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## Runoff Election For Districts 6 & 8



A Runoff Election is scheduled for March 14, 2023. This election is required because during the November

2022 Council Election, no candidate for Council Districts 6 and 8 received a majority of the votes (50% plus 1). Therefore, the top two candidates will now appear on the ballot for the runoff.

#### Important election-related dates:

- Feb. 6: Sample Ballot Pamphlet mailed
- **Feb. 13:** Deadline to register to vote
- **Feb. 15:** Early ballots mailed, and early voting begins
- March 3: Deadline to Request an Early Ballot by Mail

Voters on the Active Early Voting List (AEVL) will automatically receive an early ballot by mail unless they opted out. Voters will also be able to vote in-person at designated Voting Centers. Details on dates, times and locations will soon be available on **Phoenix.gov/Elections.** 

For more information visit Phoenix.gov/Elections, follow on Twitter @PHXClerk, call 602-261-VOTE (8683) or use the 7-1-1 Relay System.

### **Updated 2023 Bulk Trash Schedule**

The quarterly bulk trash collection schedule has been revised for 2023. Make sure you check the map and the new schedule for your part of town at **Phoenix.gov/PublicWorks/BulkTrash.** 

Reminders about bulk trash pick-up:

- Bag/box all grass, leaves, weeds, twigs, and hedge clippings
- Cut tree trimmings to less than 12" in diameter and 4' in length
- Place broken-down cardboard in your recycle container
- Please do not place more than 20 cubic yards in your pile, which is like the size of a SUV.
- Clean area after collection, if needed

For other do's and don'ts about bulk trash: **Phoenix.gov/PublicWorks/BulkTrash**.

### Make A Splash, Earn Some Cash



It's never too early to think about your summer job! Phoenix Parks and Recreation is hiring lifeguards for the 2023 pool season. Phoenix lifeguards learn life-saving skills and earn money while working by the pool! Eligible certified managers, assistant managers, and lifeguards will receive a \$3,000 incentive for the 2023 pool season. Find a lifeguard certification class: **Phoenix.gov/Lifeguard.** 

### **Be Water Smart: Help Reduce Leaks**

Remember to check for water leaks inside and outside your home at least once a month. For example, does a faucet have an annoying drip? Do you know there is a leak but don't know how to fix it?



Visit **Phoenix.gov/Drought** for information that will help you conserve water and save money.

## **College Support Program is Here**



College Depot's GRIT program provides students with personalized, long-term support during their senior year to successfully start college after they graduate. Students and advisors develop an individualized plan and meet regularly to ensure students are on track and are ready to begin their college journey. For more information or to enroll for the 2024 class, visit **PhoenixPublicLibrary.org**.

### 2023 MLK Award Winners Named

The Phoenix Human Relations Commission honors the winners of the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Living the Dream Awards, and the Calvin C. Goode Lifetime Achievement Award for their lifelong commitment to creating a compassionate and socially-just community. This year's honorees are:

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Calvin C. Goode "Lifetime Achievement Award"

Ms. Elizabeth Paulus

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. "Living the Dream Award"

- Ms. Wen Chyi Chiu
- Ms. Sharise L. Erby
- Mr. Cordero Holmes
- Dr. Will Moreland
  For more information, visit Phoenix.gov/EOD.





# Super Bowl LVII Is Coming!

Super Bowl LVII is headed to the Valley! Are you planning to attend a concert at Hance Park or the NFL Experience at the Phoenix Convention Center? The City of Phoenix will keep you in the loop on all things Super Bowl.

Visit **Phoenix.gov/SuperBowl** or follow us on social media @**CityofPhoenixAZ** to learn more about upcoming events.



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#### **SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING**



Public safety is our number one concern. You can play a big part by being additional eyes and ears in your community.

If you witness something or believe something has happened is concerning, please contact the Phoenix Police Department non-emergency number at (602) 262-6151 or call the Arizona Counter Terrorism Information Center (ACTIC) at 1-877-2SAVEAZ (1-877-272-8329). For emergencies, please call 911.

#### TRAVEL TIP TO SAVE YOU TIME

If you are picking up or dropping off travelers, use our PHX Sky Train® stations on either side of the airport. It's a timesaver! You'll avoid roadway traffic and terminal curb congestion too. Learn more about our stations and cell phone lots at SkyHarbor.com.



#### **HAVE A GAME PLAN**

Tackle traffic and punt on parking by hopping on Valley Metro. The light rail will have extended hours Feb. 9-12 providing service for all late-night events and the game! Don't forget to add the Valley Metro app to your game plan to track your vehicles in real-time and get alerts. Download now at ValleyMetro.org/App.

#### **HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS**

Human Trafficking is the second leading crime in the history of the United States and the fastest growing criminal industry in the world. Arizona is one of the top states for this crime. Large events like the Super Bowl increase the opportunity for our children to become victimized. The average age of entry into trafficking is 13.



We need volunteers to label bars of soaps and makeup remover wipes for the hotels/motels in and around the Phoenix area. During this process you will receive training on how to recognize the signs of human trafficking. Afterward, for those who wish, we will deliver (utilizing teams of 3-4 people) the soaps, wipes, educational materials and missing teen posters to approximately 250 hotels. To register, scan the QR code.



### BECOME A VOLUNTEER AND HELP DECREASE WASTE



Become a Zero Waste Ambassador and help the City reach its Super Bowl 92% waste diversion rate! Volunteers will educate attendees about what is recyclable and compostable, ensure attendees place items in the correct container, monitor containers and report fill levels to Public Works staff, report littering or other issues to Public Works staff, and more. For more information, please email volunteer@phoenix.gov. Register: Volunteer.Phoenix.gov.

#### DON'T DRIVE DOWN THE WRONG END ZONE

Due to a variety of special events, road closures and restrictions will be in effect in the downtown region. As you prepare to head out to enjoy the festivities, check the latest know-before-you-go traffic, parking, ride share and public transit updates. Learn more: Phoenix.gov/SuperBowl



#### PHOENIX FIRE IS READY FOR GAME DAY



Phoenix Fire is ready for Super Bowl LVII and its Host Committee events! A staffing model has been created to safeguard staffing both fire stations and the events within Phoenix. It includes off-duty firefighters working overtime, on-duty resources used in a limited time capacity, and Valley public safety partners with similar resources. Phoenix Fire has created a contingency plan to ensure full staffing for all Super Bowl Host Committee related events.

#### IN THE DESERT, EVERY DROP COUNTS

With Arizona hosting the Super Bowl, it's a good time to remind both residents and visitors that while the City of Phoenix has a robust and diverse water supply and is well-positioned to manage the Colorado River water shortage, we still need everyone to do their part by embracing the City's culture of conservation. Learn more at Phoenix.gov/BeWaterSmart

