



DISTRICT 3 NEWS

A Message from Phoenix City Councilwoman Debra Stark

Hello District 3,

In this newsletter you will find the latest news, announcements, and event details that I want to share with you.

As always, please do not hesitate to contact my office with questions, comments, or concerns at (602) 262-7441 or council.district.3@phoenix.gov.

Respectfully,

Councilwoman Debra Stark

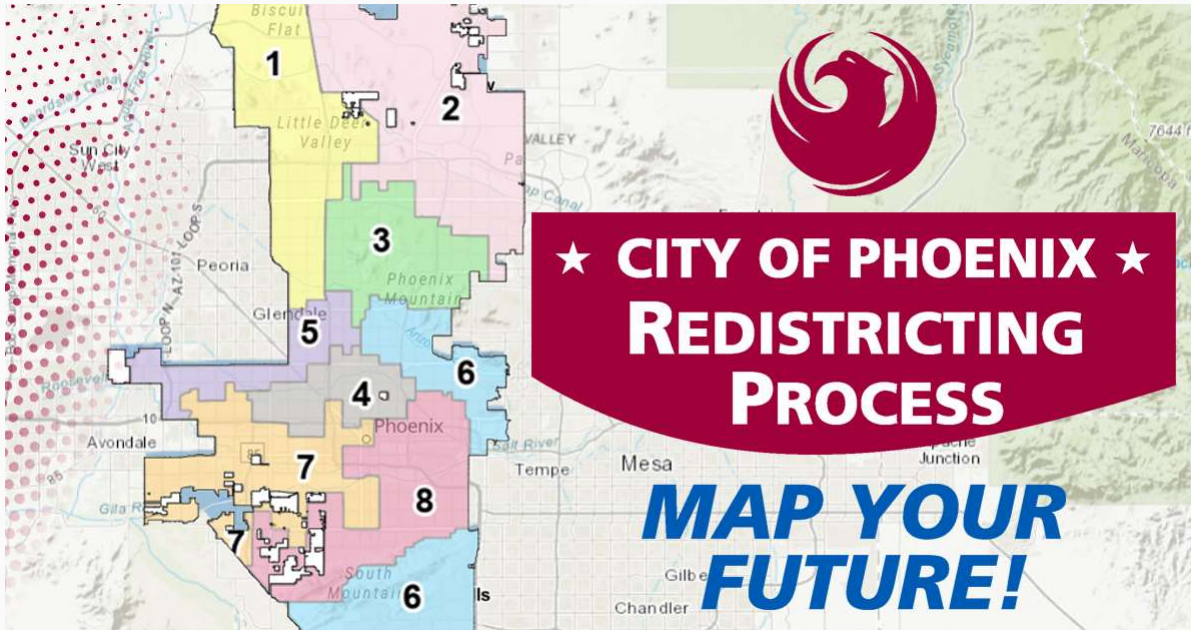


City of Phoenix

The Phoenix City Council will have a Special Formal meeting on **Monday, July 3rd at 10:00 a.m.**

Council will be reconvening after summer break for the next Formal meeting on Monday, August 28th.

Members of the public can attend and speak in-person, by phone, or virtually via Webex. Pre-registration is required to speak on an agenda item or during the Public Comment period. To find the agenda and information on how to register to speak and how to submit an e-comment, visit [Phoenix City Council Meetings](#).



City of Phoenix Redistricting

Be a part of Phoenix's future by helping us map it out. We're conducting our redistricting process based on 2020 Census data and want to know what you think! Join the conversation by attending a community meeting or submitting your own boundary map. Learn more at [PhoenixRedistricting.com](https://phoenixredistricting.com) [phoenixredistricting.com].

Make your voice heard! Residents are encouraged to provide input by:

Attending an informational community meeting.

Following the first round of community meetings, providing boundary suggestions through the [online mapping tool](https://phoenixredistricting.com) [phoenixredistricting.com].

Submitting comments at PhoenixRedistricting.com [phoenixredistricting.com], via email (phoenixredistricting@phoenix.gov) or by calling 602-261-8683.

COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP

Saturday, July 1st 7am-9am

1512 W. Bell Road #3

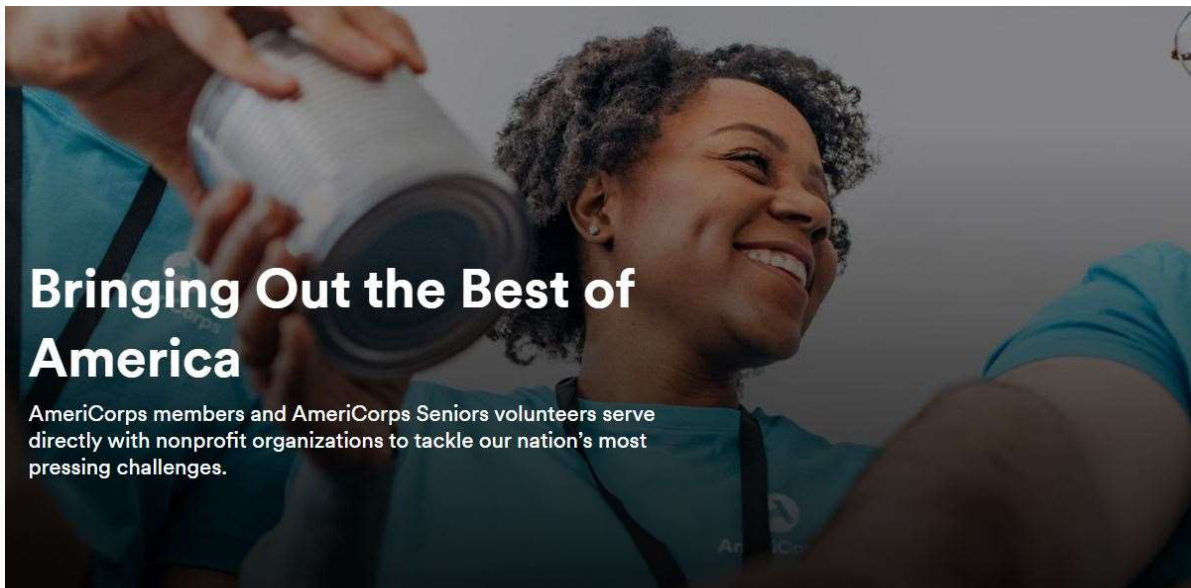


I WEAR YOUR RED, WHITE OR BLUE.



Volunteers Needed!

Come out and support the Bell Road community!!! This will be the last cleanup until September before the summer heat really kicks in! If you would like to connect with Thrive Phoenix, please contact Nina at info@thrivephoenix.org.



Bringing Out the Best of America

AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers serve directly with nonprofit organizations to tackle our nation's most pressing challenges.

AmeriCorps VISTA Opportunity

AmeriCorps VISTA members dedicate a year to serving full-time in nonprofit organizations and government agencies. During their terms of service, VISTA members build the capacity of organizations established to alleviate poverty by developing sustainable programs in fundraising, volunteer coordination, and project management. AmeriCorps VISTA members and Summer Associates receive a poverty-level stipend to better understand the lives of the clients they serve.

Currently, the City of Phoenix has a vacant AmeriCorps position in the newly

established Office of Public Health and seeking candidates to serve.
For more information and to apply, please visit: [My.AmeriCorps](https://my.americorps.gov)
[\[my.americorps.gov\]](https://my.americorps.gov)

HEAD START
BIRTH TO FIVE PROGRAM
"Give your child the Head Start advantage!"

Enrolling Now!

- Virtual Home Visits ages 0-3
- Child Care Centers ages 0-3
- Virtual & in-person preschool ages 3-5

HEAD START IS FOR:

- Families with children ages birth to five who are income-eligible
- Children with diagnosed disabilities
- Children in foster care
- Families experiencing homelessness
- Pregnant women
- Families receiving SSI and TANF

Spread the Word!

Call today to learn more!
602-262-4040
phoenix.gov/humanservices/programs/head-start/interest-form



HEAD START
PARA NIÑOS DESDE EL NACIMIENTO HASTA LOS CINCO AÑOS
"¡Dé a su hijo la ventaja con Head Start!"

¡Matriculando Ahora!

- Visitas virtuales al hogar entre las edades de 0-3
- Centros de Cuidado de Niños entre las edades de 0-3
- Educación Preescolar virtual y en persona entre las edades de 3-5

HEAD START ES PARA:

- Familias que tienen niños entre las edades de nacimiento y cinco que cumplen con los requisitos de ingresos establecidos
- Niños diagnosticados con discapacidades
- Niños en cuidado de crianza temporal
- Familias pasando por carencia de hogar
- Mujeres embarazadas
- Familias recibiendo SSI y TANF

¡Cerrando la Voz!

¡Llame hoy para aprender más!
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The Head Start Program is Now Enrolling

The City of Phoenix Head Start Birth to Five Program has spots available in each of its three program options: Early Head Start Home-Based, Early Head Start Child Care Partnership, and Head Start Preschool programs. Call 602-262-4040 or visit our website at phoenix.gov/headstart for more information.



Fabulous Phoenix 4th Fireworks Show Returns in 2023

The Phoenix Parks and Recreation Department is proud to announce the return of its annual fireworks event, Fabulous Phoenix 4th. Fabulous Phoenix 4th takes place at Steele Indian School Park (300 E. Indian School Road) on Tuesday, July 4, from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

The 35th Annual Fabulous Phoenix 4th features one of the largest fireworks displays in the Southwest with more than 7,800 aerial effects. This free, non-alcoholic family event attracts thousands of attendees. The event will include a spectacular fireworks display with plenty of food, music, and games for all ages.

To ensure everyone's safety during the Fourth of July holiday, we encourage the public to follow these simple fireworks safety tips:

- Always have an adult present when lighting fireworks.
- Never light fireworks indoors or near dry grass or shrubs.
- Keep a bucket of water or fire extinguisher nearby in case of an emergency.
- Never point or throw fireworks at another person.
- Only light one firework at a time and never try to relight a dud.

For more tips and information, visit our [Fabulous Phoenix 4th website](#). For recorded event information call 602 534 FEST (3378).

CHAINING YOUR DOG ISN'T SAFE

Break the chain



azhumane.org/breakthechain

Arizona Humane Society Launched a New Anti-Tethering Campaign

Chaining your dog outside is dangerous, and the Valley's scorching summer temperatures can even make it deadly. Tethered dogs can become tangled, trapping them without water or shelter. As temperatures rise, we are working with

the Arizona Humane Society to raise awareness as our City law prohibits tethering a dog if the temperature is above 100 degrees. Break the chain. Please don't tether. Learn more at azhumane.org/breakthechain [azhumane.org].



**JULY 12, 2023
10:00 AM - NOON**

Seating is limited

Dementia - Friendly Air Travel Workshop



America's Friendliest Airport®



Phoenix • Arizona

**City of Phoenix Aviation Department
2485 E. Buckeye Road, Phoenix, AZ 85034**

Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport, a dementia friendly airport, wants to help people living with dementia and their care partners. We want to help minimize the stress of airports, allowing everyone to successfully travel longer and safer. This FREE workshop is intended for caregivers of persons living with dementia who want to maintain air travel with their loved ones.

Learn how to plan and navigate airports and air travel. Representatives from the airlines, TSA and the City of Phoenix Aviation Department will present valuable information. An optional tour of specific locations of the airport will be conducted following the workshop.

To register or request a reasonable accommodation, please email: SkyHarbor@Phoenix.gov

- Subject line: Dementia - Friendly Air Travel Workshop Registration
- Please include full name, phone number, address and if you would like to take a tour

Check-in begins promptly at 9:30 a.m. and there is ample parking outside the building.

No respite care will be provided during the workshop.



Take a Hike. Do it Right

Phoenix is home to more than 41,000 acres of desert parks and mountain preserves, and 200-plus miles of trails. Millions of people enjoy city trails every year, but sadly, more than 200 hikers annually are rescued from City of Phoenix desert and mountain parks and preserves. This simple checklist can help you from becoming a statistic, [HERE](#).

[Find a Trail Location Near you](#)

[Register for Hikes and Outdoor nature Programs
\[anc.apm.activecommunities.com\]](#)

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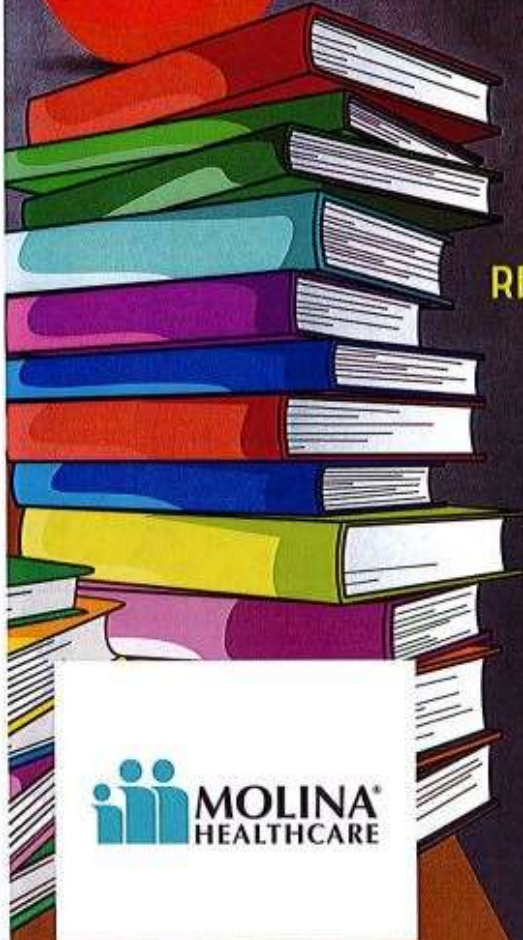
[Contact Natural Resource Divisions Staff](#)



SUNNYSLOPE FAMILY AND FRIENDS
YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR:

BACK TO SCHOOL

INDOOR EVENT



SATURDAY

JULY 15, 2023

12PM-3PM

**COMMUNITY PARTNERS
SCHOOL SUPPLY GIVEAWAY
REGISTER ONLINE - [Phoenix.gov/parks](https://phoenix.gov/parks)
FREE HAIR CUTS**



**Free Health Screenings
HIV Testing
COVID19 Vaccinations**

SUNNYSLOPE COMMUNITY CENTER
802 E. VOGEL AVE
PHOENIX, AZ 85020

FOR MORE INFO CALL 602-262-6661

[Spanish Flyer](#)



YOUR
experience
COUNTS

A Program of HandsOn Greater Phoenix

**Volunteer in the Classroom with Your
Experience Counts**

HandsOn Greater Phoenix is seeking positive role models with daytime

availability to support classroom teachers during the 23-24 school year. Volunteers spend 2+ hours/week assisting students in literacy, math, and/or science in small groups or one-on-one. If interested, please contact Molly McArthur (molly@handsonphoenix.org) or [apply online \[handsonphoenix.org\]](https://handsonphoenix.org) by August 4th.



Public Works Offers Various Services to Help Residents During 2023 Monsoon

The 2023 Monsoon officially began on June 15. The Phoenix Public Works

Department offers many services that may come in handy before, during, and after big storms.

- Once the first big storm is in the forecast, sand for sandbags will be available (while supplies last) at specific City parks. Residents will need to bring their own bags and shovels. Locations are below:

District 1 – Paseo Highlands Park – 3435 W. Pinnacle Peak Rd.

District 2 – Paradise Valley Park – 17642 N. 40th St.

District 3 – Moon Valley Park – 502 W. Coral Gables Dr.

District 4 – Encanto Park Sports Complex – 2121 N. 15th Ave.

District 5 – El Oso Park – 3451 N. 75th Ave.

District 6 – Pecos Park – 17010 S. 48th St.

District 7 – Cesar Chavez Park – 7858 S. 35th Ave.

District 8 – Esteban Park – 3345 E. Roeser Rd.

- Fallen branches and large storm debris can be placed for [bulk trash collection](#) if it happens during your placement/collection week (be sure to check the [placement and collection schedule](#)).
- If you need to dispose of fallen branches when it's not your turn for bulk trash collection, you can cut them into small pieces, bag them, and put them in your curbside or alley trash container.
- Each residential customer can drop off up to one ton of debris per calendar month (single visit) directly at our [transfer stations](#) at no charge. Be sure to bring your City services bill and your ID.

Other Monsoon Reminders

- Please bag and tie all trash (do not bag recyclables)
- Make sure your lid is closed
- Return your empty containers back to your property promptly so they don't float or blow away in the street during a storm.

- If your curbside containers get damaged (or lost!) during a monsoon storm, you can schedule a service to have your container either repaired or replaced for free.

Household Hazardous Waste

As temperatures rise, so does the danger of putting hazardous waste in curbside trash or recycling bins. Items like batteries, pool chemicals, paints, and oils can cause garbage truck fires (also known as hot loads) that endanger truck drivers, slow down collection, and cause extremely expensive damage. Please utilize the [Household Hazardous Waste Collection program](#) to properly dispose of hazardous items.



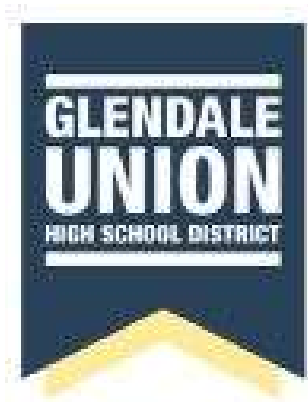
Office of Homeless Solutions

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 May's report.](#)

[View the Phoenix Homeless Solutions Data Dashboard. \[stories.opengov.com\]](#)



News From Glendale Union High School District

Glendale Union High School District's Graduates Earned More Than \$111 Million in Scholarships

The 2022-2023 Glendale Union High School District school year ended with excellent measures of success. Over 2,900 students graduated from all nine of GUHSD's high schools this year, and the Class of 2023 earned more than \$111 million in scholarships. Sunnyslope High School and Thunderbird High School received a combined total of over \$34 million in scholarships. GUHSD is

incredibly proud of the Class of 2023's achievements and wishes all the graduates continued success in their future endeavors.

High schools within GUHSD's boundaries are Apollo, Cortez, Glendale, Greenway, Independence, Moon Valley, Sunnyslope, Thunderbird, and Washington. To learn more about GUHSD's accomplishments, visit [@GUHSDAZ](https://www.facebook.com/GUHSDAZ) [facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com/GUHSDAZ) on Facebook.



District 3 Street Transportation Department Updates

This report from the Street Transportation Department covers the period from April 28 through June 1 in District 3.

ADA Curb Ramp Retrofit

These projects include the removal and replacement of non-ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) compliant curb ramps, damaged concrete curb, gutter, valley gutters, and aprons or sidewalks, and the installation of new ADA compliant curb ramps. Newly compliant ADA ramps were installed in the areas bounded by 32nd St. to 40th St., Cactus Rd. to Thunderbird Rd.

Street Right-of-Way Landscape Maintenance

Crews maintained the street right-of-way on: 16th St. and Greenway Pkwy.

This work typically includes weed and trash removal and landscape pruning. This helps provide a safe environment for the public and enhances the image of the city's streets. For more information about the street right-of-way landscape maintenance program, visit phoenix.gov/streets/ROWlandscape.

Roadway Repair Work

Street maintenance crews completed significant roadway repairs at the following locations: 17th Pl. and Grovers Ave., and on 38th St. south of Thunderbird Rd.

Drainage Maintenance

As part of routine maintenance, crews inspect for obstructions, clear vegetation, and make repairs to keep flow lines open. Crews performed maintenance, construction, or repair work at Shea Blvd. and 52nd St., 32nd St. and Cheryl Dr.

Paving

From July 1, 2018, to May 31, 2023, crews have completed the following work:

106.9 miles of mill and overlay work

151.1 miles of preservation treatments

206.2 miles of crack seal

2,931 ADA ramps

To view planned or completed street maintenance, visit the interactive pavement maintenance dashboard at phoenix.gov/pavement.

Healthy Giving



[\[givesmartaz.org\]](https://givesmartaz.org)

