



City Council Weekly Information Packet

Friday, January 20, 2023

Includes the following documents/information:

- 1) City Council Events Schedule
- 2) State and Federal Update & Grant Opportunities
- 3) Community Services Department Update



City Council Events Schedule

January 21, 2023 thru April 2, 2023

The Mayor and City Council have been invited to attend various community meetings and public and private events at which a quorum of the City Council may be present. The Council will not be conducting city business, nor will any legal action be taken. This is an event only and not a public meeting. A list of the community meetings and public and private events along with the schedules, dates, times, and locations is attached. Organizers may require a rsvp or fee.

Sat	Jan 21	5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	Arts in the Park: Block Party Location: Indian Bend Park 1250 E. Marigold Lane Tempe, AZ
Sun	Jan 22	11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Arts in the Park: Block Party Location: Harelson Park 3340 S. Rural Road Tempe, AZ
Tues	Jan 24	6:00 p.m.	Broadmor Neighborhood Association Meeting Location: Broadmor Elementary School Cafeteria 311 E. Aepli Drive Tempe, AZ
Wed	Jan 25	4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Rebuilding Home Plate Exhibit Reveal and Reception Location: Arizona Heritage Center 1300 N. College Avenue Tempe, AZ
Wed	Jan 25	5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Arts in the Park: Block Party Location: Corbell Park 7300 S. Lakeshore Drive Tempe, AZ
Thur	Jan 26	5:30 p.m.	Sunset Neighborhood Association Meeting Location: Cahill Senior Center 715 W. 5 th Street Tempe, AZ
Sat	Jan 28	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Regional Unity Walk Location: Tempe Beach Park Amphitheater 80 w. Rio Salado Drive Tempe, AZ

Sun	Jan 29	11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Arts in the Park: Block Party Location: Optimist Park 2000 E. Sesame Street Tempe, AZ
Tues	Jan 31	5:30 p.m.	Alegre Neighborhood Associations Meeting Location: Escalante Community Center 2150 E. Orange Street Tempe, AZ
Wed	Feb 1	5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Arts in the Park: Block Party Location: Hollis Park 3421 S. Kenneth Place Tempe, AZ
Fri	Feb 3	9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Faith in Action Prayer Breakfast Location: Wyndham Phoenix Airport/Tempe Hotel 600 S. 52 nd Street Tempe, AZ
Sat	Feb 4	11:00 a.m.	Wilson Art and Garden Neighborhood Association Meeting Location: Ellertson Community Garden 1013 S. Wilson Street Tempe, AZ
Sat	Feb 4	11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Arts in the Park: Block Party Location: Scudder Park 5805 S. Lakeshore Drive Tempe, AZ
Sun	Feb 5	11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Arts in the Park: Block Party Location: Selleh Park 2425 S. Los Feliz Drive Tempe, AZ
Thur	Feb 9	5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	The Rotary Club of Tempe Downtown 100 th Anniversary Gala & Silent Auction Location: Doubt Tree by Hilton 2100 S. Priest Drive Tempe, AZ
Sat	Feb 11	4:30 p.n. – 6:30 p.m.	Inspire Change (NFL Youth Experience) Location: Kiwanis recreation Center 6111 S. All America Way Tempe, AZ

Wed	Feb 15	12:00 p.m.	Budget Virtual Forum Location: Zoom Link Tempe.gov/BudgetPlan
Wed	Feb 15	6:00 p.m.	Budget In-Person Forum Location: Tempe History Museum Community Room 809 E. Southern Avenue Tempe, AZ
Fri	Feb 24	5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Arts in the Park: Block Party Location: Mitchell Park 900 S. Mitchell Drive Tempe, AZ
Tues	Feb 28	5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Arts in the Parks: Block Party Location: Meyer Park 2727 S. Dorsey Lane Tempe, AZ
Wed	Mar 1	5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Arts in the Park: Block Party Location: Redden Park South Lakeshore Drive & East Redfield Road Tempe, AZ
Fri	Mar 17	8:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Friends of Transit Conference Location: Hyatt regency 122 N. 2 nd Street Phoenix, AZ
Sat	Mar 18	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Care Fair Tempe 2023/ Tempe Human Services Day Location: Tempe Community Complex Outdoor Courtyard 3500 S. Rural Road Tempe, AZ
Sat	April 1	9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Neighborhood Celebration Location: Kiwanis Park Fiesta Ramadas 6111 S. All-America Way Tempe, AZ
Sun	April 2	7:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Tour de Tempe Bike Ride Location: Kiwanis Parking Lot, West Tempe AZ

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MEMORANDUM



TO: Mayor and City Council
THROUGH: Andrew Ching, City Manager
FROM: Marge Zylla, Government Relations Officer
DATE: January 20, 2023
SUBJECT: State and Federal Update & Grant Opportunities

Below are summaries of recent actions and announcements at the state and federal level:

- US Conference of Mayors Annual Meeting
- State Legislative Update

Please let me know if there are follow-up questions for Tempe's federal lobbyist. Also, please let me know if Tempe staff members are pursuing federal grants so we can arrange for letters of support from our Congressional delegation.

US Conference of Mayors Annual Meeting

This week, Mayor Woods attended the United States Conference of Mayors' 91st Annual Winter Meeting in Washington, DC. Mayor Woods is the Vice Chair of the Community Development and Housing Committee. The agenda is available at [this link](#).

State Legislative Update

The 2023 state legislative session began 1/9/23 and legislators will continue to introduce bills in the coming weeks. The bill introduction deadlines are 1/30/23 and 2/6/23 in the Senate and the House, respectively. The bills of interest to Tempe will be added to lists (described below). Bills of significant interest will be highlighted in memo summaries as the proposals are amended in the legislative process.

Bill Lists

Staff is analyzing legislative proposals as they become available. The lists will be adjusted to reflect the latest available information. Bills that have failed to meet deadlines or have not received sufficient votes will be noted as "Dead".

HB 2061 passed out of the Ways & Means Commerce Committee this week on

The tracking list that follows this memo includes the summaries of bills that may be of interest to Tempe. These lists are not exhaustive, and as more analysis is done, comments will be included.

Readers can use the search/find tool (keyboard shortcut: press "Ctrl" and the "F" key) to search for terms of interest, like "fireworks", "rentals", "zoning", "safety", etc. Readers can also search the list by department to quickly be brought to the header under which there is a sublist of bills that may impact a specific area of city operations, for example: "Community Development" or "FMR".

In addition to the bills on the tracking list, the city will also be monitoring for proposals in areas including the following:

- Affordable Housing
 - As noted in earlier Weekly Information Packet memos, Mayor Woods submitted a list of legislative solutions for consideration in his role as a member of the statewide legislative housing supply study committee. The city will be monitoring and analyzing housing proposals throughout the session and aim to see the solutions shared by Mayor Woods become bill proposals.
- Fireworks
- Liability Issues
- Local Zoning Issues
- Proposition 400 Extension Authorization
- Short Term Rentals
- Taxation Proposals
 - The city opposes the tax break proposals for entities that are in the businesses of residential rentals and for businesses that sell food for home consumption, which have been introduced as HB 2067 and HB 2061, respectively. This would result in a combined revenue loss to the city of over \$26 million annually, and would give a tax break to specific interests that would exclude them from contributing to the transaction privilege taxes that are remitted by other companies doing business in the city. These revenues fund programs, capital investments, infrastructure projects, public safety, and services including affordable housing construction and rental assistance. HB 2061 passed out of the House Ways & Means Committee this week on a party line vote.
- Tobacco/Vaping
- Water Policy

The city's framework for responses to legislative proposals is the Council supported Tempe State Legislative Principles, which are available at [this link](#).

CAO

HB2019 - Licensing; permitting; criteria; clarity

Summary: If a county or municipality requires a license or permit for any constitutionally protected activity or any activity that changes the use, appearance, or density of a structure or land, the county or municipality is required to state in clear and unambiguous language the criteria for granting the license or permit. Counties and municipalities are required to grant or deny an application for such a license or permit within 30 days. Some exceptions.

Tracking CAO, Community Development, Engineering and Transportation, Community Services

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2156 - Proxy voting; governmental entities; prohibition

Summary: Only a governmental entity that establishes or maintains a "plan" (defined as any plan, fund, or program established or maintained by the state or a political subdivision to provide retirement income or benefits to employees, defer income by employees, or invest taxpayer monies for any purpose) is authorized to vote the shares held by the plan. A governmental entity is prohibited from hiring a third-party vendor or granting proxy voting authority to any person who is not a part of the governmental entity. A "fiduciary" of a plan is prohibited from adopting a practice of following the recommendations of a proxy advisory firm or other service.

Tracking HR, CAO, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2214 - Session law; font color

Summary: Legislative Council is required to use a font color other than black when preparing or revising temporary law for bills and amendments.

Tracking CAO

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House GOV, HHR 3

Government

HB2223 - Liquor; licensing; processes; procedures

Summary: Various changes to statutes relating to liquor licenses. The Department of Liquor Licenses and Control (DLLC) is authorized to issue on a temporary basis a microbrewery festival liquor license that authorizes the sampling of the microbrewery products on the festival premises and the sale of products for consumption on the festival premises. A microbrewery festival location must be approved by the county board of supervisors or municipal governing body, as applicable. Increases the maximum value of promotional items furnished by a liquor wholesaler to a retailer in a calendar year to \$700, from \$500. Beginning with tax periods that begin January 1, 2024 and after, allows specified liquor licensees to pay luxury privilege taxes on an annual basis instead of a monthly basis.

Tracking CAO, PD, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Referred to Committee - Rules - [House Rules](#)

HCR2018 - Maricopa county; division; new counties

Summary: The 2024 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend state statute to divide Maricopa County into four counties by modifying the Maricopa County boundaries and adding three new counties: Hohokam County, Mogollon County, and O'odham County. Maricopa County operations will continue in their existing form through a transition period of up to three years after the effective date of this legislation. The boards of supervisors of Hohokam, Mogollon, and O'odham Counties will be elected at a special election held within 120 days after the effective date of this legislation. Currently elected Maricopa County Supervisors continue in their capacity for the remainder of their term in whichever county their supervisory district is located. The elected boards of supervisors in the three new counties will determine an application process for municipalities to apply to be the county seat, which will be determined at a special election to be held within 120 days from the election of the boards of supervisors. The four counties are authorized to enter into a ten-year shared use agreement for the use of existing shared capital assets. The four counties are required to enter into an intergovernmental agreement for the continued operation of community colleges for at least ten years after the effective date of this legislation.

Tracking CAO

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

SB1006 - Municipal notices and ordinances; posting

Summary: Notices of election, invitations for bids, notices of letting contracts, laws and ordinances, and other public notice issued by a municipal governing body are allowed to be posted on the municipality's website in lieu of being published in a newspaper. A municipality that posts notices on the website is required to provide a link to a listing of all current notices and ordinances on the website's home page.

Tracking CAO, Clerk and Elections

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: S - DPA - [Senate Government](#)

SB1011 - Municipalities; partisan elections

Summary: Municipal elections may be held with the candidate's political party registration indicated on the ballot. Applies to municipal elections held on or after January 1, 2024.

Tracking CAO, Clerk and Elections

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: S - DP - [Senate Government](#)

SB1015 - Unlawful public sale of animals

Summary: The crime of "unlawful public safe of animals" (defined) applies in all counties, instead of only counties with a population of 800,000 persons or more.

Tracking CAO

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

[01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor](#)

Second Reading

SB1020 - Open meetings; capacity; posting

Summary: All public bodies are required to provide for an amount of seating sufficient to accommodate the reasonably anticipated attendance of all persons desiring to attend the deliberations and proceedings, when feasible. The agenda for a public meeting is required to include notice of the time that the public will have physical access to the meeting place.

Tracking CAO, Clerk and Elections, Communications & Marketing

Lists:

Last 01/04/2023

Action: S - Introduced

SB1021 - Attorney general; legislature; legal challenges

Summary: The Attorney General is required to defend all laws passed by the Legislature and signed by the Governor against all legal challenges, unless the Attorney General petitions the Legislature for relief from this duty and 2/3 of the members of both the Senate Judiciary Committee and the House of Representatives Judiciary Committee vote to grant relief.

Tracking CAO

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: S - DP - [Senate Government](#)

SB1022 - Pedestrians; selling goods; begging; medians

Summary: Pedestrians are prohibited from selling goods, soliciting donations, or begging on a painted or raised traffic island or median. The penalty for a first violation is a warning, the second violation is a civil traffic violation, and the third or subsequent violation is a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor.

Tracking CAO, PD

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: S - DPA - [Senate Military Affairs, Public Safety and Border Security](#)

SB1024 - Public rights-of-way; unlawful acts

Summary: It is a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor to use a public street, highway, alley, sidewalk, or other right-of-way for lying, sleeping, or otherwise remaining in a sitting position unless the person is experiencing a physical emergency, the violation occurs in the course of administering medical assistance, or the right-of-way is subject to a permit to conduct a festival, fair, parade, concert, fireworks display, or other similar event.

Tracking CAO, PD

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: S - DP - [Senate Military Affairs, Public Safety and Border Security](#)

SB1025 - Political signs; tourism zones

Summary: The area of each commercial tourism political sign free zone designated by a municipality is limited to 10 percent of the total area of the municipality, and each zone is required to have a "reock score" (calculation specified) of 0.20 or more. Municipalities are allowed to establish one or more areas within its zones in which political signs are allowed but are required to include those areas in calculating the area of the zone to determine compliance with these requirements.

Tracking CAO, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
[01/23/2023 2:00 PM - Senate ELEC, SHR 1](#)
Elections

SB1116 - Political signs; public roadways; prohibition

Summary: A person is prohibited from placing a political sign in or on the right-of-way of a public road.

Tracking Neighborhoods, CAO, Clerk and Elections, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: S - Introduced

SB1122 - Transportation tax; election; Maricopa county

Summary: If approved by the voters at a countywide election, a county with a population of 3 million or more persons (Maricopa) is required to levy a tax of up to ten percent of the transaction privilege tax rate as of January 1, 1990. The tax levied will be in effect for 15 years. Specifies the distribution of net revenues from the tax levy, with 80 percent of revenues distributed to the Regional Area Road Fund for freeways and other routes in the state highway system, and 20 percent of revenues distributed to the Regional Area Road Fund for major arterial streets. Beginning January 1, 2026, a regional public transportation authority is established in a county with a population of 3 million or more persons that approves a county transportation excise tax.

Tracking Neighborhoods, CAO, Engineering and Transportation, Economic Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: S - Introduced

Clerk and Elections

HB2072 - Voter registration; same day

Summary: A person who is otherwise qualified to register to vote may register during the 28 days immediately preceding an election and is eligible to vote in that election if the person has been a resident of the county and the precinct in which the person resides for at least 29 days immediately preceding the election. A person who is otherwise qualified to register to vote may register on election day by appearing at the polling place, completing a registration form, and providing proof of residence. Registration under these circumstances does not qualify a person to vote in a partisan primary election.

Tracking Clerk and Elections

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2073 - Automatic voter registration

Summary: Every person who is applying for a driver license or renewal, including a nonoperating identification license or renewal, or who is making changes to drive license information and who is otherwise qualified to register to vote must be registered to vote automatically on completion of the license application unless the applicant declines to register. A person who is not qualified to register to vote and who unknowingly registers under this provision is not guilty of false registration or false swearing. Effective January 1, 2024.

Tracking Clerk and Elections

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2078 - Counties; elections; state audits

Summary: An "eligible person" (defined as a candidate in the election, a county political party chairperson, or the chairperson of a political committee that supports or opposes a ballot measure that was on the ballot in the election) is authorized to make a written request to the county recorder or other officer in charge of elections for an explanation and supporting documentation regarding an action taken by an election officer that appears to violate statute, irregularities in precinct or voting center results, and/or inadequacy of or irregularity in documentation required to be maintained by statute. The county recorder or other officer in charge of elections is required to provide the requested explanation and supporting documentation within 20 days after the request. If the eligible person is not satisfied, the person is authorized to request an additional explanation and supporting documentation, which the county recorder or other officer in charge of elections must provide within 10 days. If the eligible person is not satisfied with the additional explanation, the person is authorized to submit a written request to the Secretary of State regarding the requests. The Secretary of State is required to review the matters in question and may request additional information from the county recorder or other officer in charge of elections, which must be responded to within 30 days. If not satisfied with the response, the Secretary of State is authorized to conduct an audit of the claimed actions, irregularities, or inadequacies of the county recorder or other officer in charge of elections. The county

recorder or other officer in charge of elections is required to remedy matters specified in the Secretary of State's findings within 30 days. The Secretary of State is authorized to assess a civil penalty of no more than \$500 for each unresolved finding against the county recorder or other officer in charge of elections.

Tracking Clerk and Elections

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - [Second Reading, Floor](#)
Second Reading

HB2096 - Early ballots; Friday deadline

Summary: Early ballots are no longer allowed to be deposited at any polling place on election day, and instead are required to be delivered in person to the office of the county recorder or to a polling place or other voting location by 5:00 PM on the Friday before election day. Repeals statutes governing on-site tabulation of early ballots.

Tracking Clerk and Elections

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - [Second Reading, Floor](#)
Second Reading

HB2229 - Legislative intent; secrecy; mail voting

Summary: Voting by mail is banned in Arizona. Persons who are unable to go to the polls will be provided alternate means of voting that ensure secrecy in voting to the greatest extent possible. Does not apply to persons covered by the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act and Arizona citizens who are temporarily residing out of state. The Legislature is required to put in place additional measures to ensure as much secrecy as possible for these voters, including confirming that the person is an Arizona resident and registered voter, ensuring that the mailed ballot is sent to the correct address, and having a certified witness attest that the voter voted in the absence of others and that the voter did not show any other person the voted ballot before placing it in the envelope. Contains a legislative intent section.

Tracking Clerk and Elections

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Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/19/2023 - [Second Reading, Floor](#)
Second Reading

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Tracking CAO, Clerk and Elections, Communications & Marketing

Lists:

Last 01/04/2023

Action: S - Introduced

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Tracking Neighborhoods, CAO, Clerk and Elections, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: S - Introduced

SCR1002 - Constitutional amendments; sixty percent approval

Summary: The 2024 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to require approval by 60 percent of the votes cast on the measure for an initiative or referendum measure that amends the state Constitution to become law, instead of a majority of the votes cast.

Tracking Clerk and Elections

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action:

H - Hearing Scheduled
01/23/2023 2:00 PM - Senate ELEC, SHR 1
Elections

Communications & Marketing

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Tracking CAO, Community Development, Engineering and Transportation, Community Services

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2044 - Municipal general plan; adoption

Summary: In a municipality with a population of more than 2,500 persons but less than 10,000 persons whose population growth did not exceed an average of two percent per year for the ten-year period before the most recent U.S. decennial census and whose current general plan was voter-approved, the municipal governing body is authorized to submit a new general plan to the voters at the next regularly scheduled municipal election or at a special election scheduled at least 180 days after the plan was adopted by the governing body.

Tracking Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action:

H - Hearing Scheduled
01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House GOV, HHR 3
Government

HB2047 - Vacation rentals; short-term rentals; restrictions

Summary: A municipality with a population of less than 17,000 persons is allowed to limit the number of vacation rentals and short-term rentals based on a percentage of total residentially zoned buildings or structures in that municipality, and is allowed to regulate vacation rentals or short-term rentals in the same manner as transient lodging activities.

Tracking Neighborhoods, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2048 - Assured water; small residential developments

Summary: A person seeking a building permit for six or more residences within an active management area in an unincorporated area of a county is required to obtain a certificate of assured water supply from the Department of Water Resources before presenting the permit application for approval to the county. Does not apply if the applicant has obtained a written commitment of water service for the residences from a municipal or private water company designated as having an assured water supply.

Tracking Municipal Utilities - Water, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2165 - Adequate water supply; statewide requirements

Summary: Counties and municipalities are authorized to approve a subdivision plat only if the subdivider has obtained a water report from the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) that there is an adequate water supply for the subdivision or the subdivider has obtained a written commitment of water service for the subdivision from a city, town or private water company designated as having an adequate water supply. The State Real Estate Commissioner is authorized to issue a public report authorizing the sale or lease of subdivided lands only if the Director of ADWR has issued a water report that there is an adequate water supply for the subdivision or the subdivider has obtained a written commitment of water service for the subdivision from a city, town or private water company designated as having an adequate water supply.

Tracking Municipal Utilities - Water, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2166 - DHS; licensure; group homes

Summary: Beginning July 1, 2024, "behavioral-supported group homes" (defined) and group homes operated in Arizona by a service provider and that are under contract with the Arizona Department of Economic Security are required to be licensed by the Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS). Establishes a list of rules for group homes that ADHS is required to adopt. Group homes and behavioral-supported group homes are exempt from required zoning standards for a health care institution. ADHS cannot accept an accreditation report in lieu of a compliance inspection of a behavioral-supported group home, a group home, or a nursing-supported group home. Beginning July 1, 2024, ADHS is required to transfer all group home licenses to the appropriate subclass of health care institution license.

Tracking Community Development, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2258 - Historic preservation tax credit

Summary: For tax years 2024 through 2033, establishes an individual and corporate income tax credit for 20 percent of "qualified rehabilitation expenses" for the "substantial rehabilitation" of a "certified historic structure" (all defined). To qualify for the credit, the taxpayer is required to obtain a final certification from the Arizona State Parks Board. If the allowable credit exceeds taxes due, the amount of the claim not used to offset taxes may be carried forward for up to ten consecutive tax years. An applicant who does not claim the credit allowed, in whole or in part, may assign, transfer or sell the credits to any person, and the proceeds of the sale or transfer are exempt from income taxes.

Tracking Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2259 - Parking requirements; affordable housing; prohibition

Summary: Counties and municipalities are prohibited from adopting a land use regulation or general or specific plan provision, and from imposing as a condition for approving a building or use permit, any regulation that requires a specific number of parking spaces per residential dwelling unit if the unit is designated as "affordable housing" (defined).

Tracking Community Development, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2260 - Wells; permits; spacing rules.

Summary: The Department of Water Resources (DWR) is required to adopt rules governing the location of new wells and replacement wells in new locations in groundwater basins that DWR determines to be experiencing declining groundwater levels, for wells having a pump with a maximum capacity of more than 35 gallons per minute. In lieu of adopting new rules, DWR is permitted to follow the criteria for proposed withdrawals in active management areas.

Tracking Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2272 - Municipality; housing plan; report

Summary: A municipality with a population of more than 75,000 persons is required to develop a housing plan. Information that must be included in the housing plan is specified. The municipal governing body is required to annually review the housing plan and plan implementation, and post the report of the annual review on the municipality's website.

Tracking Community Development, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2298 - Planned community authority; public roadways

Summary: If a planned community regulates any public roadway, the planned community is required, by June 30, 2025, to hold a vote of the membership on the question of whether to continue to regulate public roadways. If a majority of a quorum of the membership of the community votes to continue regulating public roadways in the planned community, the planned community retains its authority to regulate those public roadways. If the vote fails or if the planned community does not hold a vote, the planned community no longer has authority to regulate the public roadways in the planned community and any existing regulations expire.

Tracking Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HCR2011 - Vacation rentals; short-term rentals

Summary: The 2024 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to repeal statutes prohibiting municipalities and counties from prohibiting vacation rentals or short-term rentals and restricting the types of regulations that municipalities and counties may impose on vacation rentals or short-term rentals. Statute entitling a property owner to just compensation from the state or a political subdivision that enacts a land use law that reduces the existing rights to use private real property does not apply to land use laws that regulate a vacation rental or short-term rental.

Tracking Neighborhoods, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023
Action: H - Introduced

SB1012 - Inspections; sober living homes

Summary: Counties and municipalities are authorized to conduct inspections at sober living homes to ensure compliance with county or municipal fire codes and zoning ordinances.

Tracking Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/25/2023 10:00 AM - Senate COM, SHR 1
Commerce

SB1025 - Political signs; tourism zones

Summary: The area of each commercial tourism political sign free zone designated by a municipality is limited to 10 percent of the total area of the municipality, and each zone is required to have a "reock score" (calculation specified) of 0.20 or more. Municipalities are allowed to establish one or more areas within its zones in which political signs are allowed but are required to include those areas in calculating the area of the zone to determine compliance with these requirements.

Tracking CAO, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/23/2023 2:00 PM - Senate ELEC, SHR 1
Elections

SB1116 - Political signs; public roadways; prohibition

Summary: A person is prohibited from placing a political sign in or on the right-of-way of a public road.

Tracking Neighborhoods, CAO, Clerk and Elections, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: S - Introduced

Community Health and Human Services

HB2040 - Industrial development bonds; preapproval; repeal

Summary: Corporations are no longer required to obtain approval from the Arizona Department of Housing in order to issue bonds to finance a multifamily residential rental project, clinic, rest home, nursing home, skilled nursing facility, or life care facility.

Tracking Economic Development, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2083 - Landlord; tenant; fee disclosure; waiver

Summary: At or before a tenancy begins, the landlord is required to disclose to the tenant the exact amount of the rent and the due date for the rent, any additional fees or costs that may be chargeable to the tenant and that are not included in the periodic rental rate, and whether the landlord or any of its vendors collect or sell the tenant's person data as a result of using facilities or services on the rental premises. Landlords must allow a tenant to choose not to receive and pay for any nonessential services, and must allow a tenant to pay rent with any legal tender. Landlords are prohibited from charging a late fee if rent is paid in full within five days after the due date.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2084 - Landlord tenant; housing assistance; waiver

Summary: For the purpose of the Arizona Residential Landlord and Tenant Act, the definition of "housing assistance" includes any payment made by a faith-based organization, a community action agency program or a nonprofit entity. A landlord's acceptance of a housing assistance payment constitutes an acceptance of a partial payment of rent and a waiver of the landlord's right to terminate the rental agreement for failure to pay rent for the rental period covered by the partial payment.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2085 - Rental housing; income source discrimination

Summary: A landlord is prohibited from using the "source of income" (defined) of an otherwise eligible prospective or current tenant to take any of a list of actions, including refusing to rent, eviction, or in any other manner denying a rental unit. For a landlord who requires that a prospective or current tenant meet a certain threshold level of income, any source of income in the form of a rent voucher or subsidy must be subtracted from the total of the monthly rent before calculating whether the income criteria have been met. Violations are an unlawful practice subject to enforcement by the Attorney General.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2086 - Rent regulation; state preemption

Summary: Repeals statutes that prohibit municipalities from regulating rent or imposing rent controls.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2161 - Rent increase; limitation; substantial remodel

Summary: A landlord, in a 12-month period, is prohibited from increasing the rent for a dwelling unit more than five percent plus the percentage change in the cost of living or ten percent, whichever is less. The percentage increase limitation is based on the lowest rent charged for the dwelling unit at any time during the 12 months before the increase. Does not apply if a dwelling unit is "substantially remodeled" (defined).

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2166 - DHS; licensure; group homes

Summary: Beginning July 1, 2024, "behavioral-supported group homes" (defined) and group homes operated in Arizona by a service provider and that are under contract with the Arizona Department of Economic Security are required to be licensed by the Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS). Establishes a list of rules for group homes that ADHS is required to adopt. Group homes and behavioral-supported group homes are exempt from required zoning standards for a health care institution. ADHS cannot accept an accreditation report in lieu of a compliance inspection of a behavioral-supported group home, a group home, or a nursing-supported group home. Beginning July 1, 2024, ADHS is required to transfer all group home licenses to the appropriate subclass of health care institution license.

Tracking Community Development, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2194 - Drug overdose fatality review teams

Summary: Establishes a 20-member Drug Overdose Fatality Review Team in the Department of Health Services and requires the Review Team to develop a drug overdose fatalities data collection system, assist in the development of local drug overdose fatality review teams, develop protocols for drug overdose investigations, and determine changes needed to decrease the incidence of preventable drug overdose fatalities. Establishes processes for the Review Team to access information and regulates the confidentiality of information and records acquired by the Review Team. Review Team meetings are closed to the public and are not subject to open meeting law if the Review Team is reviewing information on a person who overdosed on drugs. Violations of the confidentiality requirements are a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor. Self-repeals January 1, 2029.

Tracking FMR, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - [Second Reading, Floor](#)
Second Reading

HB2211 - Supplemental nutrition assistance program; eligibility

Summary: Despite statute allowing the court to render the person who is convicted ineligible to receive any public benefits, a person who is convicted of a felony offense involving the use or possession of a controlled substance may be eligible for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program if the person is in compliance with all terms of probation, including any drug testing requirements, and previous requirements for the person to complete a substance abuse treatment program or meet other specified requirements in order to be eligible are deleted.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - [Second Reading, Floor](#)
Second Reading

HB2222 - Driver license fees; homeless exemption

Summary: The fees for driver licenses and nonoperating identification licenses do not apply to any person who does not have a residence address or whose residence address is the address of a homeless shelter. The Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) is authorized to enter into an agreement with a charitable organization that works to end and prevent homelessness in Arizona to help persons acquire replacement personal identification documents at no cost to them, and enable persons to have secure personal identification document storage. Appropriates \$1 million from the State Highway Fund in FY2023-24 to the newly established Personal Identification Document Fund and is appropriated from the Fund to ADOT.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Referred to Committee - Rules - [House Rules](#)

HB2256 - Housing trust fund; appropriation

Summary: Appropriates \$150 million from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the Housing Trust Fund.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023
Action: H - Introduced

HB2259 - Parking requirements; affordable housing; prohibition

Summary: Counties and municipalities are prohibited from adopting a land use regulation or general or specific plan provision, and from imposing as a condition for approving a building or use permit, any regulation that requires a specific number of parking spaces per residential dwelling unit if the unit is designated as "affordable housing" (defined).

Tracking Community Development, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2264 - Housing; inventory; sales

Summary: By July 1, 2025 and every three years after, each county and municipality is required to prepare an inventory of all real property within its jurisdiction to which the county or municipality holds title and that is appropriate for use as affordable housing. The county board of supervisors or municipal governing body is required to hold a public hearing at which the inventory list is reviewed. Properties on the list may be offered for sale and the proceeds may be used to purchase land for the development of affordable housing. Properties on the list may be sold with a restriction that requires the development of the property as affordable housing, donated to a nonprofit housing organization, or made available for use or the production and preservation of permanent affordable housing. By July 1, 2025 and every three years after, each state agency is required to create an inventory of surplus real estate within the agency jurisdiction to which the state holds title and provide the inventory to the Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA). ADOA is required to make the surplus real estate on the inventories available for sale, and monies received from the sale are deposited in the Housing Trust Fund.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2270 - Extension; affordable housing tax credit

Summary: The statutory repeal dates for the insurance premium tax credit and the individual and corporate income tax credits for projects that qualify for the federal low-income tax credit are extended eleven years, through tax year 2036. The cap on the aggregate amount of the affordable housing tax credits in any calendar year is increased to \$10 million, from \$4 million, beginning in calendar year 2024.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2272 - Municipality; housing plan; report

Summary: A municipality with a population of more than 75,000 persons is required to develop a housing plan. Information that must be included in the housing plan is specified. The municipal governing body is required to annually review the housing plan and plan implementation, and post the report of the annual review on the municipality's website.

Tracking Community Development, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action:

H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2273 - Housing trust fund; unclaimed property..

Summary: The amount of proceeds from the sale of abandoned property that are deposited in the Housing Trust Fund each fiscal year is changed to 55 percent of the proceeds, instead of \$2.5 million.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2280 - Eviction prevention; study committee

Summary: Establishes a 19-member Study Committee on Statewide Eviction Prevention and Housing Affordability to conduct a comprehensive study on reducing eviction filings, review related policies and statutes, conduct research on housing affordability issues, and propose legislation to address these issues. The Committee is required to submit a report of its activities and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by December 1, 2023, and self-repeals November 1, 2024.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2281 - Homeless youth; families; funding sources

Summary: Requires \$2 million of tax revenue collected from nonresident sales of real property located in Arizona to be distributed to the general fund, after which any remaining monies are distributed to the Housing Trust Fund. Up to \$10 million of the monies deposited in the Housing Trust Fund from tax collections from nonresident sales of real property located in Arizona must be used exclusively for capital projects, rental assistance and services for homeless youth and families, and must supplement and not supplant homeless youth and family funding from other potential sources. The Department of Housing is authorized to use monies deposited from tax collections from nonresident sales of real property located in Arizona in excess of \$10 million for other projects and programs. Effective for taxable period beginning January 1, 2024.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2284 - Homelessness; housing; facilities

Summary: The Arizona Department of Housing (ADOH) is required to accept and allocate monies appropriated by the Legislature for services for individuals experiencing homelessness. Monies must be used for parking areas that have access to potable water, electric outlets, and bathrooms; camping facilities and individual shelters that meet specified requirements; and shelters that house at least four individuals and that provide programs to improve the employment and income of individuals leaving the shelter. ADOH is required to prioritize spending for all of these purposes before spending monies on permanent housing for individuals experiencing homelessness. ADOH is authorized to use monies appropriated to assist individuals experiencing homelessness with substance abuse treatment, mental health treatment, and other services. A person is prohibited from using state or local government owned lands for unauthorized sleeping, camping, or long-term shelter, and from allowing such land to be used for these purposes. Political subdivisions are prohibited from adopting or enforcing policies that discourage or prohibit the enforcement of any order or ordinance that prohibits public camping or sleeping or obstructing a public right-of-way. The Attorney General is authorized to bring a civil action against a political subdivision in violation. Severability clause. Effective January 1, 2024.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - [Second Reading, Floor](#)

Second Reading

HCM2002 - Federal lands; housing shortage

Summary: The Legislature urges the U.S. Congress to enact the Helping Open Underutilized Space to Ensure Shelter Act to allow the U.S. Secretary of the Interior to sell federal parcels of land to state and local governments, and urges the U.S. Secretary of the Interior, on passage of such legislation, to immediately implement a process for applicants to nominate federal lands for purchase. The Secretary of State is directed to transmit copies of this memorial to the U.S. Secretary of the Interior, the President of the U.S. Senate, the Speaker of the U.S. House and each member of Congress from Arizona.

Tracking Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

Community Services

HB2019 - Licensing; permitting; criteria; clarity

Summary: If a county or municipality requires a license or permit for any constitutionally protected activity or any activity that changes the use, appearance, or density of a structure or land, the county or municipality is required to state in clear and unambiguous language the criteria for granting the license or permit. Counties and municipalities are required to grant or deny an application for such a license or permit within 30 days. Some exceptions.

Tracking CAO, Community Development, Engineering and Transportation, Community Services

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action:

H - Hearing Scheduled
01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2076 - Tribal land acknowledgment

Summary: Each public school, public university, community college, state or local park or library, or other state or local government building in Arizona, in consultation with Native American Tribes, is required to display a Native American tribal "land acknowledgment" (defined) plaque in a clearly visible location in a public area of the building that is readily accessible to the public.

Tracking Community Services, Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

SB1010 - Personal flotation devices; rowing; exception

Summary: The requirement for a child who is 12 years of age or under to wear a personal flotation device while on board a watercraft does not apply to "rowing shells" (defined) that are being used for practice, training, or rowing competitions if a list of specified conditions are met, including supervision by a certified coach.

Tracking Community Services

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/23/2023 2:00 PM - Senate TAT, SHR 2
Transportation and Technology

SB1028 - Adult cabaret performances; prohibited locations

Summary: It is a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor to engage in an "adult cabaret performance" (defined) on public property or in a location where the performance could be viewed by a minor. A second or subsequent violation is a class 6 (lowest) felony.

Tracking PD, Community Services

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: S - Hearing Scheduled
01/11/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

Courts

HB2195 - Criminal justice data collection; system

Summary: The Arizona Criminal Justice Commission is required to implement the state, county and municipal open data system. The Commission is required to publish the data system Commission's website in an electronic format that is accessible to the public. Beginning on January 1, 2024, and unless prohibited by any other law, criminal justice agencies in Arizona are required to submit specified data into the system. The Commission is required to establish policies to protect confidential information. Appropriates \$4.7 million in FY2023-24, \$4.8 million in FY2024-25, and \$4.8 million in FY2025-26 from the general fund to the Commission to implement the data system.

Tracking Courts

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House JUD, HHR 4
Judiciary

SB1008 - Court fees; costs; deferral; waiver

Summary: The court is required to grant an application for deferral of court fees and costs if an applicant establishes that the applicant has a gross monthly income that is 225 percent or less of the current federal poverty level, increased from 150 percent or less, or if an applicant establishes that the applicant is receiving benefits from the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (in addition to other programs previously listed). The court is authorized to waive court fees and costs entirely or in part.

Tracking Courts, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

SB1036 - Setting aside conviction; certificate eligibility

Summary: For the purpose of setting aside judgment of a convicted person, a person is not eligible for a certificate of second chance if the person has previously received a certificate of second chance on the set aside of a "felony conviction" (defined).

Tracking Courts

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

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Tracking Community Services, Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - [Second Reading, Floor](#)

Second Reading

Economic Development

HB2040 - Industrial development bonds; preapproval; repeal

Summary: Corporations are no longer required to obtain approval from the Arizona Department of Housing in order to issue bonds to finance a multifamily residential rental project, clinic, rest home, nursing home, skilled nursing facility, or life care facility.

Tracking Economic Development, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - [Second Reading, Floor](#)

Second Reading

SB1122 - Transportation tax; election; Maricopa county

Summary: If approved by the voters at a countywide election, a county with a population of 3 million or more persons (Maricopa) is required to levy a tax of up to ten percent of the transaction privilege tax rate as of January 1, 1990. The tax levied will be in effect for 15 years. Specifies the distribution of net revenues from the tax levy, with 80 percent of revenues distributed to the Regional Area Road Fund for freeways and other routes in the state highway system, and 20 percent of revenues distributed to the Regional Area Road Fund for major arterial streets. Beginning January 1, 2026, a regional public transportation authority is established in a county with a population of 3 million or more persons that approves a county transportation excise tax.

Tracking Neighborhoods, CAO, Engineering and Transportation, Economic Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: S - Introduced

Engineering and Transportation

HB2013 - Transportation tax; deposit; regional fund

Summary: Interest earned on net revenues collected from a county transportation excise tax that are not distributed or refunded pursuant to existing statute, including interest earned on those revenues, are required to be deposited in the same funds that the net revenues are required to be deposited in.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit, Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2019 - Licensing; permitting; criteria; clarity

Summary: If a county or municipality requires a license or permit for any constitutionally protected activity or any activity that changes the use, appearance, or density of a structure or land, the county or municipality is required to state in clear and unambiguous language the criteria for granting the license or permit. Counties and municipalities are required to grant or deny an application for such a license or permit within 30 days. Some exceptions.

Tracking CAO, Community Development, Engineering and Transportation, Community Services

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2097 - Appropriation; State Route 89; roundabout

Summary: Appropriates \$18.4 million from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the Arizona Department of Transportation for improvements to State Route 89.

Tracking Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2098 - Appropriation; Clarkdale bridge

Summary: Appropriates \$6.3 million from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the Arizona Department of Transportation to distribute to the Town of Clarkdale to replace the bridge over Bitter Creek Wash.

Tracking Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2107 - Appropriation; SR 303; Route 60

Summary: Appropriates \$3 million from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the Arizona Department of Transportation for improvements to the interchange at State Route 303 and U.S. Route 60.

Tracking Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/25/2023 2:00 PM - House TI, HHR 3

Transportation & Infrastructure

HB2216 - Hazardous air pollutants program

Summary: The Director of the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality is allowed, instead of required, to establish by rule a state program for the control of hazardous air pollutants.

Tracking Sustainability & Resilience, Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2241 - Electric vehicles; charging; pilot program

Summary: Counties and municipalities are prohibited from issuing a residential structure building permit for a single-family structure if the structure does not have a specified electrical circuit with a dedicated outlet to charge an electric vehicle in the garage or within 10 feet of a parking space on the outside of the structure. Some exceptions. The Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) is required to conduct a two-year electric vehicle-ready homes pilot program. ADOA is required to reimburse the owner of a single-family or multifamily residential structure for the cost of installing a high voltage electrical outlet for the purpose of charging an electric vehicle, up to \$1,000, until the monies are exhausted. By December 31, 2025, ADOA is required to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature with specified information relating to the pilot program. The pilot program self-repeals October 1, 2026.

Tracking Sustainability & Resilience, Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2285 - Appropriation; Jackrabbit Trail improvement

Summary: Appropriates \$22.6 million from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the Arizona Department of Transportation to distribute to the City of Buckeye to improve Jackrabbit Trail between Thomas Road and McDowell Road. The Legislature intends that the City of Buckeye contribute \$2.5 million to the project.

Tracking Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2288 - Roundabouts; right-of-way; large vehicles

Summary: The operator of a vehicle or combination of vehicles with a total length of a least 40 feet or a total width of at least 10 feet has the right-of-way in a roundabout, and may deviate from the lane in which the operator is driving to the extent necessary to drive through the roundabout. The Department of Transportation or local jurisdiction is required to post a minimum of one yield sign before a roundabout entrance that states "trucks have right-of-way in roundabout."

Tracking Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

SB1035 - Sidewalks; scooters; bicycles; fifteen mph

Summary: A person is prohibited from operating an electric bicycle, electric miniature scooter, electric standup scooter, or a device moved by human power on a sidewalk at a speed exceeding 15 miles per hour.

Tracking PD, Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

SB1122 - Transportation tax; election; Maricopa county

Summary: If approved by the voters at a countywide election, a county with a population of 3 million or more persons (Maricopa) is required to levy a tax of up to ten percent of the transaction privilege tax rate as of January 1, 1990. The tax levied will be in effect for 15 years. Specifies the distribution of net revenues from the tax levy, with 80 percent of revenues distributed to the Regional Area Road Fund for freeways and other routes in the state highway system, and 20 percent of revenues distributed to the Regional Area Road Fund for major arterial streets. Beginning January 1, 2026, a regional public transportation authority is established in a county with a population of 3 million or more persons that approves a county transportation excise tax.

Tracking Neighborhoods, CAO, Engineering and Transportation, Economic Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: S - Introduced

Finance Budget Procurement Audit

HB2003 - Corporate income tax; rates

Summary: Decreases the corporate income tax rate to 4.0 percent of net income in tax year 2023, 3.5 percent of net income in tax year 2024, 3.0 percent of net income in tax year 2025, and 2.5 percent of net income in tax years beginning with 2026, from 4.9 percent of net income.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - DP - [House Appropriations](#)

HB2007 - Group excess liability insurance

Summary: An authorized insurer or unauthorized insurer is allowed to offer "group excess liability insurance" (defined) coverage in Arizona, and is authorized to issue a group excess liability insurance policy to any eligible group to which a group disability insurance policy may be issued under group disability insurance statutes. Establishes regulations for group excess liability insurance policies, including premiums, limits of coverage, renewals, and cancellations.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
[01/24/2023 2:00 PM - House COM, HHR 3](#)
Commerce

HB2013 - Transportation tax; deposit; regional fund

Summary: Interest earned on net revenues collected from a county transportation excise tax that are not distributed or refunded pursuant to existing statute, including interest earned on those revenues, are required to be deposited in the same funds that the net revenues are required to be deposited in.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit, Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2061 - Food; municipal tax; exemption.

Summary: Municipalities and other taxing jurisdictions are prohibited from levying a transaction privilege, sales, or use tax or fee on the sale of food items intended for human consumption or home consumption (as defined elsewhere in statute and by rule). Applies to tax periods on or after the first day of the month following the general effective date.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2064 - Property tax exemption; disability; qualifications

Summary: For the purpose of the property tax exemption for persons with total and permanent disabilities, the term "person with a total and permanent disability" is defined as a person who is unable to engage in any substantial gainful activity by reason of any physical or mental impairment that is expected to last for a continuous period of at least 12 months or result in death within 12 months as certified by a "competent medical authority" (defined).

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House WM, HHR 1
Ways & Means

HB2067 - Residential leases; municipal tax exemption

Summary: Beginning January 1, 2024, municipalities and other taxing jurisdictions are prohibited from levying a transaction privilege, sales, use or other similar tax or fee on the business of renting or leasing real property for residential purposes. Does not apply to health care facilities, long-term care facilities, hotels, motels, or other transient lodging businesses. By January 1, 2024, the owner of real property that is rented or leased for residential purposes and that is located in a municipality or other taxing jurisdiction that levies such a tax is required to reduce the amount of rent due by an amount equal to the difference caused by the elimination of the tax as provided in this legislation. Contains a legislative intent section. Applies to tax periods beginning January 1, 2024.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit
Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2115 - Income tax; credits; subtractions

Summary: A taxpayer that is allowed a tax credit under statutes governing the transaction of insurance business or an individual or corporate income tax credit is prohibited from selling or transferring the tax credit to another taxpayer. Any income tax credit enacted beginning January 1, 2024 is not refundable. Retroactive to January 1, 2023, for the purpose of computing Arizona adjusted gross income for income tax purposes, the subtraction from Arizona gross income for 25 percent of the net long-term capital gain included in federal adjusted gross income does not apply to any net long-term capital gain from the sale of a charter school.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit
Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2156 - Proxy voting; governmental entities; prohibition

Summary: Only a governmental entity that establishes or maintains a "plan" (defined as any plan, fund, or program established or maintained by the state or a political subdivision to provide retirement income or benefits to employees, defer income by employees, or invest taxpayer monies for any purpose) is authorized to vote the shares held by the plan. A governmental entity is prohibited from hiring a third-party vendor or granting proxy voting authority to any person who is not a part of the governmental entity. A "fiduciary" of a plan is prohibited from adopting a practice of following the recommendations of a proxy advisory firm or other service.

Tracking HR, CAO, Finance Budget Procurement Audit
Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2206 - Software licensure

Summary: A contract entered into by a "public agency" (defined) for the licensing of software applications designed to run on generally available desktop or server hardware cannot limit the public agency's ability to install or run the software on the hardware of the public agency's choosing. Applies to any contract or addendum entered into from and after the effective date of this legislation.

Tracking IT, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Referred to Committee - Rules - [House Rules](#)

HB2213 - TPT; exemption; utilities; residential customers

Summary: The list of deductions from the tax base for the utilities classification of transaction privilege taxes is expanded to include gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from sales to residential natural or artificial gas and electricity retail customers. Applies to tax periods beginning on or after the first day of the month following the general effective date.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

[01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor](#)
Second Reading

HB2223 - Liquor; licensing; processes; procedures

Summary: Various changes to statutes relating to liquor licenses. The Department of Liquor Licenses and Control (DLLC) is authorized to issue on a temporary basis a microbrewery festival liquor license that authorizes the sampling of the microbrewery products on the festival premises and the sale of products for consumption on the festival premises. A microbrewery festival location must be approved by the county board of supervisors or municipal governing body, as applicable. Increases the maximum value of promotional items furnished by a liquor wholesaler to a retailer in a calendar year to \$700, from \$500. Beginning with tax periods that begin January 1, 2024 and after, allows specified liquor licensees to pay luxury privilege taxes on an annual basis instead of a monthly basis.

Tracking CAO, PD, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Referred to Committee - Rules - [House Rules](#)

HB2257 - Taxation; repeal; selected exemptions

Summary: Eliminates various exemptions from taxation, including the exemptions from the retail classification of transaction privilege taxes for sales of warranty or service contracts and sales of stocks and bonds. For tax years beginning with 2024, the income tax rate for corporations is increased to 5.5 percent, from 4.9 percent. Due to a potential increase in state revenue, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 2/3 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage, and becomes effective on signature of the Governor.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action:

H - Hearing Scheduled
01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2263 - Tax credits; reporting requirements

Summary: By May 15 each year, each "qualified investor" claiming an income tax credit for investments made in a qualified small business in Arizona is required to report to the Arizona Commerce Authority (ACA) the number of jobs created by a qualified small business that received a qualified investment from the investor. By June 15 each year, the (ACA) is required to report this information to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee (JLBC), as well as information about the allocation of qualified investments by industry. By May 15 of each year, each claimant of a tax credit for the production of electricity using renewable energy resources is required to report to the Arizona Department of Revenue (ADOR) the total megawatt hours of electricity generated from the qualified energy generator and the number of persons employed at the time the tax credit is claimed by businesses in Arizona that manufacture, install, or service qualified energy generators. By June 15 of each year, ADOR is required to report this information to the JLBC.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2268 - Income tax credits; repeal

Summary: Repeals the individual income tax credit for agricultural pollution control equipment. Establishes reporting requirements for recipients of the qualified facility income tax credit and the income tax credit for agricultural water conservation systems. Due to a potential increase in state revenue, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 2/3 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage, and becomes effective on signature of the Governor.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2269 - Tax exemptions; credits; review schedule

Summary: The Joint Legislative Income Tax Credit Review Committee is renamed the Joint Legislative Tax Exemption Review Committee, and the Committee is required to review existing "tax exemptions" (defined as exclusions, exemptions, and credits from transaction privilege taxes as well as individual and corporate income tax credits) according to a ten-year review schedule. The Committee is required to compile and adopt a ten-year review schedule by December 15, 2023.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2271 - Repeal; tax credits; grants; reporting

Summary: Repeals the individual income tax credit for agricultural pollution control equipment. By March 1 each year, each "qualified facility" (defined as a facility in Arizona that devotes at least 80 percent of the property and payroll to qualified manufacturing, headquarters or research) claiming an income tax credit for expanding or locating a qualified facility in Arizona is required to report to the Arizona Commerce Authority the following: the number of full-time employees the qualified facility hired in Arizona in the preceding calendar year, the compensation and benefit information for each full-time employment position created for tax credit purposes, and the total capital expenditures the qualified facility invested in Arizona as a result of the tax credit. By May 1 each year, the Authority is required to report this information to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee. The information that each entity receiving a grant from the Arizona Competes Fund is required to annually report to the Authority is expanded to include compensation and benefit information for each employment position required for eligibility. By March 1 each year, each claimant of the tax credit for purchasing and installing an agricultural water conservation system in Arizona is required to report to the Arizona Department of Revenue (ADOR) on the reduction in water usage as a result of installing the system. By May 1 each year, ADOR is required to report to the "joint legislative committee" on the reduction in water usage as a result of installing agricultural water conservation systems as reported by all claimants, and the number of states where taxpayers receive a comparable income tax credit. Due to a potential increase in state revenue, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 2/3 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage, and becomes effective on signature of the Governor.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2282 - Tax expenditures; review; recommendations

Summary: The Joint Legislative Income Tax Credit Review Committee is renamed the Joint Legislation Tax Expenditure Review Committee. The Committee is required to adopt and review the "tax expenditures" (defined as any exemption from the impact of established taxes and tax classifications) for transaction privilege and affiliated excise taxes according to a 10-year review schedule, and the Committee is required to compile and adopt the schedule by December 15, 2022. After a review, the Committee is required to recommend the tax expenditures to be amended, repealed or retained. The Committee is required to report its recommendations to the Legislature and the Governor by December 15 of the year the tax expenditure is reviewed. If the tax expenditure is recommended to be retained or amended, the next review year must be no later than the 10th full calendar year following the date the tax expenditure was reviewed. Modifies the income tax credit review schedule.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2418 - Law enforcement; response times; requirements

Summary: Municipalities are required to provide for enough law enforcement patrol officers to achieve a response time to each law enforcement emergency call of five minutes or less. The Arizona Criminal Justice Commission is required to establish policies and procedures that define law enforcement emergency response time. The Auditor General is required to annually perform an audit of the processes and data used in compiling and determining municipal law enforcement emergency response times.

Tracking PD, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HCR2017 - Property tax; exemption; primary residence

Summary: The 2024 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to allow the Legislature to exempt from property taxes the primary residence of an Arizona resident that is not subject to a mortgage, deed of trust, or other similar encumbrance. Applies to tax years beginning with 2025.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

SB1008 - Court fees; costs; deferral; waiver

Summary: The court is required to grant an application for deferral of court fees and costs if an applicant establishes that the applicant has a gross monthly income that is 225 percent or less of the current federal poverty level, increased from 150 percent or less, or if an applicant establishes that the applicant is receiving benefits from the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (in addition to other programs previously listed). The court is authorized to waive court fees and costs entirely or in part.

Tracking Courts, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

SB1033 - TPT; diapers; feminine hygiene; exemption.

Summary: The list of exemptions from the retail classification of transaction privilege and use taxes is expanded to include disposable diapers, other similar disposable items commonly used for incontinence, and a list of feminine hygiene products. Applies to tax periods beginning on or after the first day of the month following the general effective date.

Tracking Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/09/2023

Action: S - Introduced

FMR

HB2015 - Retirement plans; plan election; rehire

Summary: For the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System and Corrections Officer Retirement Plan, if an eligible employee who was already a member of the plan is subsequently rehired or hired by a new employer, the employee is allowed to make a new election to participate in either the regular plan or the defined contribution plan before the 90th day after the date of hire. If the employee does not make a new election in that time, the employee's previous election continues. Previously, once an employee made an election, that election was irrevocable for the remainder of the employee's employment with any employer under the system, regardless of whether the employment was continuous.

Tracking HR, PD, FMR

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House WM, HHR 1
Ways & Means

HB2070 - Emergency response plans; community engagement

Summary: Charter school governing bodies are required to develop, in conjunction with local law enforcement agencies and emergency response agencies, an emergency response plan for each school site that meets minimum standards developed by the Arizona Department of Education and the Department of Emergency and Military Affairs Division of Emergency Management. School district governing boards and charter schools are required to solicit input from students, parents, teachers, and other school employees when developing an emergency response plan.

Tracking PD, FMR

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023
Action: H - Introduced

HB2080 - Emergency alert technology; vehicles; devices

Summary: Beginning January 1, 2025, all new motor vehicles and portable wireless communication devices sold in Arizona are required to contain "emergency alert technology" (defined).

Tracking IT, PD, FMR

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2194 - Drug overdose fatality review teams

Summary: Establishes a 20-member Drug Overdose Fatality Review Team in the Department of Health Services and requires the Review Team to develop a drug overdose fatalities data collection system, assist in the development of local drug overdose fatality review teams, develop protocols for drug overdose investigations, and determine changes needed to decrease the incidence of preventable drug overdose fatalities. Establishes processes for the Review Team to access information and regulates the confidentiality of information and records acquired by the Review Team. Review Team meetings are closed to the public and are not subject to open meeting law if the Review Team is reviewing information on a person who overdosed on drugs. Violations of the confidentiality requirements are a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor. Self-repeals January 1, 2029.

Tracking FMR, Community Health and Human Services

Lists:

HR

HB2008 - ASRS; contribution prepayment

Summary: When an Arizona State Retirement System (ASRS) employer is prepaying the employer's 401(a) pension contributions directly to ASRS, the earnings accrual rate may be a short-term investment rate of return available through ASRS, as requested by the employer and agreed to by ASRS. The requirement for the prepaying employer to elect an amortization schedule by written agreement with ASRS is deleted.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2009 - ASRS; retirement application; changes

Summary: A member of the Arizona State Retirement System (ASRS) is allowed to elect to make changes to a retirement application before the member's retirement date, and to exercise a onetime election to make changes to the retirement application within 60 days after the member's retirement date. The member is prohibited from changing the retirement date, and any changes made are retroactive to the retirement date.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2015 - Retirement plans; plan election; rehire

Summary: For the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System and Corrections Officer Retirement Plan, if an eligible employee who was already a member of the plan is subsequently rehired or hired by a new employer, the employee is allowed to make a new election to participate in either the regular plan or the defined contribution plan before the 90th day after the date of hire. If the employee does not make a new election in that time, the employee's previous election continues. Previously, once an employee made an election, that election was irrevocable for the remainder of the employee's employment with any employer under the system, regardless of whether the employment was continuous.

Tracking HR, PD, FMR

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House WM, HHR 1

Ways & Means

HB2020 - ASRS; contribution prepayment; appropriation

Summary: Appropriates \$534 million from the general fund to the Arizona State Retirement System to prepay Arizona's employers' 401(a) pension contributions.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/25/2023 2:00 PM - House APPROP, HHR 1

Appropriations

HB2028 - PSPRS; contribution rates

Summary: Beginning with FY2023-24, the contribution rate for members of the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System is reduced to 7.65 percent of the member's compensation, from 11.654 percent. Beginning July 1, 2023, the amount of the member's contribution that exceeds 7.65 percent and that was accumulated between July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2023 may be used in calculating the employers contributions. Retroactive to July 1, 2023.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/10/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2029 - ASRS; supplemental deferral plan; participation

Summary: A political subdivision or political subdivision entity that is not participating in the Arizona State Retirement System (ASRS) is authorized to elect to allow its employees to participate in a supplemental employee deferral plan by entering into an agreement with ASRS.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2108 - Unemployment benefits; requirements; disqualifications

Summary: In determining the validity of claims for unemployment insurance benefits, the Arizona Department of Economic Security (ADES) is prohibited from paying benefits for an initial or ongoing claim until the initial claim is cross-checked, or an ongoing claim is cross-checked on a weekly basis, against a list of data sets, including new hire reporting systems and death records databases. If a cross-check results in information indicating that a claim is ineligible or fraudulent, that claim cannot be paid, and the claimant must be disqualified from receiving benefits and referred for prosecution. To qualify for benefits, an individual is required to conduct at least five work search actions each week and to provide a weekly report to ADES that details the work search actions. Employers are required to report to ADES when an individual who was previously employed with that employer refuses to return to work or accept an offer of suitable work, fails to appear for a scheduled interview, or fails to respond to an offer of employment.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023
Action: H - Introduced

HB2156 - Proxy voting; governmental entities; prohibition

Summary: Only a governmental entity that establishes or maintains a "plan" (defined as any plan, fund, or program established or maintained by the state or a political subdivision to provide retirement income or benefits to employees, defer income by employees, or invest taxpayer monies for any purpose) is authorized to vote the shares held by the plan. A governmental entity is prohibited from hiring a third-party vendor or granting proxy voting authority to any person who is not a part of the governmental entity. A "fiduciary" of a plan is prohibited from adopting a practice of following the recommendations of a proxy advisory firm or other service.

Tracking HR, CAO, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor
Second Reading

HB2303 - Employment; vaccination record; prohibition

Summary: An employer is prohibited from requiring or requesting an employee's vaccination records as a condition of employment.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

HCR2025 - Death benefit; assault; first responders

Summary: The 2024 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend state statute to levy a surcharge of two percent on every fine, penalty and forfeiture imposed and collected by the courts for criminal offenses and on traffic-related civil penalties through December 31, 2032, and to deposit the monies from the surcharge in the newly established State Supplemental Benefit Fund. Beginning January 1, 2024, the state is required to pay \$250,000 to the surviving spouse of a "first responder" (defined) who is "killed in the line of duty" (defined), using monies from the Fund. Contains legislative findings. Severability clause.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023
Action: H - Introduced

SB1018 - Mental health coverage; collaborative care

Summary: An entity that offers, issues, or provides an individual or group health benefits plan that provide mental health services or benefits is required to provide reimbursement for services or benefits that are delivered through the psychiatric collaborative care model, including a list of specified billing codes. The entity may deny reimbursement on the grounds of medical necessity if specified conditions are met.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

SB1031 - Public employees; employment; termination

Summary: State agencies and political subdivisions are prohibited from terminating an employee based on the employee's vaccination status or political affiliation. A violation is subject to a civil penalty of 10 percent of the state agency's or political subdivision's budget from the prior fiscal year.

Tracking HR

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: S - Hearing Scheduled

01/11/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

IT

HB2080 - Emergency alert technology; vehicles; devices

Summary: Beginning January 1, 2025, all new motor vehicles and portable wireless communication devices sold in Arizona are required to contain "emergency alert technology" (defined).

Tracking IT, PD, FMR

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2206 - Software licensure

Summary: A contract entered into by a "public agency" (defined) for the licensing of software applications designed to run on generally available desktop or server hardware cannot limit the public agency's ability to install or run the software on the hardware of the public agency's choosing. Applies to any contract or addendum entered into from and after the effective date of this legislation.

Tracking IT, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

Municipal Utilities - Water

HB2022 - Water resources; annual report

Summary: The deadline for the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) to provide the Governor and the Legislature with an annual operations report is moved to August 15 of each year, from July 1. The report must be made available to the public on the ADWR website.

Tracking Municipal Utilities - Water

Lists:

Last 01/09/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2048 - Assured water; small residential developments

Summary: A person seeking a building permit for six or more residences within an active management area in an unincorporated area of a county is required to obtain a certificate of assured water supply from the Department of Water Resources before presenting the permit application for approval to the county. Does not apply if the applicant has obtained a written commitment of water service for the residences from a municipal or private water company designated as having an assured water supply.

Tracking Municipal Utilities - Water, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2165 - Adequate water supply; statewide requirements

Summary: Counties and municipalities are authorized to approve a subdivision plat only if the subdivider has obtained a water report from the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) that there is an adequate water supply for the subdivision or the subdivider has obtained a written commitment of water service for the subdivision from a city, town or private water company designated as having an adequate water supply. The State Real Estate Commissioner is authorized to issue a public report authorizing the sale or lease of

subdivided lands only if the Director of ADWR has issued a water report that there is an adequate water supply for the subdivision or the subdivider has obtained a written commitment of water service for the subdivision from a city, town or private water company designated as having an adequate water supply.

Tracking Municipal Utilities - Water, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2266 - Reporting; groundwater pumping; measuring

Summary: A person who withdraws groundwater from a nonexempt well under any circumstances and in any location is required to use a water measuring device approved by the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) and to file an annual report to ADWR. Some exceptions. Information that must be included in the annual report to ADWR is specified.

Tracking Municipal Utilities - Water

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

Neighborhoods

HB2047 - Vacation rentals; short-term rentals; restrictions

Summary: A municipality with a population of less than 17,000 persons is allowed to limit the number of vacation rentals and short-term rentals based on a percentage of total residentially zoned buildings or structures in that municipality, and is allowed to regulate vacation rentals or short-term rentals in the same manner as transient lodging activities.

Tracking Neighborhoods, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2251 - Condominiums; insurance coverage; claims

Summary: Condominium associations are required to maintain property insurance on the units. Each unit owner has the right to report a loss under the association's property insurance policy. If the cause of damage to or destruction of any portion of a condominium originates from the common elements or an event outside of the units and common elements, the insurance deductible is a common expense for the association. If the cause originates from a unit, the owner of the unit is responsible for the deductible of up to \$10,000.

Tracking Neighborhoods

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/19/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2301 - Homeowners' associations; political activity

Summary: Condominium associations and planned community associations cannot restrict a unit owner from conducting door-to-door political activity, and cannot prohibit a unit owner from circulating political petitions.

Tracking Neighborhoods

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Referred to Committee - Regulatory Affairs - [House Regulatory Affairs](#)

HCR2011 - Vacation rentals; short-term rentals

Summary: The 2024 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to repeal statutes prohibiting municipalities and counties from prohibiting vacation rentals or short-term rentals and restricting the types of regulations that municipalities and counties may impose on vacation rentals or short-term rentals. Statute entitling a property owner to just compensation from the state or a political subdivision that enacts a land use law that reduces the existing rights to use private real property does not apply to land use laws that regulate a vacation rental or short-term rental.

Tracking Neighborhoods, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023
Action: H - Introduced

SB1034 - Homeowners' associations; flag ban; prohibition

Summary: Condominium associations and homeowners' associations cannot prohibit the outdoor display of any flag unless the flag is obscene, defamatory, or likely to incite violence.

Tracking Neighborhoods

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
[01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor](#)
Second Reading

SB1049 - Homeowners' associations; Betsy Ross flag

Summary: Homeowners' associations and condo associations cannot prohibit the outdoor display of any historic version of the American flag, including the "Betsy Ross flag" (defined), without regard to how the stars and stripes are arranged on the flag.

Tracking Neighborhoods

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
[01/25/2023 - Senate GOV, SHR 2](#)
Government

SB1116 - Political signs; public roadways; prohibition

Summary: A person is prohibited from placing a political sign in or on the right-of-way of a public road.

Tracking Neighborhoods, CAO, Clerk and Elections, Community Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: S - Introduced

SB1122 - Transportation tax; election; Maricopa county

Summary: If approved by the voters at a countywide election, a county with a population of 3 million or more persons (Maricopa) is required to levy a tax of up to ten percent of the transaction privilege tax rate as of January 1, 1990. The tax levied will be in effect for 15 years. Specifies the distribution of net revenues from the tax levy, with 80 percent of revenues distributed to the Regional Area Road Fund for freeways and other routes in the state highway system, and 20 percent of revenues distributed to the Regional Area Road Fund for major arterial streets. Beginning January 1, 2026, a regional public transportation authority is established in a county with a population of 3 million or more persons that approves a county transportation excise tax.

Tracking Neighborhoods, CAO, Engineering and Transportation, Economic Development

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: S - Introduced

PD

HB2004 - Vehicle accidents; financial responsibility

Summary: When the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) verifies the financial responsibility of the owner of a motor vehicle involved in an accident in Arizona, ADOT cannot suspend the driver license or registration privilege of the person appearing as the registered owner of the vehicle in ADOT records if the person is able to provide proof the the vehicle was sold before the accident "occurred," instead of before "the date of the accident."

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 12/27/2022
Action: H - Introduced

HB2015 - Retirement plans; plan election; rehire

Summary: For the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System and Corrections Officer Retirement Plan, if an eligible employee who was already a member of the plan is subsequently rehired or hired by a new employer, the employee is allowed to make a new election to participate in either the regular plan or the defined contribution plan before the 90th day after the date of hire. If the employee does not make a new election in that time, the employee's previous election continues. Previously, once an employee made an election, that election was irrevocable for the remainder of the employee's employment with any employer under the system, regardless of whether the employment was continuous.

Tracking HR, PD, FMR

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023
Action:

H - Hearing Scheduled

01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House WM, HHR 1

Ways & Means

HB2017 - Public officers; residency requirements

Summary: The deputy or assistant of an elected officer of Arizona is not required to be an Arizona resident, but is required to be a U.S. citizen.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - DP - House Government

HB2058 - Flight from law enforcement; classification

Summary: Increases the criminal classification of unlawful flight from a pursuing law enforcement vehicle to a class 2 (second highest) felony, from a class 5 (second lowest) felony.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2059 - Riot; unlawful assembly; classification; liability

Summary: Establishes the crime of aggravated riot, a class 3 (upper mid-level) felony, if a person, in the course of committing a riot, participates with 25 or more other persons, causes serious physical injury to another person who is not participating in the riot, causes property damage in excess of \$5,000, displays, uses, threatens to use, or attempts to use a deadly weapon, or, by force or by the threat of force, endangers the safe movement of a motor vehicle traveling on a public street. Establishes the crime of mob intimidation, a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor, if a person, assembled with two or more other persons and acting with common intent, uses force or threatens to use imminent force to compel or attempt to compel another person to do or refrain from doing any act or to assume, abandon or maintain a particular viewpoint against the person's will. The list of circumstances under which assault is classified as aggravated assault, a class 6 (lowest) felony, is expanded to include if the person commits the assault on a peace officer in the furtherance of a riot or unlawful assembly. A person convicted of aggravated assault on a peace officer in these circumstances must be sentenced to serve no less than the minimum sentence and is not eligible for probation or suspension of execution of sentence until the entire sentence is served. Burglary committed during a riot where the perpetration of the burglary is facilitated by "conditions arising from the riot" (defined) is classified as burglary in the first degree. The criminal classification of abuse of venerated objects by desecrating any public monument, memorial, or property of a public park is increased to a class 6 (lowest) felony, from a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor. A person who is convicted of any offense that is committed in furtherance of a riot or an unlawful assembly must be sentenced to the next higher class of offense than that for which the person is convicted. A municipality has a duty to allow a municipality law enforcement agency to respond appropriately to protect persons and property during a riot or unlawful assembly based on the availability of adequate equipment to its city and town law enforcement officers and relevant state and federal laws. If a municipal governing body or a person who is authorized by the municipal governing body breaches that duty, the municipality is liable in a civil action for any damages, including damages arising from personal injury, wrongful death or property damages proximately caused by the breach of duty.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2070 - Emergency response plans; community engagement

Summary: Charter school governing bodies are required to develop, in conjunction with local law enforcement agencies and emergency response agencies, an emergency response plan for each school site that meets minimum standards developed by the Arizona Department of Education and the Department of Emergency and Military Affairs Division of Emergency Management. School district governing boards and charter schools are required to solicit input from students, parents, teachers, and other school employees when developing an emergency response plan.

Tracking PD, FMR

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2080 - Emergency alert technology; vehicles; devices

Summary: Beginning January 1, 2025, all new motor vehicles and portable wireless communication devices sold in Arizona are required to contain "emergency alert technology" (defined).

Tracking IT, PD, FMR

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2169 - Sexual conduct; minor; classification; sentence

Summary: The criminal classification of sexual conduct with a minor who is at least 15 years of age is increased to a class 4 (lower mid-level) felony, from a class 6 (lowest) felony. If a convicted person is placed on probation, the person is required to be sentenced to serve one year in jail.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House JUD, HHR 4

Judiciary

HB2170 - Provisional concealed weapons permit

Summary: The Department of Public Safety (DPS) is required to issue a provisional concealed weapons permit to carry a concealed weapon to a person who is at least 18 years of age and under 21 years of age and who is otherwise qualified. The person is required to carry the provisional permit at all times when the person is in actual possession of the concealed weapon and must present the permit for inspection to any law enforcement officer on request. Establishes eligibility requirements for a provisional permit, including passing a background check and demonstrating competence with a firearm. On the 21st birthday of a person who has a valid provisional concealed weapons permit, DPS is required to issue a concealed weapons permit. Effective July 1, 2024.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/18/2023 - Second Reading, Floor

Second Reading

HB2212 - Criminal damage; trespassing; critical facilities

Summary: The criminal classification of criminal damage is increased to a class 3 (upper mid-level) felony if the person intentionally tampers with utility property and the damage causes an imminent safety hazard to any person. The criminal classification of criminal trespass by entering or remaining unlawfully in or on a critical public service facility is increased to a class 4 (lower mid-level) felony. The definition of aggravated criminal damage is expanded to include interfering with or otherwise preventing the performance of a normal function of any utility infrastructure or property. The classification for aggravated criminal damage under these circumstances is a class 2 (second-highest) felony.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

01/25/2023 9:00 AM - House JUD, HHR 4

Judiciary

HB2223 - Liquor; licensing; processes; procedures

Summary: Various changes to statutes relating to liquor licenses. The Department of Liquor Licenses and Control (DLLC) is authorized to issue on a temporary basis a microbrewery festival liquor license that authorizes the sampling of the microbrewery products on the festival premises and the sale of products for consumption on the festival premises. A microbrewery festival location must be approved by the county board of supervisors or municipal governing body, as applicable. Increases the maximum value of promotional items furnished by a liquor wholesaler to a retailer in a calendar year to \$700, from \$500. Beginning with tax periods that begin January 1, 2024 and after, allows specified liquor licensees to pay luxury privilege taxes on an annual basis instead of a monthly basis.

Tracking CAO, PD, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

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Action: H - Referred to Committee - Rules - House Rules

HB2226 - Appropriation; fentanyl prosecution; testing; fund

Summary: Appropriates \$5 million from the general fund in FY2023-24 to the newly established Fentanyl Prosecution and Testing Fund, to be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis to county attorneys, county sheriffs, and courts to reimburse costs related to fentanyl prosecutions, and to law enforcement agencies to reimburse costs related to fentanyl testing.

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Lists:

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Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
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HB2293 - Liquor; purchase; identification

Summary: The list of types of identification that a liquor licensee may accept as proof of the legal drinking age is expanded to include a valid unexpired border crossing card issued by the U.S. government that contains a photograph of the person and the person's date of birth.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Referred to Committee - Rules - [House Rules](#)

HB2297 - Fraudulent schemes; artifices; jurisdiction

Summary: In a prosecution for a violation of fraudulent schemes and artifices, the state is not required to establish that all of the acts that constitute a violation occurred in Arizona or within a single local jurisdiction in Arizona. It is not a defense that not all of the acts that constitute a violation occurred in Arizona or within a single local jurisdiction within Arizona.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

HB2302 - Misdemeanor expungement; requirements; procedure

Summary: A person who is convicted of a misdemeanor is allowed to petition the convicting court for an expungement of the record of conviction. Some exceptions. After a hearing on the petition, if the judge believes that justice will be served, the judge is required to order that all records of the person's conviction that are in the custody of the court be sealed with accompanying justification and must deliver a copy of the order to all law enforcement agencies and courts. The order must require that all law enforcement agencies and courts not release copies of the records to any person except on order of the court. Unless otherwise provided by law, a person who receives an expungement for a conviction is allowed to respond to any inquiry as though the conviction did not exist.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action:

H - Hearing Scheduled
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HB2418 - Law enforcement; response times; requirements

Summary: Municipalities are required to provide for enough law enforcement patrol officers to achieve a response time to each law enforcement emergency call of five minutes or less. The Arizona Criminal Justice Commission is required to establish policies and procedures that define law enforcement emergency response time. The Auditor General is required to annually perform an audit of the processes and data used in compiling and determining municipal law enforcement emergency response times.

Tracking PD, Finance Budget Procurement Audit

Lists:

Last 01/12/2023

Action: H - Introduced

SB1003 - Traffic violations; identification

Summary: A person other than the driver of a motor vehicle is required to provide their full name, date of birth, and residence address to a peace officer on request, if the officer has reasonable cause to believe the person has committed a traffic violation. Previously, a person other than the driver was required to provide "evidence of the person's identity" to a peace officer on request.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/03/2023

Action: S - Introduced

SB1009 - Criminal damage; monuments; memorials; statues

Summary: Defacing, damaging or tampering with a public or private monument, memorial or statue is classified as aggravated criminal damage, a class 6 (lowest) felony if it results from an intentional or reckless act. If the damaged property is at least \$1,500 but less than \$10,000, the criminal classification is increased to a class 5 (second lowest) felony, and if the damaged property is \$10,000 or more, the criminal classification is increased to a class 4 (lower mid-level) felony.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: S - DP - [Senate Judiciary](#)

SB1013 - Colleges; universities; free speech zones

Summary: A person is authorized to engage in a protest or demonstration on a university or community college campus only in areas where the person is lawfully present. Universities and community colleges cannot limit any area on campus where free speech may be exercised by a person who is lawfully present.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: S - DP - [Senate Education](#)

SB1022 - Pedestrians; selling goods; begging; medians

Summary: Pedestrians are prohibited from selling goods, soliciting donations, or begging on a painted or raised traffic island or median. The penalty for a first violation is a warning, the second violation is a civil traffic violation, and the third or subsequent violation is a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor.

Tracking CAO, PD
Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: S - DPA - [Senate Military Affairs, Public Safety and Border Security](#)

SB1023 - Residential picketing; offense

Summary: A person commits residential picketing, a class 3 (lowest) misdemeanor, if the person intentionally engages in picketing or otherwise demonstrates near the residence of an individual if the actions are such that a reasonable person would find the acts harassing, annoying, or alarming, or if the person intends the picketing or demonstrating to harass, annoy, or alarm another person.

Tracking PD
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Action: S - DP - [Senate Judiciary](#)

SB1024 - Public rights-of-way; unlawful acts

Summary: It is a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor to use a public street, highway, alley, sidewalk, or other right-of-way for lying, sleeping, or otherwise remaining in a sitting position unless the person is experiencing a physical emergency, the violation occurs in the course of administering medical assistance, or the right-of-way is subject to a permit to conduct a festival, fair, parade, concert, fireworks display, or other similar event.

Tracking CAO, PD
Lists:

Last 01/18/2023
Action: S - DP - [Senate Military Affairs, Public Safety and Border Security](#)

SB1027 - Carfentanil; fentanyl; threshold amount; minors

Summary: Various changes to statutes relating to drug offenses. For drug offenses, the "threshold amount" of carfentanil is 0.25 milligram, of fentanyl is 2 milligrams, and of fentanyl mimetic substance is 0.25 milligram. Establishes minimum, presumptive, and maximum sentences for possession for sale, manufacture, administering to another person, or transporting for sale heroin, carfentanil, fentanyl, or fentanyl mimetic substances. It is a class 2 (second highest) felony to knowingly manufacture carfentanil, fentanyl, or fentanyl mimetic substances under any circumstance that causes physical injury to a minor who is under 15 years of age. Manufacturing carfentanil, fentanyl or fentanyl mimetic substances under circumstances that cause physical injury to a minor is added to the definition of "dangerous crimes against children."

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: S - DP - [Senate Judiciary](#)

SB1028 - Adult cabaret performances; prohibited locations

Summary: It is a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor to engage in an "adult cabaret performance" (defined) on public property or in a location where the performance could be viewed by a minor. A second or subsequent violation is a class 6 (lowest) felony.

Tracking PD, Community Services

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: S - Hearing Scheduled

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SB1029 - Felony murder; fentanyl; sentencing

Summary: The list of acts that constitute first degree murder, a class 1 (highest) felony, is expanded to include committing or attempting to commit possessing fentanyl for sale, manufacturing fentanyl, transporting fentanyl for sale, importing fentanyl into Arizona, and offering to transport fentanyl for sale or import into Arizona, if, in the course of the offense or immediate flight from the offense, the person or another person causes the death of any person.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/11/2023

Action: S - Hearing Scheduled

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Second Reading

SB1035 - Sidewalks; scooters; bicycles; fifteen mph

Summary: A person is prohibited from operating an electric bicycle, electric miniature scooter, electric standup scooter, or a device moved by human power on a sidewalk at a speed exceeding 15 miles per hour.

Tracking PD, Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/17/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

[01/17/2023 - Second Reading, Floor](#)

Second Reading

SB1055 - Full-service crime labs; funding

Summary: The Department of Public Safety (DPS) is required to allocate and distribute the monies in the DPS Forensics Fund to each "full-service crime laboratory," defined as a crime lab operated by a criminal justice agency of the state or a political subdivision that is accredited, that provides at least six forensic disciplines, and that meets other specified requirements, based on the percentage of the state population served by each full-service crime laboratory. Previously, DPS was authorized to use 55 percent of the monies in the Fund and was required to distribute the remainder to specified municipal police departments.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: S - Referred to Committee - Military Affairs, Public Safety and Border Security - [Senate Military Affairs, Public Safety and Border Security](#)

SB1064 - Sentencing enhancements; drug-free zones

Summary: It is unlawful for a person to knowingly be present in a "drug-free neighborhood zone" (defined) to sell or transfer marijuana, peyote, prescription-only drugs, dangerous drugs or narcotic drugs. A person in violation is guilty of the same class of felony that the person would otherwise be guilty of had the violation not occurred within a drug-free neighborhood zone, except that the presumptive, minimum and maximum sentence must be increased by one year, and the court is required to order the person to pay a fine of at least \$2,000 or three times the value of the drugs involved, whichever is greater.

Tracking PD

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: S - Referred to Committee - Rules - [Senate Rules](#)

Sustainability & Resilience

HB2216 - Hazardous air pollutants program

Summary: The Director of the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality is allowed, instead of required, to establish by rule a state program for the control of hazardous air pollutants.

Tracking Sustainability & Resilience, Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled
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HB2241 - Electric vehicles; charging; pilot program

Summary: Counties and municipalities are prohibited from issuing a residential structure building permit for a single-family structure if the structure does not have a specified electrical circuit with a dedicated outlet to charge an electric vehicle in the garage or within 10 feet of a parking space on the outside of the structure. Some exceptions. The Arizona

Department of Administration (ADOA) is required to conduct a two-year electric vehicle-ready homes pilot program. ADOA is required to reimburse the owner of a single-family or multifamily residential structure for the cost of installing a high voltage electrical outlet for the purpose of charging an electric vehicle, up to \$1,000, until the monies are exhausted. By December 31, 2025, ADOA is required to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature with specified information relating to the pilot program. The pilot program self-repeals October 1, 2026.

Tracking Sustainability & Resilience, Engineering and Transportation

Lists:

Last 01/19/2023

Action: H - Hearing Scheduled

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HB2279 - Greenhouse gas programs; repeal prohibition

Summary: Repeals statute prohibiting state agencies from adopting or enforcing a state or regional program to regulate the emission of greenhouse gas for the purposes of addressing changes in atmospheric temperature without express legislative authorization.

Tracking Sustainability & Resilience

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COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATE

January 20, 2023

UPCOMING PARK RENOVATION CELEBRATIONS

The Parks Capital Improvement Program has many collaborations and milestones to celebrate this month!

Clark Park

January marks the completion of Phase 1, including improvements to the park, playground, ballfield, basketball court parking lot and community garden.

Join us for a community celebration on February 11.



Above: Clark Community Garden



Above: Clark Playground

Meyer, Mitchell and Redden Parks

Renovations at Meyer, Mitchell and Redden Parks are nearing completion. Each one features unique and creative artist-designed rubberized surfacing as part of a collaboration with Tempe's Public Art program.

Along with the fully accessible surface, these projects all include increased shade, new picnic ramadas, new sidewalks, lighting, and additional trees.

Re-opening events are planned in February and March in conjunction with Arts in the Parks.



Left: Mitchell Playground Construction

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January 20, 2023

PARK RENOVATIONS (CON'T)



Above: Redden Playground and Ramada

Left: Meyer Playground Construction

Partnerships in our Parks

The **Meyer Park and Clark Park** projects feature communication boards to support non-verbal and multimodal communication. Designed through a partnership with **Communication is Key, LLC.**, these boards are the first in our parks system.

Team ASA, a local nonprofit, donated equipment for the musical garden at **Clark Park**.

Our partnership with **Cowtown SKATE** and **Skate After School** will add additional skate elements at **Mitchell Park**, activating an existing concrete pad.

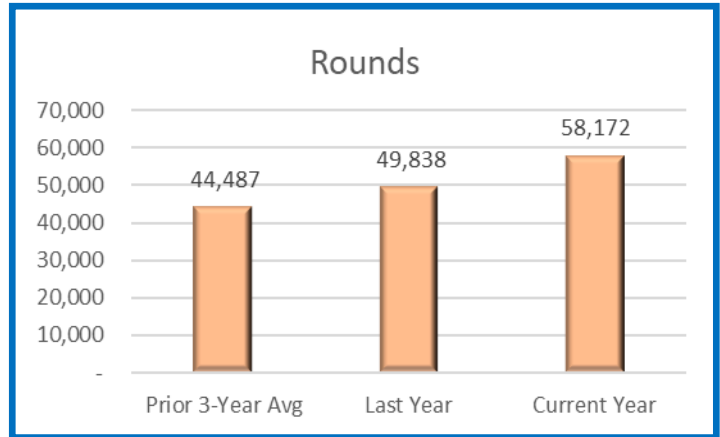
COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATE

January 20, 2023

GOLF UPDATE: JULY 1, 2022—DECEMBER 31, 2022

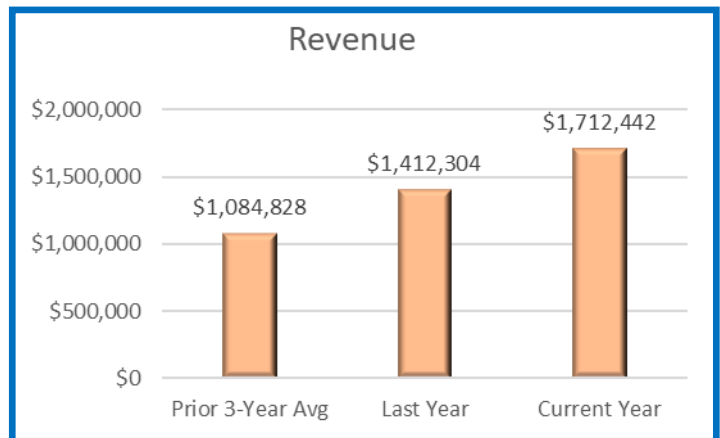
ROUNDS

For Fiscal Year 2022-23, **rounds** through December 31 for Ken McDonald and Rolling Hills golf courses are 17% higher than the same period in 2021 and 31% higher than the prior 3-year average.



REVENUE

Revenue at \$1.7 Million is 21% and 58% higher, respectively, than 2021 and the prior 3-year average.



LOYAL-TEE

The 2023 Loyal-Tee card is on sale now. Loyal-Tee cardholders receive:

- ◆ Lowest greens fees
- ◆ 20% discount on driving range
- ◆ 20% discount on Restaurant
- ◆ 20% discount on Pro Shop



COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATE

January 20, 2023

Dance Tempe

On January 17th, 128 high school dance students and professional dance artists performed to a sold-out audience at the Tempe Center for the Arts. Special thanks to CM Berdetta Hodge and TUHSD Superintendent Dr. Mendivil for giving the welcome.

In the fall, the Community Arts team launched its annual High School Dance Residency Program to serve all six Tempe Union High schools. Selected from the Tempe area, professional dance artists worked with each school's dance program to teach workshops to all grades and prepare choreography for advanced dance students. The culmination of the program is what was seen at the first-ever **Dance Tempe** event.

The dance students participated in all-day workshops and rehearsals before the evening performance. The performance featured pieces set by the resident artists, additional pieces by each school and pieces by the resident artists professional companies. The program aimed to create a memorable and inspiring learning experience for students while deepening the connection between aspiring young dancers, like-minded peers, and professionals. The residency also supported professional, local artists in their career by providing a platform to inspire, share, and be heard.

This program is run by Community Arts in partnership with Tempe Union High School District.



COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATE

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Tempe History Museum: Plaquistion

Tempe History Museum recently acquired the original construction plaque that was mounted to the Mill Avenue Bridge at the time of its completion in 1931.



The plaque was recently stolen off of the bridge by an individual who intended to sell it for scrap metal. Fortunately, Tempe Police were able to recover the item before it was damaged. It was decided to send the plaque to the museum for safekeeping rather than risk placing it back on the bridge. Another similar plaque from the bridge was also stolen, but had its lettering ground off to disguise it and was too damaged to save.