



August 27, 2019

Greetings from Councilwoman Stark,

In this newsletter you will find the latest news, announcements and event details that I want to share with you, including our next District 3 Community Coffee Chat, a new online tool to find out which streets are being paved, and Watersmart Workshops to help you save money and conserve.

As always, please do not hesitate to contact my office with questions, comments or concerns at (602) 262-7441 or [council.district.3@phoenix.gov](mailto:council.district.3@phoenix.gov).

Respectfully,

**Debra Stark**  
Councilwoman  
City of Phoenix  
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## Sept. 1 - Valley Watch Radio Show

On Sept. 1, retired Phoenix Fire Captain Ray Wilson will discuss how the Honor Guard plays an important part in the first responder community on the Fire Department's Valley Watch radio show.

The show airs at 5:45 a.m. on KTAR 92.3 FM and on Arizona Sports 620 AM, and at 6:45 a.m. on 98.7 FM.

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## Sept. 17 – District 3 Community Coffee Chat



Mark your calendars! Our next District 3 Community Coffee Chat is happening **Tuesday, Sept. 17 from 8 – 9:30 a.m.** at Aioli Burger, 10652 N. 32<sup>nd</sup> St. Phoenix, AZ 85028.

Planning and Development Director Alan Stephenson will join us to talk about the state's new law for short term/vacation rentals and what that means for the city, homeowners and the community. The event is free, but kindly RSVP to [council.district.3@phoenix.gov](mailto:council.district.3@phoenix.gov) so we know how many people to expect.

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## Sept. 20 – Principal for a Day

Business and community leaders will be on their way back to school for the Principal for a Day (PFAD) program. The City of Phoenix invites local corporate executives and community leaders to work alongside Phoenix public and charter school principals and actively participate in the school's administration for one day. The goal is to form lasting partnerships to improve the quality of education, workplace readiness and leadership development programs in Phoenix.



Register [online](#) by **Friday, Sept. 20.**

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## Sept. 26 - Black Mountain Coffee with a Cop

The next Black Mountain Precinct Coffee with a Cop with Commander Van Dorn is Thursday, Sept. 26 at 8:30 a.m. at IHOP - 2103 West Happy Valley Road. Get to know your Community Action Officers!

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## Interactive Pavement Maintenance Dashboard

Check out the new Interactive Pavement Maintenance Dashboard to find out which streets will be paved next.

This new Street Maintenance Performance

Dashboard is updated in near-real time to allow residents to track and measure progress.

To help the community stay informed and provide an easy way to see progress, users can sort projects by type, location and status.

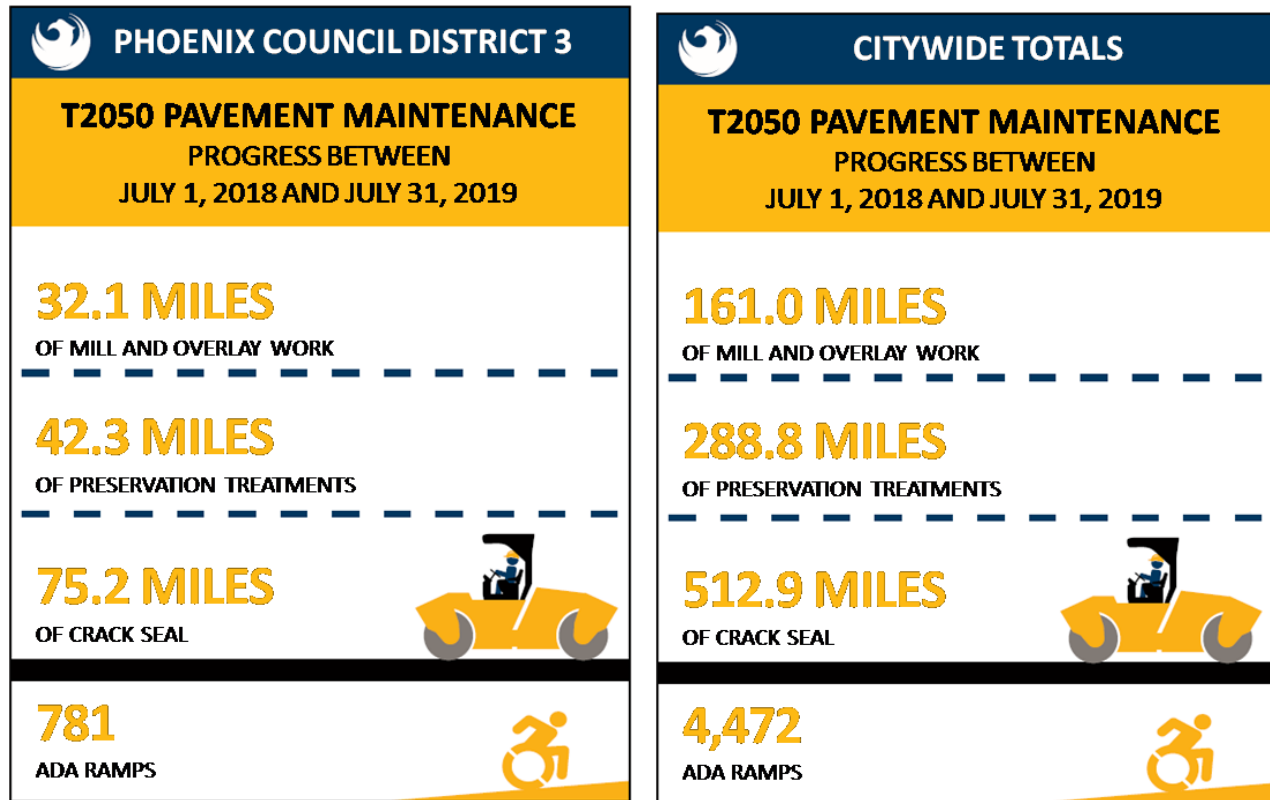
To learn more, visit [phoenix.gov/pavement](http://phoenix.gov/pavement).

Last year, the Phoenix City Council approved a \$200 million advancement of revenue from the voter-approved Transportation 2050 plan to accelerate the number of major-street miles paved each year by 300 percent.

The planned projects were identified and prioritized based on street condition assessment data, field evaluations and public input.



Check out some of the progress so far!



## 811 – Call Before You Dig

Planning a project that requires digging? Always remember to call before you dig! Have you ever wondered what the different colored markings on roads or in yards are? They're a sign that a contractor or homeowner has put safety first and had utility lines identified prior to excavation. Utility lines that serve the community with vital services such as natural gas, electricity, sewer and water can be buried anywhere. Striking a utility line not only poses a safety risk, but can also cause an interruption of service to customers.

Southwest Gas encourages homeowners and contractors to call 811 or go online using E-Stake at <http://www.arizona811.com> to request a utility line locate at least two full working days prior to digging.

# Sign up for Fall 2019 Watersmart Workshops



# PHOENIX WATERSMART WORKSHOPS

## FALL 2019

Join us for these free and informative workshops!



### DESERT LAWN CARE

Learn practical advice for maintaining a healthy, beautiful, and water-efficient lawn.

<b>SATURDAY SEPT 14</b>	2PM-3PM @ AGAVE LIBRARY	23550 N 36TH AVE
<b>SATURDAY SEPT 21</b>	1:30PM-2:30PM @ BURTON BARR	1221 N CENTRAL AVE
<b>SATURDAY OCT 5</b>	2PM-3PM @ SOUTH MOUNTAIN COM LIB	7050 S 24TH ST
<b>WEDNESDAY OCT 9</b>	6:30PM-7:30PM @ IRONWOOD LIBRARY	4333 E CHANDLER BLVD



### LANDSCAPE WATERING

Learn how to properly water your landscape to save time and increase the health and beauty of your plants.

<b>SATURDAY SEPT 14</b>	3PM-4PM @ AGAVE LIBRARY	23550 N 36TH AVE
<b>SATURDAY SEPT 28</b>	2PM-3PM @ ACACIA LIBRARY	750 E TOWNLEY AVE
<b>SATURDAY OCT 19</b>	2PM-3PM @ CHOLLA LIBRARY	10050 N METRO PKWY E
<b>SATURDAY NOV 2</b>	1PM-2PM @ CENTURY LIBRARY	1750 E HIGHLAND AVE



### WATER 101

Learn more about where your water comes from, how water gets to us, how we use water, where it goes to and how Phoenix is planning for the future.

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### FIND AND FIX LEAKS/ COMO ENCONTRAR Y ARREGLAR FUGAS

Learn how to find and fix leaks that are draining your budget.

<b>SATURDAY SEPT 7**</b>	1PM-2PM @ CESAR CHAVEZ LIBRARY**	3635 W BASELINE RD
<b>**THIS WORKSHOP WILL BE TAUGHT IN SPANISH/ ESTE TALLER SE VA DAR EN ESPAÑOL</b>		
<b>SATURDAY NOV 2</b>	2PM-3PM @ CENTURY LIBRARY	1750 E HIGHLAND AVE



### HYDRATE PHOENIX

Join us for this 5 week series workshop offered in partnership with Watershed Management Group to hydrate your neighborhood. Learn how to design an earth-friendly yard using simple earthworks and low-water-use plants. Each presentation includes a mini-project to create an action plan for your home. Check out your favorite topic, or attend the full series. Register at [Watershedmg.org/Hydrate](http://Watershedmg.org/Hydrate)

<b>WEDNESDAYS</b>	6PM-7:30PM @ BURTON BARR	1221 N CENTRAL AVE
<b>OCT 2,9,16,23,30</b>		

To register for a workshop, visit [phoenix.gov/water](http://phoenix.gov/water) or call (602) 261-8367. Walk-ins are accepted as long as space permits.



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## **District 3 Business Highlight**

We're highlighting businesses in Phoenix District 3! We want to feature what makes District 3 special. Have a business in mind that you think deserves the spotlight? Let us know by emailing [council.district.3@phoenix.gov](mailto:council.district.3@phoenix.gov).

