



PHX CONNECT

The Weekly Connection Newsletter for City of Phoenix Employees • January 29, 2025



February is Black History Month and City employees are invited to a kick-off celebration outside Phoenix City Hall. This street fair will have music, food trucks, and arts & crafts. **Details:**

- ◆ Tuesday, Feb. 4 | 11 a.m.- 1:30 p.m.
- ◆ Marvin Andrews Plaza
- ◆ Sign in at the event to earn 3x competency points
- ◆ Register on **PHXYou**, Event Code: **BPA100-ILT**

The event is supported by the Department of Arts and Culture and NFPBA.

HAPPY DATA PRIVACY WEEK



A strong data privacy program protects personal data from being misused or stolen. It helps make sure that the City handles employee and resident information carefully, follows laws, and only uses it for the right reasons.

When we have robust privacy practices, names, addresses, and other details are kept safe and private.

This way, the City can build trust with their residents, and everyone's personal data stays secure from hackers or mistakes. It's all about being responsible and careful with personal information. Learn more by visiting [National Cybersecurity Alliance \(NCA\)](#) website.



DeepSeek, a new China-based AI tool, is in the news this week. The City's ITS Information Security Office wants employees to know there are significant [privacy and security risks](#) if you use it.

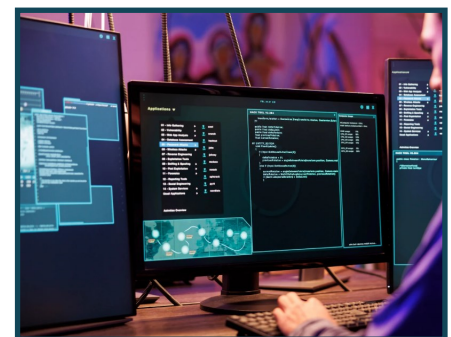
The website for DeepSeek is now being blocked on the City network and should not be used for any City business. We encourage employees to use caution if using DeepSeek for personal use.

CYBERSECURITY OPEN HOUSE

The City's Security Operations Center (SOC) protects the City from cybersecurity threats, in part by protecting your City devices, data, and accounts from a wide range of attacks. The entire team who keeps us safe in the digital world is holding a Cybersecurity Open House to demonstrate the tools they use to protect the City and to answer your questions.

Details:

- ◆ Friday, Jan. 31
- ◆ 9 a.m.—noon
- ◆ Phoenix City Hall assembly rooms
- ◆ 10-minute demos of the SOC tools start at the top of each hour



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Receiving feedback gracefully is an essential step toward personal and professional growth, even after being declined for a job. Approach the situation with an open mind, ask for constructive insights, and use the feedback to identify areas for improvement. This not only demonstrates maturity but also positions you for future opportunities.

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an employee podcast

RAISING THE BAR WITH HR

FEATURED JOB OF THE WEEK

Lead User Technology Specialist

Street Transportation Department

Pay Range **\$86,590 to \$121,825 annually**

Hiring Range: **\$86,590 to \$110,510 annually**

(Pay range is the entire compensation range for the position classification. Hiring range is an estimate of where you can receive an offer.)

The City of Phoenix Street Transportation Department is seeking a Lead User Technology Specialist (LUTS) to lead the IT Operation team providing support for computer workstation hardware and software. The LUTS is expected to be a technical hands-on manager that will lead staff, perform highly technical work on large-scale IT projects, and work closely with the main ITS department on routine preventive maintenance and Citywide Enterprise IT projects. This position is responsible for partnering with multiple technology disciplines within Street Transportation and ITS to provide user support and resolve performance and availability issues within the Department's technology environment.

Learn about role responsibilities and more information at phoenix.gov/jobs or log into eCHRIS. Job Code: 09780. [Check out all current job openings here.](#)

LEARN LIFE-SAVING SKILLS

Want to learn hands-only CPR? How about how to stop a person from bleeding during an emergency situation until First Responders arrive?



City of Phoenix employees have access to in-person *trauma bleeding control training* to learn these life-saving skills.

STOP THE BLEED® training classes are available every second Tuesday and fourth Thursday through the end of June.

Register on **PHXYou** using course code: **RESILIENTPHX: TRAUMA BLEEDING CONTROL TRAINING.**