



# Cactus District Weekly Update

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Cactus District News

## APS Presents \$431,795 Rebate Check To Glendale For Lighting Upgrades.

Thousands of new high-efficiency LED streetlights installed by the city are expected to save taxpayers an estimated \$674,000 annually through reduced electricity and maintenance costs. On Tuesday, the conversion paid off in another way. During a brief ceremony at City Hall, APS presented Mayor Jerry Weiers with a check for \$431,795, representing the rebates the city earned last year for its energy-efficient public lighting upgrades. Click [here](#) for full story.



## Glendale Arts Council's 55th Annual Fine Art Competition.

This annual exhibit, held in the Fruit Packing Shed at Historic Sahuaro Ranch, 9802 N. 59th Ave., is free to the public. All exhibited art is available for sale. The Artists' Awards Reception will be held on Jan. 28, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

### Exhibit Dates

Jan. 6 - 7: All Paintings Entered

Jan. 10 - 28: Juried Paintings Only

**Exhibit hours:** 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily

**INFO:** 602-237-4701

## Save the Date: Glendale High School Annual All Class Reunion.

March 3, 2018, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Glendale H.S.

Cafeteria. \$20/ person. Register online

at <http://www.ghsaar.mvevent.com/> or by mail at GUHS/GHS



**Upcoming Council Meetings**  
Tuesday, January 23, 2018  
(Agendas not posted)

**Council Workshop at 12:30 P.M.**  
**Council Voting Meeting at 5 p.m.**

**City Notifications**

**71 ST AVE. ROADWAY IMPROVEMENT  
PROJECT  
(W. MYRTLE AVE. TO W. ORANGEWOOD  
AVE.)**

**PUBLIC INFORMATION OPEN HOUSE**  
Monday, January 22, 2018 \* 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
Oasis Water Treatment Plant  
7070 W. Northern Ave., Glendale, AZ 85303

The city is hosting an open house public meeting to discuss plans for future improvements of drainage improvements and



**GLENDALE  
POLICE DEPARTMENT**

**SHRED EVENT**

*Sponsored by Cholla District Councilmember Lauren Tolmachoff  
& Sahuaro District Councilmember Ray Malnar*

**February 3, 2018  
8:00 – 11:00 AM**

Foothills Library Parking Lot  
19055 N. 57th Ave.  
Glendale, AZ 85308  
(57th Ave. just south of Utopia Rd)

**Six (6) Bankers Box Limit per Household**

*Due to demand, event may conclude early if trucks are full.*

**For further information contact:**  
Doreen Anderson, GPD  
Crime Prevention Specialist  
623-695-0440



**2018 Youth Spring Basketball  
League Registrations NOW  
OPEN!**

[Click Here to Register Online](#) or  
call 623-930-2820 to register by  
phone.

This league emphasizes physical fitness, equal participation and social and skill development. Games start on March 3rd and will be held on Saturdays, between 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. at the Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center, (5600 W. Union Hills Dr.) Players must sign up for the division of play in which they are eligible. **Fees: \$55 (resident), \$75 (non-resident). The fee includes a team shirt and up to 8 games.**

Division	Age (as of 3/3/18)	Code
Peewee	5-7 yr old coed	712133-01
Mini Mites	8-10 yr old boys	712133-02
Rookies	8-10 yr old girls	712133-03

Practices can begin the week of Feb. 12 if enough parents and volunteers show an interest in coaching. The practice location, day and time is determined by the volunteer coach. Most practices are any day, Monday through Thursday, 5:30 to 8:30pm and no more than twice a week. **If you are interested in coaching, please indicate it when you register your child.**

the existing pavement, the installation of new curb/gutter, sidewalk and roadway medians and the replacement/relocation of utilities. Construction is currently scheduled to begin in February 2018 and is anticipated to take approximately four months to complete.

For more information please contact the construction hotline at 602-235-2896 or visit [HERE](#).

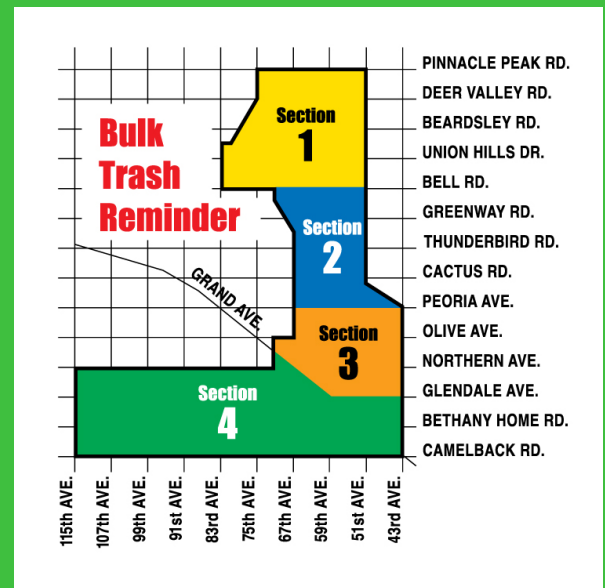
**Glendale University 101 Registration NOW OPEN!**

This 11 session program offers residents a close-up, behind-the-scenes look at the inner workings of Glendale City government. Participants will meet City leaders and learn how city departments operate firsthand. Classes begin February 7, 2018 and are typically held on Wednesdays, from 6-9 p.m. [Click HERE for information](#)  
[Click HERE to Register Online](#)

**Glendale Parks and Recreation asking for public input regarding a proposed flagpole at Thunderbird Conservation Park.**

Click [HERE](#) for more information  
Click [HERE](#) to complete the questionnaire

**2018 Bulk Trash schedule**



**For more information visit:**  
<https://www.glendaleaz.com/sanitation/>

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## [MVD Kiosk at Glendale City Court](#)

**Glendale Investigating Water Services Scam.** The Glendale Police Department and the Glendale Water Services Department are concerned about a recent scam being run in the city. Between November 12th and November 30th, at least three homes have been targeted by unknown subjects, posing as a Glendale Water Services Employee. As a reminder to all residents:

- Water is diligently checked from places outside homes. There is no need to check water from inside a home.
- Glendale Water Services staff wears city uniforms, including blue shirts and hats with city logos. They always carry identification cards which residents are welcome to ask to see.
- Glendale Water Services staff will always be driving a city vehicle with City of Glendale logos.
- Glendale Water Services staff responds to homeowners calls but NEVER initiates random checks.

## Cactus District Amenities

### Elsie McCarthy Sensory Garden

7637 N. 55th Ave.

Located south of Northern Avenue on 55th Avenue

The Elsie McCarthy Sensory Garden was developed to stimulate the senses of sight, sound, smell and touch. Through the use of specific plants and trees for texture and scent, water features for sound, touch and sight and evening lighting for dramatic visuals, this garden is one of Glendale's proudest locations. Watch a video on the park [here](#).



### Rose Lane Park

51st Avenue and Marlette Avenue

Open: 6 a.m. - 10 p.m.

This community park is 19 acres and features an aquatics center, open in the summer.

### Rose Lane Park includes:

Lighted ball field, Lighted basketball court, Two lighted volleyball courts

Four lighted racquetball courts, Playground, Picnic tables, Grills & Restrooms

### [Reservable ramadas](#)

### [Aquatic center](#)

### [Recreation center](#)

### Rose Lane Aquatics Center

5003 W. Marlette Ave.

(East of 51st Ave. & Nth of Bethany Home Rd.)

623-930-7905 (only answered seasonally)

623-930-2820 Mainline

This seasonal facility is only open to the public during the summer.



[View a Slide Show of the Rose Lane Aquatics Center here](#)

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