

District 5 Residents and Friends,

Fall festivities are in full swing this October, with many more events through the month. Also happening within the next few weeks are the Bus Rapid Transit survey and the General Election, make sure your voice is heard! In this newsletter edition, you'll find more details about these events, the affordable connectivity program, the Paint Phoenix Purple campaign, and so much more.

Free Fun Family Festivities





It will be another fun filled Saturday in District 5! This Saturday (Oct. 22) we will start off the day at 8 a.m. in North Glen Square Neighborhood for a community clean-up, coffee, and donuts. Then, we'll wind down the day at 4 p.m. in the Washington Park Community for a fun family outdoor event with children's activities, food trucks, and one of my kids' favorite films, Monster House.

I'll also be handing out candy this Saturday at our third annual Maryvale Drive-Thru Boo, so please join us in the parking lot of American Family Fields of Phoenix (3600 N 51st Ave.) from 6-9 p.m. Be sure to decorate your vehicle and wear costumes as you drive-thru the haunted parking lot with family and friends.

Then, next weekend, join the "Fallin' Into Fun" Fall Festival on October 29th from 5-8 p.m. at Royal Palm Park for bounce houses, food trucks, pumpkin patch, kids' activities and more. Click here for more information.

Don't be scared to come join any of the festivities closest to you!



Bus Rapid Transit Survey Open Until Oct. 21



As part of the City of Phoenix Transportation 2050, or T2050 Plan, we are moving forward on the City's first Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) line! We are

excited this line will connect our District 5 residents from Metro Center to Downtown Phoenix along 35th Avenue.

BRT will transform and improve transit speed, reliability and overall rider experience. We are currently collecting community input on the first approved line. You can fill out our survey until tomorrow, October 21st. Click here to take the survey and let us know your thoughts.

General Election Happening Now Until Nov. 8



Arizona's general election occurs every two years, always in an even year. This election includes federal, state, county and local offices that are up for election. The general election is the final election held between nominees of various parties, as well as non-partisan races, ballot propositions and initiatives. Click here to verify registration and learn what's on your ballot.

On Wednesday, October 12, early ballots were mailed to voters on the Active Early Voting List (AEVL) for the upcoming City of Phoenix Council Election. In this election, voters residing in Council Districts 2, 4, 6, and 8 will elect Council Members. Click here for more information about voting by mail and in-person voting.

Important Election Dates to Remember:

- October 28th, Last Day to Request a Ballot in the Mail
- November 1st, Last Day to Mail Back Your Ballot
- November 8th, Last Day to Vote by 7p.m. Election Day.

Thank you for participating in our democracy! Your vote counts!

Paint Phoenix Purple Campaign



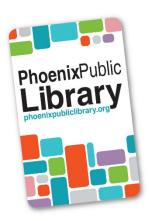
October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month — raising awareness around one of the most widespread and dangerous health and safety challenges in our community today. Paint Phoenix Purple is a City of Phoenix awareness campaign brought to you by a collaboration of more than 50 community, private, and public organizations.

In December 2012, the Mayor and City Council endorsed the goal to end domestic violence in Phoenix. In April 2013, that plan was approved. Click here to learn about just a few accomplishments over the last 10 years. Also, watch and share this short video where I share information about Paint Phoenix Purple.

Amazing Library Campaign

PhoenixPublic Library Card PhoenixPublic Library Sot a card? Set one!

Your library card is an all-access pass to complimentary resources to promote learning and literacy at every age.





Embrace your green thumb



Discover your family history



Experience new cultures



Connect to the internet



Explore Arizona's rich history



Instantly stream music, movies, & books

Save money, because everything you'll find at Phoenix Public Library is FREE!

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On Monday, October 3, 2022, Phoenix Public Library kicked off its annual "Amazing Library Card" campaign. Each year, outreach to elementary school classes and family events are prioritized to sign as many school kids as possible for their very own Phoenix Public Library card. Special programs and in-person and virtual outreach visits will be available through November 18, 2022. Click here to learn more and get your card today!

Affordable Connectivity Program

Get financial help for fast, reliable internet!

Your family may qualify for free or \$30 per month off internet service through the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP).

Learn more and enroll at:







In today's connected world, every family should have reliable and affordable high-speed internet service. Through the new Affordable Connectivity

Program (ACP), eligible households can receive a discount of up to \$30 a month for internet service.

If your child participates in the free or reduced-price lunch program at school, then your family is eligible for the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP)! Find out if your household is eligible for the Affordable Connectivity Program at getmyinternet.org

Thank you for reading and sharing the October Neighborhood News with family, friends, and neighbors. As always, please contact our office for your comments, questions, and concerns, at (602) 262-7446 or council.district.5@phoenix.gov. For regular updates, follow us on our social media accounts by clicking on the icons below.