

Summer Break - No Meetings July & August

Meetings will resume in September

General Membership Meeting Starts 7:00pm

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

Meetings will resume the 2nd Thursday of each month beginning in September!

Partnerships: Communities and the Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol

Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol has long supported the notion that involved residents are the most effective crime fighters, reporting suspicious activity as it occurs. This program allows residents to become more actively involved as partners in crime prevention. They are the Phoenix Police Department's "Eyes and Ears!"

The Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol Program began in 1994 as Block Watchers On Patrol and was associated with the Block Watch McGruff logo.

In 2009 members logged over 53,000 miles and volunteered over 25,000 hours of their time to their neighborhood! That is over \$527,000 in value to the community.

Crime prevention is every citizen's responsibility. Some communities in Phoenix already have conducted citizen patrols with success. Providing these patrols often gives people a stronger sense of ownership in their neighborhood, as well as drawing neighbors together in a common cause.

The citizen patrols can be conducted on an 'as available' basis and are by no means mandatory. The Phoenix Police Department will provide the training and tools to volunteers who would like to become more involved in crime prevention around their neighborhoods.

There are [4 hours of training](#) in the areas of patrol procedures, observation skills, the 9-1-1 system, reporting techniques, confrontation avoidance, safety practices and Block Watch grants. Citizens who complete the training will be provided program identification cards, authorized to use identifying automobile door placards and cellular telephone equipment to conduct crime prevention activities in their neighborhood and to record and report suspicious activity.

https://www.phoenix.gov/policesite/Pages/policeppd_pnp.aspx

CALENDAR

July 4th	Independence Day
July 11th	PNP Training
July 26th	Parent's Day
August 29th	PNP Training
September 7	Labor Day
September 11	Patriot's Day

Bulk Trash Collection

South of Orangewood Ave
(Area 10)

Placement Begins - July 25th
Collection Begins - Aug. 3rd

North of Orangewood Ave
(Area 11)

Placement Begins - Aug. 1st
Collection Begins - Aug. 10th





Valenzuela Applauds Approval of SAFER, TIGER Funding

May 28, 2015

"Public safety has been, and will always be, my top priority and we continue to search out every additional dollar available to strengthen our efforts. Yesterday's Phoenix City Council vote to apply for \$7.4 million in federal SAFER grant funds moves us closer to completing another big piece of our strategic safety plan to ensure the health and well-being of our residents.

Since taking office in 2012, I have made it a priority to show up in Washington, D.C. again and again to advocate for our city's fair share of federal funds to hire more police officers and firefighters. During the economic downturn, the millions in federal funds that we successfully advocated for and received represented the best option to continue fortifying our first responder teams. This year's budget once again made the hiring of officers and firefighters a priority. However, federal funds remain essential to continue moving in the right direction, making our Police and Fire departments whole once again. These SAFER grant funds will allow for the hiring of an additional 43 firefighters, for two years, to ensure the continued safety of our neighborhoods, covering all salary and benefit costs.

May 27th's council vote to apply for up to \$10 million in Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery (TIGER) grants represents another creative way to ensure the health and safety of our neighborhoods, and much more.

The TIGER funds will bring to life the Grand Canalscape vision, stretching from the East Valley to West Phoenix, including the addition of canal trails, safety lighting, bridges and signaled street crossings for bicyclists and pedestrians. Health and safety go hand in hand and activating dormant land surrounding our canals will encourage healthy outdoor exercise and recreation while discouraging criminal activities. These TIGER funds will create social, economic and transit related connections throughout our city and beyond. This is the future of comprehensive public safety."

Daniel T. Valenzuela, Vice Mayor
Phoenix City Councilman, District 5

Transportation Tax Election Scheduled For August 25, 2015

Phoenix voters will decide whether to increase the sales tax dedicated to transportation from four to seven cents per ten dollars to improve neighborhood and major streets, grow bus routes and increase service, and triple the Phoenix light rail system. The 35 year tax would start in 2016. If passed, the city will reallocate \$16 million from the city's general fund for initially hiring 125 more police officers.



*****SAVE THE DATE*****

The next **Square Wide Yard Sale** will be Saturday **October 10th 2015**. Mark your calendar and start saving for your next BIG sale. Keep checking your newsletter for the exact date. Remember, the more homes that participate, the larger the ad will be in the newspaper to attract more people to our yard sales.

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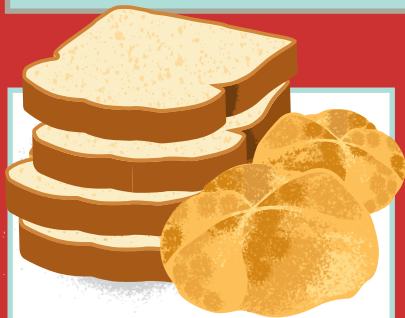
DID YOU KNOW?

THESE SIX POPULAR FOODS CAN ADD HIGH LEVELS OF SODIUM TO YOUR DIET¹

The American Heart Association recommends that you aim to eat less than 1,500 mg of sodium per day.



When you see the Heart-Check mark on a product, you know the food has been certified to meet nutritional criteria for heart-healthy foods, including sodium.



BREADS & ROLLS

Some foods that you eat several times a day, such as bread, add up to a lot of sodium even though each serving may not seem high in sodium. Check the labels to find lower-sodium varieties.

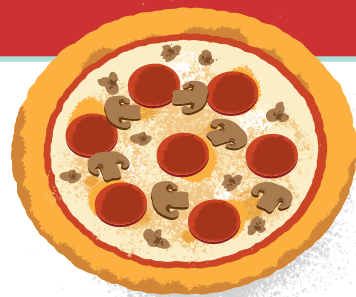
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COLD CUTS & CURED MEATS

One 2 oz. serving, or 6 thin slices, of deli meat can contain as much as half of your daily recommended dietary sodium. Look for lower-sodium varieties of your favorite lunch meats.

2



PIZZA

A slice of pizza with several toppings can contain more than half of your daily recommended dietary sodium. Limit the cheese and add more veggies to your next slice.

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POULTRY

Sodium levels in poultry can vary based on preparation methods. You will find a wide range of sodium in poultry products, so it is important to choose wisely.

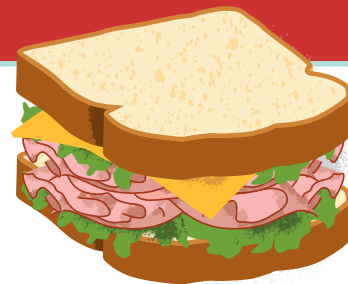
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SOUP

Sodium in one cup of canned soup can range from 100 to as much as 940 milligrams—more than half of your daily recommended intake. Check the labels to find lower sodium varieties.

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SANDWICHES

A sandwich or burger from a fast food restaurant can contain more than 100 percent of your daily suggested dietary sodium. Try half a sandwich with a side salad instead.

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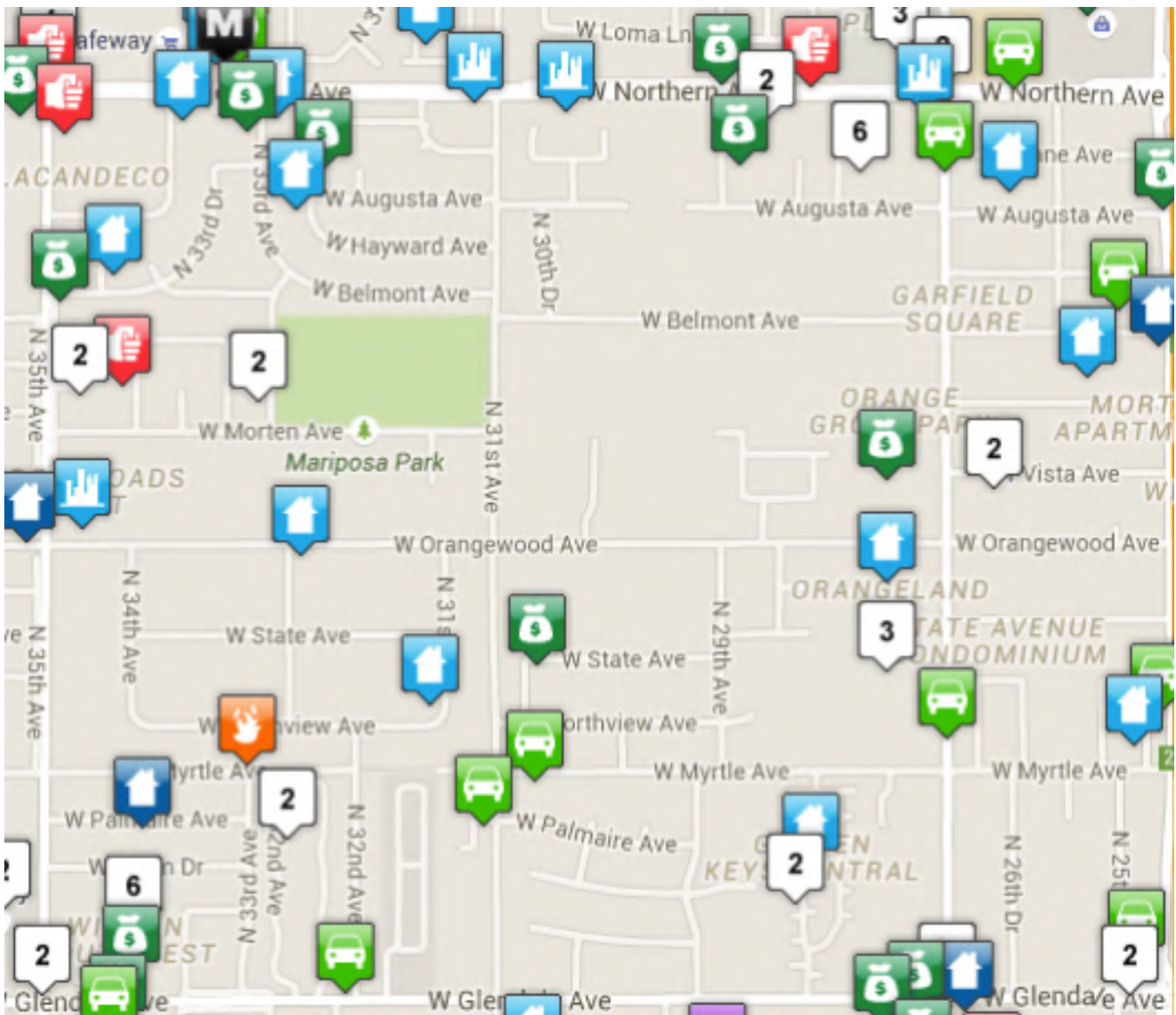
PHOENIX POLICE DEPARTMENT CRIME STATS

MAP LEGEND

- House Burglary/Robbery
- Money Bag Theft/Larceny
- M Murder
- Fire Arson
- Car Motor Vehicle Theft
- Fist Aggravated Assault
- Cityscape Burglary - Business
- R Rape
- Box with a # Theft/Burglary/Robbery or Larceny


Due to technical difficulties accessing the phoenix.gov website and the crime stats I was only able to get a screen shot of the crimes in North Glen Square. The map legend is to the left and the map showing incidents is below. Hopefully, next issue the website will be working like it has in the past, such that we can provide more detailed info. Thank you!

Time Frame (March 1st - June 20th, 2015)



IMPORTANT NUMBERS

- Crime Stop (non-emergency)**.....602-262-6151
 - Graffiti Busters (Phoenix)**.....602-495-7014
 - Graffiti Committee (Chair: Jon Vreeken)**
(leave detailed info, name & phone numbers)
.....Email: northglengraffiti@yahoo.com
.....Phone: 602-242-0019
 - Officer Garrick Henry (Community Action Officer)**
.....Voice Mail 602-256-3141
 - Cactus Park Precinct**602-495-5009
 - Abandoned Vehicles (private property) ...**602-262-7844
 - Abandoned Vehicles**602-262-6151
 - Animal Control/Rabies**.....602-506-7387
 - Barking Dogs**602-262-6466
 - City Bus Service**602-253-5000
 - Dial-A-Ride**.....602-253-4000
 - Garbage Collection**602-262-7251
 - Illegal Dumping**.....602-262-7251
 - Loud Party Info**.....602-262-7803
 - Loud Party Reporting**602-262-6151
 - Neighborhood Enforcement**.....602-262-7844
 - Neighborhood Narcotic Complaints**.....602-275-5886
 - Parking Complaints**602-262-6151
 - Property Maintenance Violations**.....602-262-7844
 - Poison Control**.....602-253-3334
 - Shopping Cart removal**1-800-THE-CART
 - Illegal signs**602-534-7100
 - Street repair (potholes)**.....602-262-6441
 - Street Light repair**602-495-5125
 - Councilman Valenzuela**.....602-262-7446
 - Parks Department**.....602-262-6575
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EARLY VOTING INFORMATION PHOENIX CITY COUNCIL ELECTION

The City of Phoenix will hold the regularly scheduled Mayor and Council Election on Tuesday, **Aug. 25, 2015**. In this election, registered voters who reside in the city of Phoenix will elect a Mayor. Also, voters residing in City Council District 1, 3, 5, and 7 will elect Council Members.

There is no election for council member in Council Districts 2, 4, 6, and 8 this year because the terms of the council members are staggered.

Phoenix voters can vote early either by mail or at an early voting location.

Permanent Early Voting List

Arizona law allows voters to place their name on a Permanent Early Voting List, which is maintained by the County Recorder. Once you are on this list, you do not have to request that an early ballot be mailed to you for each election. Instead, by being on this list, an early ballot will be mailed to you approximately 26 days prior to the election. For more information about this list, visit the [Maricopa County Recorder's website](#).

Requests for an Early Ballot by Mail

Registered voters who are not on the Permanent Early Voting List, but wish to receive an early ballot by mail, may request a ballot. Request forms are available by clicking on the link below. Request forms can also be obtained by calling the City Clerk Department, Records and Elections Division, at the phone number listed below. The City Clerk must receive a signed, written request for an early ballot by mail no later than 5 p.m. Friday, Aug. 14.

Mailing of the Early Ballots

Early ballots will be mailed beginning about 26 days before the election (late July). If you will be away from your regular mailing address at that time and wish to have your ballot mailed to another address, please contact the City Clerk Department at the phone number listed below. The early ballot packet will include instructions for voting the ballot. Completed early ballots must be received by the City Clerk Department by 7 p.m. on Election Day, Tuesday, Aug. 25, 2015. The ballots may be returned by mail, be delivered to the City Clerk Department at City Hall, 200 W. Washington St., or dropped off at any voting center location.

Early Voting Locations

Voters who wish to vote early may vote early at Phoenix City Hall, 200 W. Washington St., 15th floor, between Thursday, July 30 and Friday, Aug. 21.

[Early Ballot Request Form](#)

[Early Voting Frequently Asked Questions](#)

[Early Voting Instructions](#)

Additional Information

For additional information call the City Clerk Department, Records and Elections Division, at 602-261-VOTE (8683) or use the 7-1-1 Relay System.

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Add your voice to the list of over 300 concerned members.

NORTH GLEN SQUARE WEBSITE

Did you know we have a website? Yes we do, and we try to keep it updated with a calendar of events, newsletter issues, documents, and links to helpful information & resources. Whether you want to report a code violation, request street light service or view a map of zoning in North Glen Square, we have links to help.

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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