



# PHX AT YOUR SERVICE

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## Calendar

Details on [Phoenix.gov/Calendar](http://Phoenix.gov/Calendar)

**OCT 22 BooFest 2016**

Paseo Highlands Park  
6 - 9 p.m.

**OCT 29 Phoenix Food Day 2016**

15th & Jefferson streets  
9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**OCT 31 Halloween**

Watch for trick-or-treaters!

**NOV 09 Landscape Watering Class**

5:30 p.m., Agave Library

**Free Rain Gardens Class**

6:45 p.m., Agave Library

**NOV 11 Veterans Day**

All city offices closed

**NOV 11 Free Movie Night**

Hook

Central Ave. at CityScope

6:30 p.m.

**NOV 18-19 Household Hazardous**

**Waste Collection Event**

Deer Valley Park

7 a.m. - Noon

**NOV 24-25 Thanksgiving Holiday**

All city offices closed

**DEC 03 30th Annual APS Electric**

**Light Parade**

Starts at 7 p.m.



Watch Cox Cable 11  
or CenturyLink 8005



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# Upcoming Special Election for City Council District 3



On Tuesday, Nov. 8, District 3 voters will elect a councilmember to serve the remainder of a term that expires Jan. 2, 2020. For these voters, this race will be on the ballot for the Nov. 8 State General Election conducted by Maricopa County.

Traditional polling places will be used instead of voting centers. The polls will be open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 8, and voters must cast their ballot only at the polling location for their precinct. Your polling place will be indicated on your sample ballot, which will be mailed by Maricopa County to each household with a registered voter who is not on the Permanent Early Voting List (PEVL). You can also find your polling place online, or request an early ballot (no later than Oct. 28) at [Recorder.Maricopa.gov/PollingPlace](http://Recorder.Maricopa.gov/PollingPlace) or by calling 602-506-1511.

Completed early ballots may be mailed, or delivered to any polling place in Maricopa County, but must be received by 7 p.m. on Election Day (Tuesday, Nov. 8). For more information, please visit [Phoenix.gov/Elections](http://Phoenix.gov/Elections), or call 602-261-VOTE (8683) or use the 7-1-1 Relay System.

## Three More Hours of Bus Service!

Starting Oct. 24, you can experience one of the biggest bus and Dial-a-Ride service enhancements in the history of Phoenix – thanks to the voter-approved Transportation 2050 plan. This long-awaited day provides three more service hours every day of the week starting at 4 a.m. for local bus and Dial-a-Ride service, and 30-minute frequency or less on all Phoenix local routes.



So save the date! On the morning of Oct. 24, rider appreciation events will take place at several Phoenix transit centers to celebrate the day. But wait, there's more! Pending council approval, all bus and Dial-a-Ride services will match light rail hours in April 2017. For more information, visit [Phoenix.gov/T2050](http://Phoenix.gov/T2050).

## Holiday Travel



The Thanksgiving holiday is one of the busiest weekends at Sky Harbor International Airport. For help with taking the light rail, dropping bags at PHX Sky Train® stations, printing your boarding passes early, or parking and drop-off details, visit [SkyHarbor.com](http://SkyHarbor.com). Remember to check your flight status with the airline before coming to the Airport. Arrive 2 hours prior to flights for U.S. travel, and 3 hours prior for international travel.

## Paint PHX Purple

This month's issue of Phoenix at Your Service is printed in purple ink to raise awareness about domestic violence because October is National Domestic Violence Awareness month.

Show your support for the fourth annual campaign by wearing purple on Oct. 20, using [#PHXwearspurple](https://twitter.com/PHXwearspurple) on your social media and displaying purple throughout the month to raise awareness. For more information, visit [PaintPhoenixPurple.org](http://PaintPhoenixPurple.org). If you or someone you know is in need of victim services, call the Family Advocacy Center at 602-534-2120 or the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 1-800-799-7233.





## Safety Changes at City Buildings

Keeping everyone safe and secure at city buildings is a priority. After consulting with experts, new security procedures are now in place at two downtown buildings. These changes include new entry rules:

- Visitors to **Phoenix City Hall**, (200 W. Washington St.), will now use the main entrance, under the iconic sunburst sculpture on Washington St. Visitors must pass through a full security screening and/or hand-held metal detector. All bags will be screened through an x-ray machine.
- All visitors to **Calvin C. Goode Building**, (251 W. Washington St.), will also go through a security screening process.

Please allow extra time when visiting these buildings. Your patience is greatly appreciated! More information at [Phoenix.gov/Security](http://Phoenix.gov/Security).

## Phoenix City Council

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## Celebrate Phoenix Food Day

The city of Phoenix and the Maricopa County Food System Coalition invite residents to attend this year's free Phoenix Food Day celebration, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 29, at Eastlake Park and Pilgrim Rest Church, 15th and Jefferson streets.

Food Day offers education workshops on healthy eating and nutrition, cooking demonstrations with Valley chefs, gardening tips and a special farmers market event. In addition, a Healthy Kids Zone area will feature games and carnival rides. Join the "Apple Crunch" at noon and help set a record for the most apples crunched at once! People can enjoy lots of food, great fun and live music in a family-oriented atmosphere. For more information, visit [Phoenix.gov/Sustainability/FoodDay](http://Phoenix.gov/Sustainability/FoodDay).



Phoenix Food Day event is Oct. 29.

## Free Event: Herberger Festival of the Arts

Join us for the 7th Annual Herberger Theater Festival of the Arts on Saturday, Nov. 5, 11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Celebrate the arts in our community with performances, dance performances, visual art, live music, children's activities, film shorts, food, pet adoptions, craft beer tasting and more! Free admission! The Herberger Theater is located at 222 E. Monroe St. in downtown Phoenix. For information, visit [HerbergerTheater.org](http://HerbergerTheater.org) or 602-254-7399.



## AutoPay Your City Services Bill

Sign up for AutoPay and pay your monthly city services bill through an automatic monthly deduction from your checking or savings account. AutoPay not only saves you a postage stamp, it also ensures your payment is never late. Visit [Phoenix.gov](http://Phoenix.gov) and search for "Enroll In AutoPay." Download and fill out the form, sign, date and email to [water.customer.service@phoenix.gov](mailto:water.customer.service@phoenix.gov). E-signatures will not be accepted.

## Calling All Teens

The new citywide PHXteens program provides opportunities for youth ages 13-17 to connect with their community and realize their fullest potential. Programs include workshops, field trips, volunteer activities and leadership opportunities. Participants can serve on teen councils and advisory boards that plan activities, review policies and govern the program. To learn more and register for free, visit [Phoenix.gov/PHXteens](http://Phoenix.gov/PHXteens).



## Appliance Help

Did you know that Phoenix residents may request a scheduled pick-up of old appliances for a small fee? Up to five appliances **without** coolant can be picked up by Public Works staff for a \$20 fee. Appliances **with** coolant, such as refrigerators with Freon, will be charged \$20 **each** to be picked up. To schedule a pick-up, call 602-262-7251 or email [pwwserve@phoenix.gov](mailto:pwwserve@phoenix.gov).

