

Greetings from Councilwoman Stark,

Below 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,

Debra Stark

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Accelerated Pavement Maintenance Program Share your input

Between January 2019 and June 2023, the Street Transportation Department will undertake its largest and most comprehensive pavement maintenance program, which entails accelerating pavement maintenance work on many of the city's major streets.

During this time, more than 250 major-street miles will be repayed as part of the accelerated pavement maintenance program. This represents a 300 percent increase

Interactive Street Maintenance Map ent Defects / Failure Cracking Rough / Bumpy

compared to the number of major-street miles the city traditionally paves each year.

The accelerated program will be accomplished in conjunction with the city's pavement preservation program for local and collector streets, which typically includes 200 street miles per year. The acceleration of the city's pavement maintenance program will significantly improve the condition of city streets.

Fact Sheet - Accelerated Pavement Maintenance Program



Share Your Input!

Which streets do you want to see included in the pavement maintenance work plans for fiscal years 2021 through 2023?

Pavement condition assessment data and public input will be used to identify streets for the 2021-2023 work plans that will be presented to the Phoenix City Council for approval in late spring 2019.

Use our <u>interactive street-</u> <u>maintenance map</u> to share your input or email your comments to <u>pavement@phoenix.gov</u>.

March 12, 2019 - Special Election

On Tuesday, March 12, 2019, the City of Phoenix will conduct a Special Election for Mayor and Districts 5 and 8.

Registered Phoenix voters will elect a Mayor in the Runoff Election to serve the remainder of a term that expires April 19, 2021.

Registered voters residing in Phoenix Council District 5 will elect a Councilmember to serve the remainder of a term that expires April 19, 2021, and registered voters residing in Phoenix Council District 8 will elect a



Councilmember to serve the remainder of a term that expires April 17, 2023 (pursuant to a recent Charter amendment approved by voters and signed by the Governor).

Voting Centers

This City of Phoenix Special Election will be a <u>Voting Center</u> election. The voting centers for this election will be open for three days:

- Saturday, March 9 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Monday, March 11 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Tuesday, March 12 (Election Day) from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Parks and Facilities Code of Conduct



The Parks and Recreation
Department is in the next phase of
the process in creating a Code of
Conduct to govern city parks and
facilities. The policy will address
behaviors that violate park rules,
and city and state regulations. It

will also ensure that parks and facilities are safe and accessible to the public.

In January, the Parks and Recreation Department held a series of public meetings to gather input on behaviors/solutions of concern to the community, and that input has been used in the development of a DRAFT Code of Conduct. They will now be sharing the draft policy with the community for additional feedback through a series of eight public meetings in March.

<u>DRAFT Code of Conduct</u> (PDF)

Monday, March 11, 2019 – 6 to 8 p.m. Sunnyslope Community Center, 802 E. Vogel Ave.

Community Budget Hearings

19 Community Budget Hearings are scheduled citywide for the 2019-20 Trial Budget. Attend a meeting and share your input!

2019-20 Community Budget Hearing All Meeting Locations (PDF)

Budget Process (Video)

Questions or Comments? Email: Budget.Research@Phoenix.gov Phone: 602-262-4800

Social Media: Follow #PhoenixBudget

District 3 Meeting Dates/Locations:

Tuesday April 2, 2019 6 p.m. Sunnyslope Community Center Multipurpose Room 802 E. Vogel Avenue	Monday April 8, 2019 6 p.m.	North Mountain Visitor Center 12950 N. 7th Street
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Thursday	Paradise Valley	Thursday	Shadow Mountain
April 11, 2019	Community Center	April 18, 2019	Senior Center
6 p.m.	Multipurpose Room 17402 N. 40th Street	8 a.m.	3546 E. Sweetwater Avenue

Food for Fines' Restocks Food Banks

Once again, Phoenix Public Library is partnering with area food banks to pay your library fines and help restock the pantries of Valley food banks during Phoenix Public Library's annual "Food for Fines" campaign, April 6-20, 2019.

\$1 will be deducted from your overdue fines for each can or box of food donated at any Phoenix Public Library location.



A maximum of \$75 in overdue fines may be paid with food.

Expired, perishable, homemade or refrigerated food will not be accepted. Items can be brought to any of the 17 Phoenix Public Library locations.

For more information, and a list of most needed items, visit PhoenixPublicLibrary.org or call 602-262-4636.

Donations benefit St. Mary's Food Bank Alliance and Desert Mission Food Bank.

North Mountain Tower Road Project Update

The Parks and Recreation Department – Natural Resources Division has provided an update on the North Mountain Tower Road Project, which was last reported on in December 2018. The project completion date is now **mid-late June 2019**.

The project began in February 2018 to make tower upgrades on the public safety communication facilities. Road improvements and resurfacing are also being made to allow construction equipment access to the tower site for improvements. The purpose of the project is to improve access to the public safety towers located at the summit of North Mountain to allow for tower IT upgrades.

During this time, there is a road closure for the duration of the project improvements and a permanent closure of the small parking lot at the tower road entrance on 7^{th} Street.

Points of Contact:

24-hour Project Hotline: 623-825-3444 Albert Granillo, Gunn Communications Public Outreach Coordinator agranillo@gciaz.com

Claire Miller, Park Supervisor 602-495-5506 Claire.miller@phoenix.gov

Don't Miss Out on these Upcoming Events...

March 22 & 23 - Household Hazardous Waste & Electronics Collection

Friday/Saturday, March 22 & 23 from 7 a.m. to 12 p.m. at Rose Moffard Park - 9833 N. 25th Ave.

Household hazardous waste (HHW) and electronics collection events are for city of Phoenix residential solid waste customers only. Have your current city services bill and matching photo ID readily available for staff.

For more info on acceptable items and other events: https://www.phoenix.gov/publicworks/hhw





March 26 - Coffee with the Chief

The next Coffee with the Chief is happening **Tuesday, March 26 at 8 a.m.** at St. Jerome Catholic Church located at 10815 N. 35th Ave.

March 30 - Movie at the Mountain - Mountain View Park

9901 N. 7th Ave.

Saturday, March 30

Garden Party – 5:30 p.m. Raffle – 6 p.m.

Movie - 7 p.m.

Bring blankets, lawn chairs, snacks, water

April 6 - Slope Fest 2019 and Tour de Sunnyslope

The Community Festival & Family Friendly Bike Ride is happening **Saturday, April 6 from 8:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.** at Palma Park - 12th Street & East Dunlap Avenue



Around the Community...

Circle the City in Sunnyslope in partnership with HonorHealth



Tuesday, March 5, Councilwoman Debra Stark stopped by the Open House of the new Circle the City/Honor Health Mobile Clinic in Sunnyslope to learn about the partnership and the services offered for the homeless in our community.

Circle the City, a non-profit community health organization that serves people experiencing homelessness in Maricopa County, is partnering with HonorHealth John C. Lincoln Medical Center to serve Sunnyslope patients experiencing homelessness.

The medical mobile unit will provide illness and injury treatment, chronic disease management, flu shots and immunizations, and a behavioral health consultant. Staff will also engage additional homeless service providers, neighborhood associations, business coalitions and social service agencies to address the complex health and social needs of the chronically homeless.

In late February, the Mobile Clinic began to park on the John C. Lincoln Camp on Mondays and at St. Vincent de Paul on Tuesdays.

More information: https://www.circlethecity.org/mobile-medical-unit/