



**Public
Safety**



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Block Watch

Block Watch is a program of neighbors watching out for each other, designed to enlist the active participation of citizens in cooperation with the police to reduce crime and improve the quality of life in their neighborhoods. It means becoming acquainted with your neighbors and working together to identify and solve problems in your neighborhood, and helping police by being aware of and reporting any unusual activities as they occur. You know best what “normal” activity is in your neighborhood. It is the implementation of crime-prevention techniques to enhance home security, not apprehending someone. Leave that to the police. It is putting neighbors back into neighborhoods. Contact your area Phoenix Police Patrol Precinct for assistance to organize a Block Watch in your neighborhood.

Block Watch Advisory Board

The Block Watch Advisory Board is a nonprofit corporation founded to promote and assist development of Block Watch organizations. The primary partnership is with the city’s Police Department. The mission is to build partnerships between all types of people and groups despite their differences, assist and support groups working with at-risk youth, bridge the gap between residents and elected officials and many other activities that help improve the quality of life in neighborhoods.

BWAB meets at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month. For meeting locations or information, call 602-495-2419.

Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol

This program allows residents to become more actively involved as partners in crime prevention. Participants in the program are provided communication equipment to immediately report suspicious activity, descriptions and vehicle information to the Police Department. For information, call your local police precinct.

Crime Free Multi-Housing Program

The Phoenix Crime Free Multi-Housing Program is designed to help residents, owners and managers of rental property keep drugs and other illegal activity off their properties. The program utilizes a resident-friendly, three-part approach including a seminar, certification of property security requirements and a crime-prevention meeting. For information on seminar dates and locations, call the Police Department Program Training Coordinator at 602-495-6897.

Crime Prevention through Environmental Design (CPTED)

CPTED emphasizes the use of physical design features and land use characteristics to reduce or remove opportunities for criminal activity. Five principles are used as urban planning tools to develop strategies for improved public safety: territoriality, access control, surveillance, activity support and maintenance.

CPTED principles are beneficial to business operations, new developments and renovation of existing sites. Including CPTED principles at the beginning of the project can minimize additional construction costs. For information, call 602-495-2419.

Curfew

Juveniles less than 16 years of age

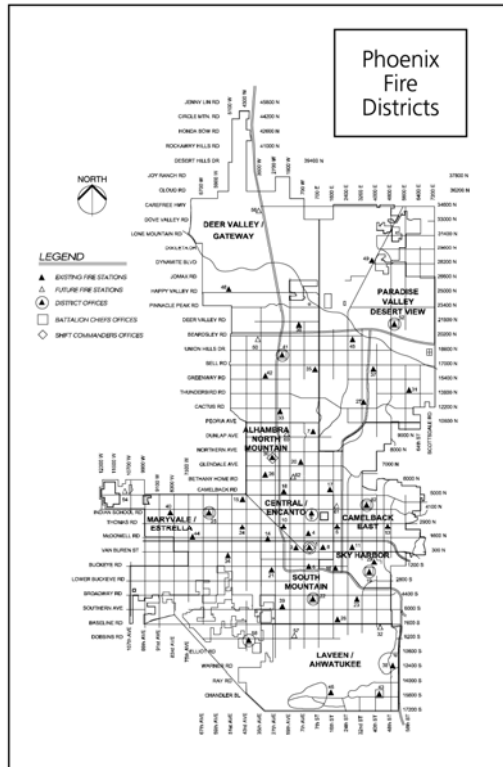
It is unlawful for any juvenile less than 16 years of age to be away from home between 10:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. unless accompanied by a parent or guardian, on an emergency errand or on a reasonable/legitimate/specific activity permitted by parent or guardian.

Juveniles more than 16 years of age

It is unlawful for any juvenile more than 16 years of age but less than 18 years of age to be away from home between 12:00 a.m. midnight and 5:00 a.m. unless emancipated, accompanied by a parent or guardian, on an emergency errand or on a reasonable/legitimate/specific activity permitted by parent or guardian.

Fire Department

Operations Center 150 S. 12th St. 85034 602-262-6297	Battalion 5 220 E. Roeser Road 85040 602-262-4523
South Shift Command 305 N. Fourth Ave. 85003 602-262-7339	Battalion 6 21650 N. Tatum Blvd. 85050 602-495-0864
Battalion 1 330 E. Fairmount Ave. 85012 602-534-6083	Battalion 7 4110 E. Chandler Blvd. 85044 602-534-1797
Battalion 2 3217 E. Glenrosa Ave. 85018 602-262-6370	Battalion 8 5019 N. 23rd Ave. 85015 602-262-7840
Battalion 3 4010 N. 63rd Ave. 85033 602-262-7589	Battalion 19 3547 E. Sky Harbor Blvd. 85034 602-262-7155
Battalion 4 2501 W. Morningside Drive 85023 602-261-8530	



**Administrative Offices
(Emergencies: Call 911)
Fire Department Cadet Program**

The purpose of the program is to provide cadets with hands-on emergency medical training, work experience at fire stations, training in firefighter skills and volunteerism for the community.

Cadets are required to volunteer a minimum of 24 hours per quarter for the department, done in a variety of areas such as teaching CPR, helping at a fire station open house, public education events or the Alternative Response Program.

The Cadet Program is a tremendous asset to the Phoenix Fire Department. More than \$250,000 of annual volunteer service is provided to the community. It also is a great way to gain knowledge about the Phoenix Fire Department, learn the basic skills of a firefighter and get support, encouragement and insight in pursuing a career in the fire service. For eligibility requirements or information, call 602-534-4488.

Fire Department Urban Survival Life Safety Programs

The Phoenix Fire Department offers training in urban survival to elementary schools, at community meetings and to other specific groups. The training programs include water safety, latch-key safety, gun safety, fire safety, reporting emergencies, Africanized honey bees, babysitting safety, bicycling safety, CPR training, pedestrian safety and pool safety. For information, call 602-262-6910.

Police Department Precinct Stations

South Mountain Precinct
400 W. Southern Ave. 85041
602-495-5004

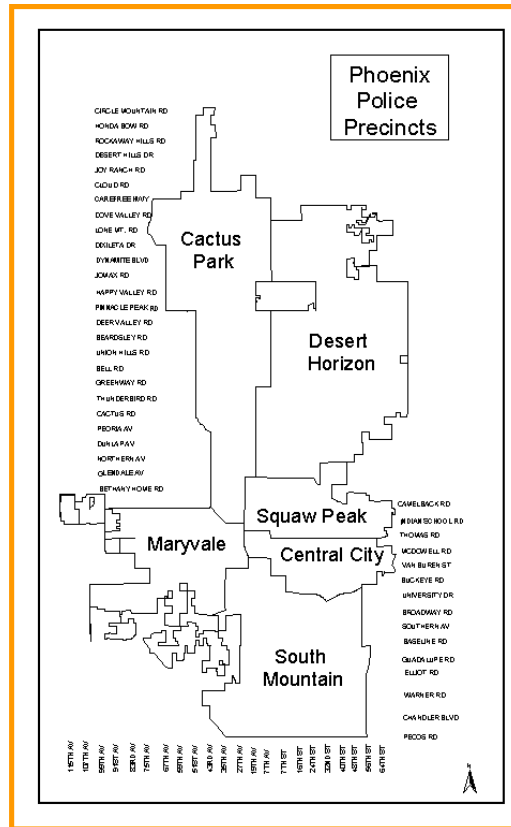
Central City Precinct
1902 S. 16th St. 85034
602-495-5005

Desert Horizon Precinct
16030 N. 56th St. 85254
602-495-5006

Squaw Peak Precinct
6206 N. 24th St. 85016
602-495-5007

Maryvale Precinct
6180 W. Encanto Boulevard
85033
602-495-5008

Cactus Park Precinct
12220 N. 39th Ave. 85029
602-495-5009



Police Officer Placement Solution (POPS)

POPS is a community-based policing concept to enhance quality of life, decrease crime and make neighborhoods safer by recruiting police officers to become residents in the neighborhoods. For information, call the Police Department Patrol Administration Unit at 602-262-7331.