phoenix looking at automated enforcement isn't pioneering a path that no one has dared to go down before. In fact, we had them previously. Paradise Valley has automated enforcement. Scottsdale has automated enforcement. Mesa has automated enforcement. By the way, neither of the three even make the list of the top 50 worst intersections according to MAG. It's very important for me to make our community safe for our residents and visitors.

However, this isn't a cash grab. Council agreed to ensure this was as cash neutral as possible, and any revenue that comes from this program would be reinvested in increased roadway safety. Additionally, for the first 30 days, anyone who runs a red light will receive a warning notification. The goal is to change driver behavior and finally make our streets safe. Don't run a red light, and you won't get a ticket.

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 or 602-534-1203 with any questions regarding this program.

City Launches Community Survey

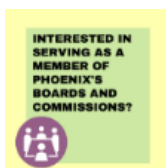
The survey is served up to residents on various websites and social media platforms. Residents can also respond to the survey directly with [this link](#).

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

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](#).



DISTRICT 2 NEWS
Councilmember Jim Waring
council.district.2@phoenix.gov
602-262-7445

Twitter: [JimWaring](#)

Facebook: facebook.com/waringjim

Upcoming City Council Meetings

Next City Council Formal Meetings: OCT. 2nd, 16th, & 30th

Next City Council Policy Meeting: OCT. 8th & 22nd

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

District 3 Community Meeting

Our office will not be hosting any District 3 community chats until after the November election.

Please contact our office if you have any questions.

Email: Council.District.3@phoenix.gov or call us at 602-262-7441.

RSVP 602-262-7441 or council.district.3@phoenix.gov

APPOINTMENT BASED BULK TRASH SCHEDULING

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 \(Trash and Recycling\) News](#)

[Media Contact Directory](#)



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.](#)

OCTOBER 9, 2024

BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE & BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT COMMUNITY BW / PNP MEETING HIGHLIGHTS With 53 in attendance at the DVCC

Meeting called to order at 6:37 pm



BMCA Vice-Chair Goldie



PRESENTATION: COMMUNITY APPRECIATION & RECOGNITION

Certificates of Appreciation from the BMCA were given out to (Vice Mayor Deb Stark),



Councilwoman Ann O'Brien, BMP Commander Matt Siekmann,
Lt. Ben Sywarungsymun,



CAO Sgt. Linda Miller, CAO Tim Tewers, CAO Jon McQuillan,



CAO Jeremy Campbell, CAO Jeffrey Blair,



DVCC: (Noreena Ortega), Margaret Spicer and Jordan Brock,



Charley's Heroes, Nancy "Frosty" Kroening,



the BMP Net Squad: Sgt. Nicholas M. Gombar, Officer Josue E. Gonzalez, Officer Alan W. Hoelscher, (Officer Jamie D. Jesty), Officer Derik L. Neier, Officer Brandon C. Speier, (Officer Bryan C. Welsh), Officer Danielle D. Wirth, and Officer Jael S. Zelman Lopez. (Those in parentheses were not present tonight.)

Cmdr. Matt thanked the BMCA for this recognition for the Officers. He had the NET Squad come up and introduce themselves. We heard about how long they have been officers and what they do out on patrol. They talked about the most interesting calls they have responded to and answered many questions. It was extremely interesting and very informative!

CITY COUNCIL:

District 1 Councilwoman Ann O'Brien said that September was a hard month with the loss of several first responders. She enjoyed the Food Truck Friday Event in Deer Valley Park. Council has been working on the speeding and red light running. Please vote and start at the bottom of the ballot, as it is four pages long and everything is important! The next District 1 Dinner is on October 28th at 5:30 pm at the Beuf Community Center.



DVCC:



Margaret talked about the upcoming Fall-O-Ween / G.A.I.N. Event here in Deer Valley Park on October 19th. The Community Center has many activities and sports programs to enjoy along with the Senior Center and Bingo.

BW/PNP SIGN & FIRST AID KIT PRESENTATIONS:



A First Aid Kit to Jim R. with Ridge Runners BW and Two BW Signs to Jennifer N. with Crystal Terrace BW

Black Mountain Precinct Updates



Cmdr. Matt Siekmann awarded Lt. Ben with his 25-year Anniversary Certificate and Coin. Congratulations Lt. Ben! The Cmdr. gave the Crime Stat updates for the precinct. The next Coffee with Cops is on Thursday, October 24th at 8:30 am at Biscuits Café.

BREAK OUT SESSION to meet with Area 21, 22 & 23 CAOs



Area 21 met with CAO Jeffrey Blair



Area 22 met with CAOs Tim Tewers & Jon McQuillan



Area 23 met with CAO Jeremy Campbell



CRIME PREVENTION & SAFETY ITEM DISTRIBUTION:



Everyone always receives something!

50/50 DRAWING: Jim R. won \$30.00!



50/50 Host Bud, and Jim R.

REFRESHMENTS: YUM!



Thank you to everyone who brought goodies!

BMCA

ATTENDS & SUPPORTS. . .

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

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Black Mountain Community Alliance
at the REACH RECOGNITION DINNER



Delicious dinner at the Deer Valley Airport Barrio's



Lisa Magarelli



Susan Herber



Bella



OCTOBER 3, 2024

Black Mountain Community Alliance
at the BW GRANT OVERSIGHT
COMMITTEE MEETING 6 pm *NO QUORUM*



OCTOBER 5, 2024

Black Mountain Community Alliance
at the THRIVE BELL ROAD CLEAN UP
7 – 9 am on Bell Road



23 Volunteers!



OCTOBER 5, 2024

Black Mountain Community Alliance at the G.A.I.N. KICK-OFF EVENT



At Christown Spectrum Mall



CAO Sgt. Linda, CAO Jeremy



CAO Jeffrey & CAO Jeremy



BMCA gave out 10 G.A.I.N. Bags to BW Groups in Black Mountain Precinct who scheduled events!



Candice, Arianna, Laura



Goldie



Kate Brophy McGee & Vice Mayor Deb Councilwoman Ann



Det. Brian, Mayor Kate & Interim Chief Michael



Det. Brian Kornegay received a Proclamation that October 5, 2024 is Brian Kornegay Day from Mayor Kate!



OCTOBER 11, 2024

**Black Mountain Community Alliance
at the THUNDERBIRD BUSINESS ALLIANCE
TRUNK OR TREAT 5 - 8 pm**



Chris and Brian



Joe, Vice Mayor Deb & Jeremy





BRBA MISSION STATEMENT

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

OCTOBER 15, 2024

BELL ROAD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MEETING at 11 am at Bell Ford



BRBA Chairman Greg Freeman,



Vice Mayor Deb Stark



District 1 Council Aide Greg



Lt. Ben



PRESENTATION ON COMMUNITY COURTS



Alexandra Lange, City of Phoenix Prosecutors Office



The next Thrive Phoenix community clean-up on Bell Road is Saturday, November 2nd from 9 am to 11 am. For more information visit Thrivephoenix.org or email at info@thrivephoenix.org



OCTOBER 15, 2024

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



Det. Brian Kornegay



On TV at September's Meeting Candlelight Vigil

OCTOBER 19, 2024

Black Mountain Community Alliance at the BMCA/DVPNBWO/MVGBW/DVCC G.A.I.N. / FALL-O-WEEN EVENT



Mayor Kate and Laura Vice Mayor Deb & Kate Brophy McGee



Council District 1 Andrew and Greg Candice, Laura and Betty



Phx Children's Hospital FREE BIKE HELMETS with Candice & Betty



THE DISK DROP GAME with Goldie



Goldie

Laura & Cmdr. Matt



THE PUMPKIN CANDY WHEEL with Lisa



THE WHEEL OF FATE with Saige



THE DICE GAME with Jackson and Monte



THE WITCH'S HAT GAME with Sienna



THE UPTOWN BAND



AWESOME AQUATICS DEPT. TRUNK OR TREAT





BLACK MOUNTAIN POLICE PRECINCT and Candice & Laura



COPSICLES!



Aurora, Chris and Brian



HAY BALE MAZE



CRAFTS with Rocky



FOUR HUGE INFLATABLES



HAUNTED TRAIN RIDE



Jordan points the way to



THE HAUNTED MANSION



Jacob THE BALLOON ARTIST



THE FACE PAINTER



Noreena announcing the RAFFLE, COSTUME, and DANCE CONTEST WINNERS!



Lisa & Laura

The REACH Crew



FOOD TRUCKS



DVCC Margaret, Noreena and Jordan

OCTOBER 23, 2024

Black Mountain Community Alliance at the T-BIRD Business Alliance Meeting



Circle K Corporate is working with the businesses



Councilwoman Ann O'Brien



Lt. Ben



OCTOBER 24, 2024

Black Mountain Community Alliance At the Black Mountain Precinct COFFEE WITH COPS at Biscuits Cafe

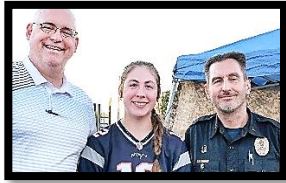


Commander Matt Siekmann



OCTOBER 25, 2024

**Black Mountain Community Alliance
at the BELL ROAD BUSINESS ALLIANCE
TRUNK OR TREAT at Bell Ford 5 – 7 pm**



Greg, Bella and Cmdr. Matt



Councilwoman Ann O'Brien



Black Mountain Precinct



BMCA



The Good Witch Karin



Village Meadows BUBBLES



REACH



Vice Mayor Deb Stark Booth



BIKE RODEO



FOOD TRUCK



BOUNCE HOUSE



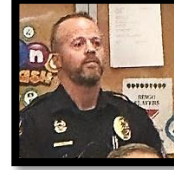
OCTOBER 26, 2024

Black Mountain Community Alliance at the DEA DRUG TAKE BACK EVENT



NSD Director Spencer Self

Johnny Mendoza & Spencer



Lt. Ben



OCTOBER 28, 2024

Black Mountain Community Alliance at the DISTRICT 1 DINNER at the Beuf Community Center



Councilwoman Ann O'Brien



Delicious Dinner from Macayo's



Candice, Monte, Deb and Bud



Cmdr. Matt & Laura



Happy Birthday to Stan Bates!



City of Phoenix

NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES DEPARTMENT

General Information 602-534-4444



NEIGHBORHOOD SPECIALISTS

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District 3 - KRISTA ROY
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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 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 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, and recognized non-profit organizations for valid community projects.

Learn more about the program at phoenix.gov/nsd/programs/cleanups-and-tool-lending or email 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

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

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 or www.OnLineAtAnthem.com/ANW

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

BELCANTO BLOCK WATCH gloriapink12@gmail.com

CACTUS SWEETWATER BLOCK WATCH Coleen Hager chagercpa@cox.net, or essmott@cox.net

CAREFREE MANOR BLOCK WATCH for info e-mail carefreepnp@gmail.com

CINNABAR BLOCK WATCH for info call 623-869-8118 or e-mail budpamdeb@yahoo.com

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

DESERT WIND BLOCK WATCH for info e-mail Bill Christian whchristian@msn.com

HILLCREST EAST BLOCK WATCH spring11@cox.net

INVERNESS COMMUNITY WATCH PARTNERSHIP community.watch.85023@gmail.com

JOHN JACOBS BLOCK WATCH Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month from 6:30 – 7:30 pm at the John Jacobs Elementary School cafeteria located at 14421 N. 23rd Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85023. For info contact 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 Contact us for meeting info.

MOON VALLEY GARDENS NEIGHBORHOOD BLOCK WATCH ZOOM meetings are on the 3rd Thursday of February, May, September and November. The other months they are with the BMCA Meetings. mvge@cox.net Candice 602-402-7914

MONTE CRISTO BLOCK WATCH LECADDSEVICES@Yahoo.com

NORTHTOWN COMMUNITY BLOCK WATCH / PNP FOR UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS e-mail 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. 33rd Way. For info contact mmellenbrook@cox.net

RIDGE RUNNERS II PNP GROUP Jim Rogers 602-471-2201 co/chair with Phil Carlisle 480-519-3087

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

VILLAGE MEADOWS BLOCK WATCH meets on the third Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm www.villagemeadows.org

CRIME TIPS:

STEER CLEAR OF TOLL ROAD SCAMS

Have you received a message about an unpaid toll that doesn't ring a bell? You're not alone. Criminals target drivers with fake toll charges to steal money and personal information.

HOW IT WORKS

You receive a text or email appearing to be from a legitimate highway authority or a transponder company such as E-ZPass. The message claims you have unpaid tolls, often for a small amount.

It urges you to click a link to pay the toll, warning that you'll incur late fees if you fail to pay quickly.

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

These messages are designed to be realistic (based on geography, for example), and the toll amount is typically small. The scammers hope you'll just click and pay without looking into whether you actually have an unpaid toll.

Their goal is to steal money and payment information or to infect your device with malicious software that could lead to financial loss and identity fraud.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

If you get a message about unpaid tolls, do not respond or click on any links.

Instead, check your account using the state tolling agency or transponder company's legitimate website or phone number — not information from the message.

If your smartphone has a "report junk" option, use it to flag the message for your carrier.

If you've been targeted by a toll scam, report it to the FBI's Internet Crime Complaint Center, [IC3.gov](https://www.ic3.gov).

MEDICARE SEASON IS SCAM SEASON

Each year, from October 15 to December 7, Medicare gives its more than 67 million beneficiaries a chance to review their coverage and make changes for the coming year. It's always a good idea to compare your options, especially if your health needs have changed. However, be cautious—criminals often take advantage of this heightened public attention to target beneficiaries who may feel overwhelmed by their health care decisions.

If you or a loved one is on Medicare, here are some tips to help avoid scams during this [open enrollment season](#).

HOW IT WORKS

You receive a call, text, email or in-person visit from a Medicare agent or insurance provider.

You may be urged to act quickly to avoid losing your benefits, pressured to purchase a limited-time offer that promises to save you thousands of dollars or enticed with a free gift.

You could be told that Medicare is issuing new cards and needs to verify your information.

They may request sensitive information, such as your Medicare and Social Security numbers or bank and credit card information.

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

Criminals often use caller ID spoofing to make a call appear as if it's coming from Medicare or a trusted source.

The scammers may sound professional, claim to represent Medicare and have some of your personal information. But in reality, they're trying to steal your money, Medicare information or identity.

Legitimate government agencies won't contact you to ask for your Medicare number or other personal information unless you've called 800-MEDICARE (800-633-4227) first.

Medicare is not sending out new cards; anyone suggesting otherwise is lying to you.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

Protect your information and never share your Medicare or Social Security number (or other personal information) with anyone who contacts you out of the blue by phone, text or email or who shows up at your door.

Be suspicious of unsolicited, aggressive, misleading or too-good-to-be-true offers for a new Medicare plan and don't be rushed into making a decision. You have until December 7 to enroll, and Medicare doesn't offer extra benefits for signing up early.

Beneficiaries can safely compare plans and change enrollment by going to [medicare.gov](https://www.medicare.gov) or calling 800-633-4227.

Each state also has a [State Health Insurance Assistance Program \(SHIP\)](#) that offers unbiased, one-on-one counseling to help you navigate the complexities of Medicare.

Contact the [Senior Medicare Patrol](#) in your area to report Medicare fraud or abuse and to seek assistance.

STAY CYBER AWARE THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

October is National Cybersecurity Awareness Month — a great time to remind ourselves just how much of our lives take place online and the potential threats that exist in the digital world. Any device that stores information or connects to the internet could become a target for cybercriminals seeking to steal from you.

HOW IT WORKS

Unsolicited emails, text messages, posts on social media platforms, online ads, pop-up messages — these are all the domain of cybercriminals and their attempts to "socially engineer" us.

Whether it's a "problem" with a financial or retail account, a way to tap into "free" money, or other emotion-arousing messages, the goal is to get us to take quick action — click on the link, or call the number provided.

That quick action can lead us to logging into copycat sites to expose our credentials or payment details or downloading malicious software. With the "internet of things," our connected devices are at risk for cyber hacks, given universal default password settings, nonsecure communications between devices, and security updates from manufacturers that aren't timely or just don't occur.

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

The hallmark of most online social engineering scams is 1) an unexpected communication that 2) yields a highly emotional response and 3) involves urgency. When these three elements are seen together, don't engage — or if you do and realize it, quickly cut off contact.

Recognize that connected devices typically do not come with secure defaults, which leaves them open to a third-party intercepting or exposing your sensitive data.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

Create [strong and unique passwords](#) for all online accounts and devices. Consider using a password manager.

Where available, turn on [multi-factor authentication](#), which is a second way beyond your username and password to verify it's you accessing your account or device.

Where available, set up your devices and software to update automatically; quite often the updates are to shut down known security vulnerabilities.

Avoid clicking on links from emails and texts and on online ads.

Type web addresses into your browser to ensure you aren't sent to a copycat site, and visit only sites you know and trust.

For any troubling communication from your financial institution, a retailer you do business with, or a family member or friend, don't interact. Instead, cut off communication and reach the entity or the person in the way you typically interact with them.

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

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

[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

HHW Home Collection

Public Works is offering a program that assists solid waste residential customers with the proper disposal of their household hazardous waste items (HHW).

HHW should NOT be placed in the trash or recycling containers for safety reasons. Hazardous materials need to be properly disposed of to protect human health and the environment, as well as protect residents and employees from harm and hazards caused by these toxic materials.

How to Participate...

1

**CHECK THE
ACCEPTED MATERIALS
LIST ONLINE**

[Acceptable materials list](#) [Residuos Domésticos Peligrosos](#)

2

**SCHEDULE A HOME
COLLECTION BY
CALLING OR ONLINE**

Schedule a Home Collection

Only customers with a residential solid waste account are eligible. Please refer to the upper right corner of your City Services Bill to obtain your account number as you will need this to proceed. If you are unsure of your eligibility to participate in this program, please contact the HHW team at hhwcollection@phoenix.gov.

Only 1 HHW home collection is allowed per Solid Waste customer per calendar year.

3

**SET OUT HHW
BOX ON DAY OF
COLLECTION**

You will receive an email reminder 1-2 business days before your scheduled pick-up, and you're all set!

Because HHW materials could cause harm, please take a moment to read our HHW Guidelines to ensure a safe pick-up.

HHW Guidelines

- Have your **current city services bill, account number and associated address** available when scheduling.
- **Containing your HHW:** All items must be secured in sealed leakproof containers, and then placed in a box clearly labeled "HHW". If you have a damaged bucket or container with hazardous liquids that is leaking or may leak, please safely place it in a labeled and sealed, leakproof container to avoid spills.
- **Placement:** Please ensure the box of items is placed outside next to your garage or front door, clearly visible and accessible to staff. DO NOT place any HHW at the curb, in the street or on the sidewalk.
- All HHW items will be collected between the hours of 7am and 5pm. You will not be given a specific collection time, so please ensure your items are placed out for collection by 7am on your collection day.
- Only 1 HHW home collection is allowed per Solid Waste customer per calendar year.



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.

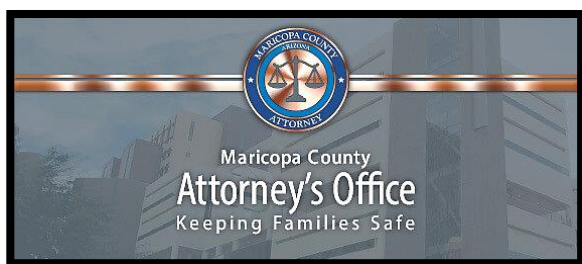
We also offer a **premier Home Watch service** for part-time residents or people on extended leave from their property.

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>



K9 VICTIM SUPPORT PROGRAM (VSP)

About the Program

The Maricopa County Attorney's Office has two four-legged cuddly team members working in the Victim Services Division. Elle and Morgan, both Golden Retrievers, are facility dogs trained to work with victims of crime.

Young victims in particular are often traumatized by heinous crimes and intimidated by the criminal justice system. As members of the K9 Victim Support Program (VSP), Elle and Morgan provide calming, comforting support for these victims throughout the often stressful criminal justice process. Their special training allows them to perform this important function in a variety of behavioral situations and to remain focused when working with outside noises including sirens, emergency workers and even gavels.

In addition to attending court hearings, the K9 VSP team accompanies victims during interviews and meetings related to their case. They offer a reassuring presence for victims as they prepare testimony, give depositions and, in some instances, confront perpetrators. Elle and Morgan spend many hours each week in the County Attorney's Office and happily interact with MCAO employees. They also represent the office at select community events.

The Beginning

Starting in May of 2010, Sam became the first member of the MCAO K9 VSP. Throughout his six-year career with MCAO, Sam helped more than 750 children and adult witnesses and victims by calming their anxieties before what many consider a very stressful situation; testifying in court. Although officially retired from the Office in July of 2016, he led the way for additional facility dogs to be adopted into the Program.

Events Calendar: [Calendar](#)

November 16 — FREE Shred-A-Thon in Glendale:

Let us help you shred away identity theft from 8:00 to 11:00 a.m. at the Glendale Adult Center! Residents are encouraged to shred documents that include personal and financial information that could be used to steal their identity.

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](#)

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, 1st 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.

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
- 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](#)**



TODAY'S KEY MESSAGE

Vote on Your Schedule



Early Voting is Underway.

Have you filled out your ballot?

It's a longer-than-usual ballot. Two pages, front and back, with an average of 79 contests to vote.

If you'd like to avoid Election Day lines and vote on your schedule, you can either vote by mail or vote in-person at one of the County's Vote Anywhere Vote Centers.

The last day to [request an early ballot by mail](#) is this Friday, October 25, and you'll need to mail it back by October 29 to make sure we receive it on time.

To find a Vote Center that's convenient for you, visit [Locations.Maricopa.Vote](#). There are currently 12 Vote Centers open countywide, and we will have approximately 50 Vote Centers open and ready to serve voters by this Friday. A total of 246 Vote Centers will be open to serve Maricopa County voters on Election Day.



Fast Facts

Maricopa County Elections is committed to giving all eligible voters the information they need to successfully cast a ballot in this year's election. Sometimes that includes clearing up misinformation or addressing rumors. Throughout the next several weeks, we'll be sharing - Fast Facts - with voters on topics or issues that are prompting conversation or confusion. Examples include why we have two styles of drop boxes this year, and what the markings on your ballot mean for tabulation.

[Get Fast Facts & All Election News](#)

MCACC SERVICES MISSION MICROCHIP

MCACC is offering [free microchipping services](#) for dogs in Maricopa County through the end of the year.

For now, the free service is only available at the West shelter at 2500 S 27th Avenue in Phoenix. Registration is required ahead of time.

To receive a microchip through the Mission Microchip event, please register for an appointment. Times open up two weeks in advance. Please check back daily if no appointments are available.

If you would like more information on microchips and the benefits of chipping your pet, [take a look at this article on didyouknowpets.com](#).

[Schedule Microchip Appointment](#)



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://adlax.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

Meet the cat ladies tackling Phoenix's stray problem all by themselves There may be a million outdoor cats on the Phoenix streets. A small band of women catches them and gets them fixed.

<https://www.phoenixnewtimes.com/news/phoenix-stray-cat-problem-meet-women-committed-to-fixing-it-20432448>



ADOT updates state's strategic plan to enhance roadway safety

Strategic Highway Safety Plan focuses on reducing life-altering crashes



PHOENIX – Working with partner agencies and benefiting from public input, the Arizona Department of Transportation has completed a five-year update of the strategic plan for enhancing safety on all public roadways.

The data-driven Strategic Highway Safety Plan for 2025-2029 establishes statewide goals, objectives and key emphasis areas that allow highway safety programs and partners to align goals and leverage resources for engineering, education, enforcement and emergency medical services. The plan also focuses on the responsibility all Arizonans have to help reduce life-altering crashes on local roads and state highways.

The effort included public meetings and benefited from thousands of comments and suggestions. As part of the in-depth process, ADOT also created the state's first Active Transportation Safety Action Plan, which aims to reduce pedestrian and bicyclist fatalities where those activities are along or intersect with the state highway system. Both plans are posted at azdot.gov/SafetyPlan.

"I'm grateful to the many partners who collaborated on these critical blueprints for reducing life-altering crashes on roadways across Arizona," ADOT Director Jennifer Toth said. "Wherever drivers are traveling, everyone has a role to play to making safety their top priority every day. We will take these findings and engage the public further, working with partners on a campaign to inform the community about ways that simple actions can save lives."

Arizona's first Active Transportation Safety Action Plan stems from a rise in pedestrian and bicyclist fatalities in Arizona, the vast majority of which occur on local roadways. The plan recommends location-specific projects along the state highway system aimed at improving safety for pedestrians and bicyclists.

"The Strategic Highway Safety Plan and Active Transportation Safety Action Plan are comprehensive, coordinated road maps for reducing crashes, deaths, injuries and property damage," said J.M. "Jesse" Torrez, Director of the Arizona Governor's Office of Highway Safety. "The partners in this effort are committed to generating the public awareness and community engagement needed to achieve these goals."

Federal regulations require each state to have a Strategic Highway Safety Plan for reducing fatalities and serious injuries on public roadways and to update that plan every five years. ADOT leads development of this plan in partnership with local, state, federal and other stakeholders so that all highway safety programs can leverage resources and work together effectively to enhance safety.

The updated Strategic Highway Safety Plan focuses on the following emphasis areas that account for a large percentage of life-altering crashes in Arizona: human behavior; intersections; lane departure; vulnerable road users such as pedestrians and cyclists; and incidents on tribal lands. It details dozens of strategies, including:

- improving visibility of vulnerable road users, all other users and roadway features;
- incorporating vulnerable road users more prominently in the planning, design and programming process;

- reducing high-risk movements by drivers;
- conducting high-visibility enforcement at intersections; and
- promoting safety at crash scenes.

The update is based on the U.S. Department of Transportation's [Safe System Approach](#), which looks at all factors affecting safety and emphasizes a shared responsibility for improving safety on roadways.

For more information, please visit azdot.gov/SafetyPlan.



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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.

Adopt a Highway: Welcome new highway heroes

Safety vests are these heroes' capes, and pickup sticks are their weapons of trash destruction. ADOT cheers on 26 new Adopt a Highway Volunteer groups permitted between May and July, which includes those who graciously extended their volunteer permits for two more years.

Volunteers come back time and again to help prevent a littered universe, so proper clothing and closed-toed shoes are the basics that help complete the uniform.

Our lime-green-vested crusaders are directed to avoid handling dangerous things like Kryptonite and other items that scream danger. We ask to steer clear and notify ADOT maintenance with the highway number and mile marker where questionable trash is found. Maybe you are reading this and decided that bagging litter is not your thing. Not to worry, because all drivers are champions when they proceed with caution through volunteer work zones.

You can also help by securing items in your vehicle that may blow away. Stashing trash responsibly until it can be disposed of properly. Smashing litter before it happens is what heroes do.

If you'd like to join the battle against litter by forming your own team of superheroes, please [contact Adopt a Highway](#) to find opportunities in your area.



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

Please check the Calendar at phoenixpubliclibrary.org for additional program details. Storytime space limited, tickets available 30 minutes before programs.

KIDS:

Weekly on Tuesdays - Babytime at 9:30 and 10:30
Weekly on Wednesdays - Toddlertime at 9:30
Weekly on Wednesdays - Tools For School at 10:30 - 11:15
Weekly on Thursdays - Music and Movement at 9:30 and 10:30
Weekly on Thursdays - Kids Create 4:00-5:00
Weekly on Fridays - Brick Builders at 3:30 - 4:30
Weekly on Saturdays - Family Storytime at 10:30
(All storytimes are 30 minutes unless otherwise stated)

TEENS:

11/5/24 - Rock the Tabletop - DnD for Teens 3:30-5:30
11/23/24 - Crafternoon (registration required) 1:00 - 4:00

ADULTS:

11/2/24 - Saturday Book Club 1:00 - 3:00
11/4/24 - Tai Chi (registration required) 10:00 - 11:00
11/6/24 - Sign Language (registration required) 12:30-2:00
11/13/24 - Wednesday Book Club 1:30 - 3:00
11/14/24 - Ballet's Most Influential Figures 1:00 - 2:00
11/18/24 - All About Honeybees 1:00 - 2:30
11/20/24 - Sign Language (registration required) 12:30-2:00
11/23/24 - Crafternoon (registration required) 1:00 - 4:00

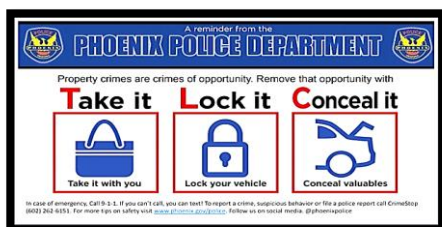
The Amazing Library Card

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.](#)



MOVIE IN THE PARK



TROLLS BAND TOGETHER
Friday, November 8th

HOLIDAY FAMILY JUBILEE
Saturday, December 14th

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

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





FAQs
Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How long will it take for a Park Ranger to respond?

A: Calls will be assessed by a Park Ranger who will prioritize them based on other calls and needs for all 167 City of Phoenix parks.

Q: Will the public be able to talk to a Park Ranger?

A: Park Rangers are typically occupied serving the parks. The 24/7 Code of Conduct Answering Service is the most efficient method to relay concerns to Park Rangers.

Q: Will I receive a callback?

A: A callback will not be made unless additional information is needed from the caller. We will record the caller's name and email address in case we have any follow-up questions.

Q: What rules can Park Rangers enforce?

A: Park Rangers have the authority to enforce the Parks Code of Conduct and any violations of Phoenix City Code they have observed. Their jurisdiction is only within park boundaries.

Q: What is the Parks Code of Conduct and what are the trespassing policies?

A: You can read the Parks and Recreation Department Code of Conduct here: <https://www.phoenix.gov/parks/code-of-conduct>

Q: What is the Phoenix City Code regarding...?

A: <https://phoenix.municipal.codes/CC>

Find the code of conduct online at phoenix.gov/parks/code-of-conduct

Scan me!




Ability360 is now at Telephone Pioneer Park daily!

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



Public Works Announces Switch to Appointment-Based Bulk Trash Collection

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](#)

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

CENTRAL ARIZONA CRISIS LINE
602.222.9444
TOLL FREE: 800.631.1314
TTY/TDD: 800.327.9254

WARM LINE (Peer-to-Peer)
602.347.1100
CrisisNetwork.org

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)

INFO OF THE MONTH

Share a tip, recipe, info, or some humor, e-mail it to bmca200@gmail.com



Barry Goldwater Reopens Student Run Restaurant

Barry Goldwater High School is excited to announce the re-opening of Avenue 27 with all newly trained student-staff and management.

This year the restaurant is open for dining on Thursday evenings instead of Fridays and service will run from 4-7 p.m. to give the students an opportunity to reflect and continuously learn from each experience. Reservations can be made via Avenue27@dvusd.org

Avenue 27 Restaurant dates are as follows:

November 14 & 21, December 12, January 09 & 16, February 06 & 20, March 13 & 27, April 03, 17, & 24

Thursday Evenings (4 pm - 7 pm)
We look forward to serving you!

2025 BLOCK WATCH GRANT APPLICATIONS OPEN 11/1/24!

The 2025 Neighborhood Block Watch Grant Program (NBWGP) application process will open **Friday, November 1, 2024.**

For more information on the grant application process, please navigate to the NBWGP homepage [here](https://cityofphoenix.webex.com/cityofphoenix/j.php?MTID=m85fae46e0799b2354867b468f429c35a).

Once the application process has opened, NBWGP Staff will hold training workshops to assist applicants with creating and submitting their applications.

Dates and times of those workshops are listed below:

SCHEDULED DATES, TIMES, IN-PERSON WORKSHOPS

Thursday, November 21, 2024 and Tuesday, December 3, 2024
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

LOCATION DETAILS:

Devonshire Senior Center
2802 E. Devonshire Ave, Phoenix, AZ 85016
(28th St., north of Indian School Rd.)

SCHEDULED DATES,

TIMES, WEBCONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

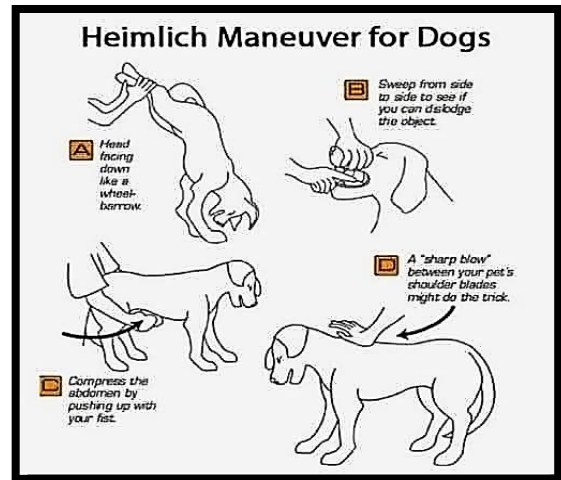
Thursday, November 7, 2024, Tuesday, November 12, 2024, and Tuesday, November 19, 2024

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (click link below for 10:00 a.m. workshop)
<https://cityofphoenix.webex.com/cityofphoenix/j.php?MTID=m85fae46e0799b2354867b468f429c35a> [cityofphoenix.webex.com]

2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. (click link below for 2:00 p.m. workshop)
<https://cityofphoenix.webex.com/cityofphoenix/j.php?MTID=m93217933251b0df7c61a71c43e1e3f70> [cityofphoenix.webex.com]

If you have any questions, please contact NBWGP staff at 602-262-7602.

Thank you! NBWGP Staff



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 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 or the app myPHX311.
- Email 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. 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?

**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



**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

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). 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!**

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PROTECTING PEOPLE AND PROPERTY BY MAKING YOUR
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TO OUR FLEXIBLE INSTALLATION HOURS, TAILORED TO YOUR
SPECIFIC NEEDS.

EMAIL - BEAU.ROBINS@SAFEHAVENDEFENSE.COM

BMCA RESOURCE LIST



www.bmcainfo.com

ARIZONA ANGEL INITIATIVE

Help with substance abuse

www.substanceabuse.az.gov/angelinitiative

ARIZONA 211 Get connected/Get answers
JUST DIAL 211 or 877-211-8661

www.211arizona.org

BLIGHT BUSTERS

Join the Blight Buster Program!

www.phoenix.gov/nsd/programs/blight

CARING CIRCLES

Volunteer to help neighbors in need

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

FOLLOW POLICE CALLS ONLINE

See what's going on in your neighborhood

www.radioreference.com

HEADS UP!

TO KEEP PHOENIX ROADS SAFE!

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

KEEP KIDS ALIVE DRIVE 25

Post signs and stickers to slow traffic

www.KeepKidsAliveDrive25.org

LIVE ANOTHER DAY

Mental health and substance use resources

www.liveanotherday.org

MY COMMUNITY MAP

Neighborhood map and information

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

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www.Arizona-na.org

NEIGHBORHOOD CRIME STATS

www.communitycrimemap.com

or check out: www.spotcrime.com

PHOENIX C.A.R.E.S.

Help the homeless! 602-262-6251

www.phoenix.gov/phxcare

SENIOR LOCK BOXES

In partnership with Phoenix Fire

www.knoxbox.com

SEX OFFENDER NOTIFICATION

In and around your neighborhood

www.azdps.gov/services/public/sex-offender

www.offenderwatch.com

www.missingkids.org www.nsopw.gov

VIRTUAL BLOCK WATCH

Sign up now!

[Police Virtual Block Watch](http://PoliceVirtualBlockWatch)

www.phoenix.gov

WATCH YOUR CAR PROGRAM

ARIZONA AUTO THEFT AUTHORITY

www.AZWatchYourCar.com

WRIC WASHINGTON School District

FAMILY RESOURCE INFORMATION CENTER

www.wedschools.org/wric

MEETING and EVENT CALENDAR

NOVEMBER 2024

BLOCK WATCH GRANT APPLICATIONS ARE OPEN ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1st !

Friday, NOV. 1st PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL
e-mail Rick Sain at ussyorktown25@hotmail.com or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!.

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

Wednesday, NOV. 6th WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

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

Thursday, NOV. 7th NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.
6:00 pm - e-mail george.martin@phoenix.gov for link info

Wednesday, NOV. 13th NSD NEIGHBORHOOD COLLEGE: BMCA GRANT WRITING WORKSHOP 6:30 pm
Washington Activity Center Auditorium, 2240 W. Citrus Way
Register by e-mail to info@bmcainfo.com

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

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

Wednesday & Thursday, NOV. 20th & 21st CITYWIDE BW / PNP TRAINING
5 - 7 pm both days on WebEx. Attendees must pre-register at pnpcordinator@phoenix.gov

Thursday, NOV. 21st BLACK MTN. COFFEE with COPS
8:30 am at Biscuits Café, 310 E. Bell Road

DECEMBER 2024

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

BLOCK WATCH GRANT APPLICATIONS ARE DUE ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5th by 4:00 pm

Thursday, DEC. 5th NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.
6:00 pm - e-mail george.martin@phoenix.gov for link info

Friday, DEC. 6th WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

Friday, DEC. 6th DISTRICT 1 BREAKFAST
7:30 am at the Doubletree in Metrocenter

Friday, DEC. 6th PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL
e-mail Rick Sain at ussyorktown25@hotmail.com or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!.

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

Wednesday, DEC. 11th BMCA ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY / POTLUCK & TOY DRIVE
6:30 pm at the DVCC

Saturday & Sunday, DEC. 14th & 15th INDIAN MARKET
at S'edav Va'aki Museum, for PNP Patrol

Tuesday, DEC. 17th CITYWIDE PNP HOLIDAY PARTY
6:00 pm Location TBD

No DEC. Black Mountain Coffee with Cops -Winter break

JANUARY 2025

Wednesday, JAN. 1st BMCA BOARD MEETING
6:30 pm at the DVCC Conference Room

Thursday, JAN. 2nd NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.
6:00 pm - e-mail george.martin@phoenix.gov for link info

Friday, JAN. 3rd PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL
e-mail Rick Sain at ussyorktown25@hotmail.com or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!.

Monday, JAN. 6th WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

Wednesday, JAN. 8th BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETING
6:30 pm at the DVCC

Tuesday, JAN. 21st BELL RD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.
11:00 am at Bell Ford

Tuesday, JAN. 21st CITYWIDE PNP MEETING
6:00 pm in person at Mt. View Precinct and on WebEx

Wednesday, JAN. 22nd T-BIRD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.
10 am Location TBD

Thursday, JAN. 23rd BLACK MTN. COFFEE with COPS
8:30 am at Biscuits Café, 310 E. Bell Road

FEBRUARY 2025

Wednesday, FEB. 5th BMCA BOARD MEETING
6:30 pm at the DVCC Conference Room

Thursday, JAN. 6th WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

Thursday, FEB. 6th NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.
6:00 pm - e-mail george.martin@phoenix.gov for link info

Friday, FEB. 7th PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL
e-mail Rick Sain at ussyorktown25@hotmail.com or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!.

Wednesday, FEB. 12th BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETING
6:30 pm at the DVCC

Tuesday, FEB. 18th BELL RD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.
11:00 am at Bell Ford

Tuesday, FEB. 19th CITYWIDE PNP MEETING
6:00 pm in person at Mt. View Precinct and on WebEx

Wednesday, FEB. 19th T-BIRD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.
10 am Location TBD

Thursday, FEB. 27th BLACK MTN. COFFEE with COPS
8:30 am at Biscuits Café, 310 E. Bell Road

MARCH 2025

Wednesday, MAR. 5th BMCA BOARD MEETING
6:30 pm at the DVCC Conference Room

Thursday, MAR. 6th WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT OUR PD!

Thursday, MAR. 6th NBWGP Oversight Committee Mtg.
6:00 pm - e-mail george.martin@phoenix.gov for link info

Friday, MAR. 7th PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL
e-mail Rick Sain at ussyorktown25@hotmail.com or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!.

Wednesday, MAR. 12th BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETING
6:30 pm at the DVCC

Tuesday, MAR. 18th BELL RD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.
11:00 am at Bell Ford

Tuesday, MAR. 19th CITYWIDE PNP MEETING
6:00 pm in person at Mt. View Precinct and on WebEx

Wednesday, MAR. 19th T-BIRD BUSINESS ALLIANCE MTG.
10 am Location TBD

Thursday, MAR. 27th BLACK MTN. COFFEE with COPS
8:30 am at Biscuits Café, 310 E. Bell Road

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

BLACK MOUNTAIN PNP PATROLERS:

REMINDER!

ONLINE REPORTING OF PNP HOURS

volunteer@phoenix.gov

PNP online Patrol Log entry

To get a username and password email

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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