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## **Engaging Leader Graduation**

Congratulations to the 22<sup>nd</sup> graduating class of the City's Engaging Leader Program! The 5-month course broadens participant's awareness, accountability and actions. There were 32 participants representing 14 City departments recognized at a recent graduation ceremony.



- Brian Basten, Aviation
- Brian Garrido, Aviation
- Martin Pena, Aviation
- Hector Sandoval, Court
- Liliana Stadnic, Court
- Edith Barrera, Finance
- Taylor Beilman, Fire
- Shawn Fortner, Fire
- Jennie Levario, Fire
- Richie Robnett, Fire
- Nicholas Utkin, Fire
- Traci House, Housing
- Juliana Panqueva, Human Services
- Raquel Wind, Human Services
- Juili Kale, ITS
- Alexandra E. Lange, Law

- Alex Cybulski, Library
- Laura Francabandera, Library
- Josh Yoesting, Library
- Rene A. Flores, Planning & Dev.
- Sonia Montoya, Planning & Dev.
- Chad Morton, Planning & Dev.
- Logan Wood, Planning & Dev.
- Antionio Chaves, PCC
- Jackie Morataya, Police
- Eric Vazquez, Police
- Alicia Barr, Public Works
- Roger Spivey, Public Works
- Sean Wulfekuhle, Public Works
- Kevin Heer, Water
- Arturo Orozco, Water
- Raul Ortega, Water

## A Full Menu for "Bring Your Child..."







IT'S ALMOST TIME! The annual Bring Your Child to Work Day event is next week! We can't wait to see everyone on **Thursday, June 12**. The suggested age range for participation is 8-18 years old. Employees may participate in this day with the approval of their supervisor.

While many departments are holding *department-only events* limited to their families, everyone is invited to come downtown where we have many events open to all employees.







Here is a look at what City Hall is "serving up."





## **Submit A Nomination Today!**



The Mayor's Commission on Disability Issues is now accepting nominations for the annual Disability Awareness and Recognition Event!

Know an extraordinary individual, organization or business who tirelessly champions the cause of creating a more inclusive society for people with disabilities? **Submit a nomination by July 31, 2025**.

For award categories and nomination form, visit: **Phoenix.gov/mcdi**.

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## **Film Discussion**

The next Phoenix LGBTQ Employee Alliance film discussion is based on the film: *El Canto del Colibrí*. Participants are encouraged to watch the film ahead of time as it is not shown during the discussion session. Watch it now on <u>Kanopy</u>.



#### Details:

- Tuesday, June 17 | Noon
- Virtual event via PHXYou
- Register: LEA100-VLT-LGBTQ Film (Course ID # 122122)
- Earn 3x Cultural Competency Credits



### The Empowered Caregiver: Building Foundations of Caregiving

Join Phoenix LGBTQ Employee Alliance for a new education series from the Alzheimer's Association Desert Southwest Chapter that teaches caregivers how to navigate the responsibilities of caring for someone with dementia and take care of their own well being.

The first topic in The Empowered Caregiver series, Building Foundations of Caregiving explores the role of the caregiver and changes they may experience building a support team and managing caregiver stress.

#### Information:

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- Wednesday, June 18
- Noon 1:30 p.m.
- Virtual event via PHXYou
- Register: LEA106-VTL-The Empowered Caregiver (Course ID # 122870)
- Earn triple Cultural Competency Credits



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#### Dementia Friendly Air Travel Workshop

Sky Harbor International Airport's award-winning **Dementia Friendly Air Travel Workshop** is now also available as an online option! This is ideal for city employees, who can receive triple EO Plan cultural competency points. This workshop is meant for passengers with dementia and their care providers to learn how to navigate a busy airport like Phoenix Sky Harbor.

#### DETAILS:

- Next workshop: Wednesday, July 17
- 10 a.m.-12
- Register on PHXYou: AVN0584-ILT-Dementia
- In-person seating is limited





## **Quick Wellness Opportunities**

Seated Yoga



Here's a way to get a quick yoga workout in from your workspace.

#### **Details:**

- Live Zoom: Friday, June 13 | 10 10:30 a.m.
- No Equipment Necessary
- <u>Register and read important terms here</u>

#### **Mindful Meditation**



Join our health coach for a 15-Minute Mindfulness Meditation.

#### **Details:**

- Every Wednesday through June 18
- 10 10:15 a.m.
- Click <u>here</u> to register.

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### **Cruisin' Central** on June 7

Valley Metro and Phoenix Public Transit are thrilled to invite you to a day of excitement, culture and community as we unveil 5.5 new miles of light rail with the opening of the South Central Extension/Downtown Hub.

Be part of history on June 7 with celebrations happening at three vibrant locations along the new light rail line – each offering its own unique flavor of fun, entertainment and local pride.

Visit ValleyMetro.org for details.





## Launching This Weekend!

The new two-line Valley Metro light rail system makes traveling the Valley easier than ever. You can start riding both lines on Saturday, June 7. Here's how it will work:

- *A Line:* Runs east-west from the new Downtown Phoenix Hub to Gilbert Rd/Main St
- **B Line:** Runs north-south from Metro Parkway to the new endof-line station at Baseline/Central Ave.

Learn more at www.valleymetro.org/two-line.

#### Employee Leave Requests

The following employees are accepting leave donations:

- Angelica Gutierrez | Municipal Court
- Albert Hernandez | Municipal Court
- Lucas Hubbard | Water Services
- Anthony Spino | Water Services

See the **Leave Donation website** for a complete list of eligible employees.

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## **Featured Job of the Week**

#### Information Technology Analyst/Programmer III

#### Neighborhood Services Department (Temporary)

#### (Close Date June 9, 2025)

This position is a key role within NSD. One of the main advantages of this role is the opportunity to analyze and identify the most effective technical solutions to support business objectives and drive development. As part of the NSD, you will work within a close-knit team, gaining a deep understanding of NSD's employees while also collaborating with staff across multiple departments. Work products from NSD IT directly benefit our residents with the support and automation NSD IT provides to its customers.

This position utilizes a high level of expertise in many technical arenas, including but not limited to: Microsoft Power Platform (specifically Power BI and Power Automate), almost all products in the Esri ArcGIS space, Python and Java for data integrations with various systems, and a backend database in Oracle.

The temporary position is currently funded through June 2026.

#### SALARY DETAILS:

#### Pay Range: **\$78,540 - \$121,825 annually** Hiring Range: **\$78,540 - \$105,248 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 actual salary offer will carefully consider a wide range of factors, including your skills, qualifications, experience, education, licenses, training, and internal equity.)

Learn about role responsibilities and more information at phoenix.gov/jobs or log into eCHRIS

> <u>Check out all current job</u> <u>openings here</u>



The Employee Development Fund Program (EDF) has created new forms for Professional Memberships and Tuition Reimbursements. The Tuition Reimbursement form now allows up to four classes per form for each college/university attended.

Check out full EDF program details and FAQs **here**!

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602 Day may be over, but the step challenge is still going! Check here weekly for updates!

Send us pictures of how you are taking steps. Email us at PHXConnect@Phoenix.gov.



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