

Next Meetings July 11th & August 8th

Board Meeting 6:15pm

General Membership Meeting Starts 7:00pm

****Trinity United Methodist Church - 3104 West Glendale Ave****

Meetings are 2nd Thursday of each month, mark your calendars!

Help with Summer Travel Plans

Phoenix Sky Train Opens at Sky Harbor Airport

The Phoenix (PHX) Sky Train has opened at Sky Harbor International Airport, allowing travelers to seamlessly connect between Terminal 4, East Economy Parking and Metro light rail at 44th and Washington streets. The PHX Sky Train is free and operates 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Travelers using Terminal 4 can easily access it from Level 3, where all the gates and security checkpoints are located. From Terminal 4, it is a two minute ride to East Economy parking and a five

minute ride between Terminal 4 and the 44th street Station. Trains arrive and depart every three to four minutes. The PHX Sky Train station features many amenities, including boarding pass kiosks and pet parks. Early Bag Check, available at the East Economy parking lot and the 44th street station which allows travelers flying Southwest or US Airways to check their bags for no additional cost. For more info about the sky train, visit www.skyharbor.com/PHXSkyTrain.

JULY - AUGUST CALENDAR

July 4	Independence Day
July 11th	NGS Meeting
July 13th	PNP Training
August 8th	NGS Meeting
September 2	Labor Day
September 14	Yom Kippur
September 25	Last day of Sukkoth

Bulk Trash Collection

South of Orangewood Ave (Area 10)
Placement Begins - July 27th
Collection Begins - August 5th

North of Orangewood Ave (Area 11)
Placement Begins - August 3rd
Collection Begins - August 12th



Summer Events Around Arizona

Southwest Ambulance Arizona Celebration of Freedom

Saturday, June 29, 2013, 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

This annual celebration of freedom and independence features a diverse array of family entertainment and activities, including live music, patriotic displays, fireworks, a classic car show and more.

www.azcelebrationoffreedom.org

Independence Day Celebration and Fireworks Spectacular

Thursday, July 4, 2013, 7:00 PM - 9:30 PM

The skies over Tumbleweed Park will be illuminated with a dazzling 20-to-25-minute fireworks display. An assortment of food will be available for purchase, so bring your appetite.

Cost: \$5 parking **Phone:** (480) 782-2735

Summer Spectacular Artwalk

Thursday, July 11, 2013, 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

This popular annual event is presented by the Scottsdale Gallery Association and Scottsdale Downtown.

Prescott Indian Art Market

Saturday, July 13, 2013, 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

This annual event features works by some of the finest Native American artists from across the country. A juried show of the highest quality, the market features paintings, sculpture, jewelry, basketry, weaving, quilting, wood carvings and more. While not browsing the artwork, visitors can enjoy food and performances by Native American singers and dancers. **Cost:** \$10; free for children 18 & under. **Phone:** (520) 445-3122



Christmas in July

Saturday, July 20, 2013, 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Get your Christmas shopping done early while enjoying various festive activities in downtown Glendale. Drop by the Visitors Center to pick up a holiday map, coupons and gift bag (free for the first 300 people), then head to A Mad Hatter's to meet Santa Claus **Phone:** (623) 930-4500

Sedona Wine Festival

Thursday, September 26, 2013, 11:00 AM - 5PM

ABOUT THE SEDONA WINEFEST

This two-day wine festival celebrates the wine growing industry of Arizona and will feature great wines from the Verde Valley, Prescott & the Southern Arizona Regions. The event will be located on Airport Mesa, taking advantage of the substantial parking as well as spectacular Sedona scenery. Patrons will delight in tasting wines and local food with a variety of menu items and snacks throughout the day. There will be an area for patrons to sit, sip wine and enjoy food and live music.

Purchase a glass of your favorite wine and take a stroll through the Annual Juried Art Exhibition featuring original art for sale. Attendees have the opportunity to purchase wine by the case, bottle and by the glass from all the participating wineries. **Cost:** Early Bird Tickets on Sale Now. Visit website for more information: http://events.azfamily.com/Sedona_Winefest/272701644.html



WELCOME NEW BUSINESSES TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD



Please welcome 3 new businesses to our area. Supporting responsible good businesses in our area keeps crime rates low and neighborhood integrity high.



Old Town Sarajevo which is located in the strip mall across from Safeway at 35th & Northern. They serve traditional Sarajevo food so if you are in the mood to try something new this might be the place to go. Inside the establishment it is decorated to look like a traditional village in Sarajevo. Check it out if you are so inclined.



The Hideaway Bar & Grill which is located where Spuds used to be on Northern and 35th. They have big screen TV's for watching sporting events along with a menu that

includes sandwiches and burgers. They claim to have the best homemade onion rings in town. You will have to try them and decide for yourself. They also have music, pool tables and a generous size beer menu, wines and mixed drinks. They also serve breakfast and lunch similar to Spuds. Check them out if you're interested.



Lastly, we have a new car wash establishment that is pristine looking on Glendale past 39th Avenue before 43rd Avenue. They are a welcome addition to the vacancy that was there prior. Their prices begin at \$3 just like on their sign and they have weekly promotions you'll have to check out as they are available. Just read their sign as it gets regularly updated, and wash the Phoenix desert off your car the next time you are on your way home.

BE PROUD TO BE A PHOENICIAN

Phoenix Wins Alliance for Innovation Award

The Alliance for Innovation has selected the city of Phoenix to receive a Award of Excellence for a sweeping organizational review that resulted in a leaner work force and more efficient delivery of services.

As part of the organizational review the city set out to eliminate layers of supervision, streamline services, identify efficiencies and reduce the size of government. The goals were achieved over a two-year period, resulting in a structurally balanced budget and the smallest city government in 40 years, as measured by employees per capita. The Alliance, a nonprofit organization promotes excellence and innovation in local government, reviewed more than 80 submissions for its second annual awards. For more information about the Alliance visit transformgov.org

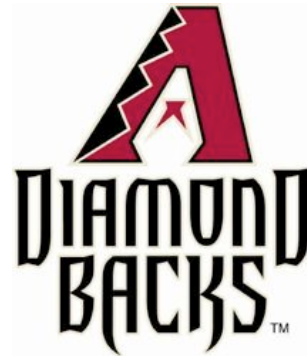
ZONING UPDATE CONTINUED.....

This is a continuation to the article written in our last issue concerning the vacant gas station on the corner of 35th Avenue and Glendale. As previously reported, we prevented the tenant from obtaining a C-2 zoning change in order to prevent a We Buy Gold going into the building. However, the owner decided to put in a Title Loan business for 95% of the space and a We Buy Gold in 5% of the space. In their current zoning (PCS) they are allowed to have a We Buy Gold in 5% if the remaining 95% is occupied by a permissible business. Unfortunately for them the Title Loan business does not meet distance requirements. They have been issued a stop order from the city but we are currently awaiting further information and action to find out what will happen next. We will keep you posted as things develop.

Arizona Diamondbacks

The Arizona Diamondbacks will host their first-ever doubleheader on Wednesday, Aug. 22, against the Miami Marlins at 12:40 and 6:40 p.m.

at Chase Field. **To avoid traffic:** Central Avenue from Jefferson to Washington streets is scheduled to be restricted from noon to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 22, to stage an event at CityScape. During this event, the west side curb lane will be restricted and two through lanes will be maintained. Use Seventh Avenue to enter and exit the downtown area. Arrive early, stay late and Shop Phoenix! The D-backs have partnered with many businesses in downtown Phoenix to offer special deals and activities between games. For a complete list, visit www.dbacks.com/doubleheader. Normal parking meter hours will be enforced from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and all downtown meters are coin operated \$1.50 per hour.



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.....Email: northglengraffiti@yahoo.com	
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Officer Karen Anderson (Community Action Officer)	
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.....email: karen.anderson@phoenix.gov	
Cactus Park Precinct	602-495-5009
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Household Hazardous Waste Upcoming Collection Events

8am to Noon Thursday September 12th
 Friday September 13th
 Saturday September 14th

Cesar Chavez Park 7858 S. 35th Avenue (West of Cesar Chavez Library by the skateboard park)



Holiday Garbage Recycling Pickup Schedule

Since the city has switched to same day collection Public works staff will be working on the following holidays.

Independence Day, Thursday July 4th
 Labor Day, Monday September 2nd
 Veterans Day, Monday November 11th

The North Gateway and 27th Avenue transfer stations are closed on all holidays.

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Traffic and Street Restrictions Update

Baseline Road at 14th Street, partial restriction due to a Street Transportation Department Design and Construction Management storm drain installation and associated utility work, completion scheduled for June.

Broadway Road – 31st and 35th avenues, partial restriction due to a city of Phoenix Water Department and Talis Construction Corporation water infrastructure improvement project, completion scheduled for mid-July

Flamenco Drive and Country Gables Drive, full closure due to a city of Phoenix Design and Construction Management traffic calming project, completion scheduled for mid-July.

Jefferson Street – Central Avenue to First Street, partial restriction due to CityScape’s hotel construction, with completion scheduled for May.

Southern Avenue at 22nd Street, partial restriction due to a city of Phoenix Design and Construction Management drainage improvement project, completion scheduled for late June.

Village Drive – Camelback Road to 44th Street, full closure due to a Maricopa County Flood Control District and city of Phoenix major storm drain installation project, with completion scheduled for May.

19th Avenue, Grand Avenue and McDowell Road intersection, partial restriction due to an Arizona Department of Transportation improvement project of US 60 (Grand Avenue). The project will include pavement improvements, road construction and new right-turn lanes and sidewalks at various locations. New lighting, landscape, screen walls and fencing will be included in the project, with completion scheduled for December. For information, email projects@azdot.gov

22nd Street – Southern Avenue to Alta Vista Road, full closure due to a city of Phoenix Design and Construction Management drainage improvement project, completion scheduled for late June.

24th Street - Osborn to Indian School roads, partial restriction due to a city of Phoenix Design and Construction Management waterline installation project, completion scheduled for June.

44th Street – Camelback Road to Colter Street, partial restriction due to a Maricopa County Flood Control District and City of Phoenix joint project, completion scheduled for August 2013.

56th Street – State Route 101 to Deer Valley Road, partial restriction due to a City of Phoenix, Planning and Development Department storm drain project, completion scheduled for June 2013.

Northwest light rail extension - Ongoing restrictions along 19th Avenue and cross streets related to light rail northwest extension construction. 19th Avenue between Bethany Home Road to Dunlap Avenue will be reduced to one lane in each direction for utility relocation. To receive weekly construction updates via email, please email Carla Kahn, ckahn@valleymetro.org.

These restrictions represent only the major planned activities reported to the Street Transportation Department’s Right-of-Way Management Office. For information on continuing planned major street restrictions, visit phoenix.gov/streets



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Our web site also includes a discussion board for registered users. Having a yard sale? Did your house get broken into? Do you have a question or concern about the neighborhood? Start a discussion.

We also send emails on upcoming events, crime & scam alerts, and other important information between newsletters.

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Sex Offender web site:

www.azsexoffender.com

North Glen Square gets updated regularly on sex offenders from the Phoenix Police Dept. We encourage you to visit the site so you are informed on their whereabouts in our neighborhood. An informed resident is a safer resident.

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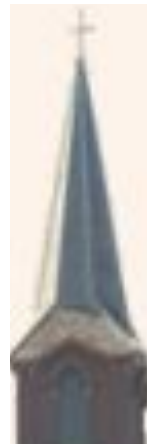
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