

SCOTTSDALE UPDATE

News for our residents and customers

June/July 2018



Summer survival: Scottsdale style

Summers don't have to be a bummer — check out these activities and programs that will help tame this mean season:

Keep your kids active and engaged at summer camp, June 4-July 27. Camps are for those in first through eighth grades. Kids will participate in sports, fitness competitions, science experiments, craft projects, arts, special events, excursions and more. Learn more at ScottsdaleAZ.gov, search “summer camp.”

Keep cool in our pools. Sign up for June swim lessons. Weekday sessions are available at all aquatic centers. Sessions begin June 4 and 18. You can also take a moonlight swim on select dates in June and July at our aquatic centers. Get more information at ScottsdaleAZ.gov, search “aquatics.”

Be part of the muddy tradition at this year's Mighty Mud Mania, June 9. Come sling mud at this year's Mighty Mud Mania from 7 a.m. to noon Saturday, June 9, at Chaparral Park, 5401 N. Hayden Road. This free event offers muddy obstacles for people of all ages and ability levels. Find more information at ScottsdaleAZ.gov, search “Mighty Mud Mania.”

Cool down or heat up at the Scottsdale Fahrenheit Festival, June 16. Three big events under one roof -- this festival features an arm wrestling contest, a Beat the Heat run and the Ale and Cocktail event. The fun takes place Saturday, June 16, at WestWorld. Get tickets at ScottsdaleFahrenheitFestival.com.

Be cool at the Scottsdale 4th of July Celebration at WestWorld. The fun takes place from 4 to 9:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 4. Enjoy indoor fun and food, then outdoor fireworks. Scottsdale resident, general admission and VIP tickets are available starting May 15 at Scottsdale4th.com.

Scottsdale EZ is here to assist you

Whether it's a broken streetlight, a fresh pothole or a missing trash can, a new online service is making it easier for residents to report problems with city facilities or services.

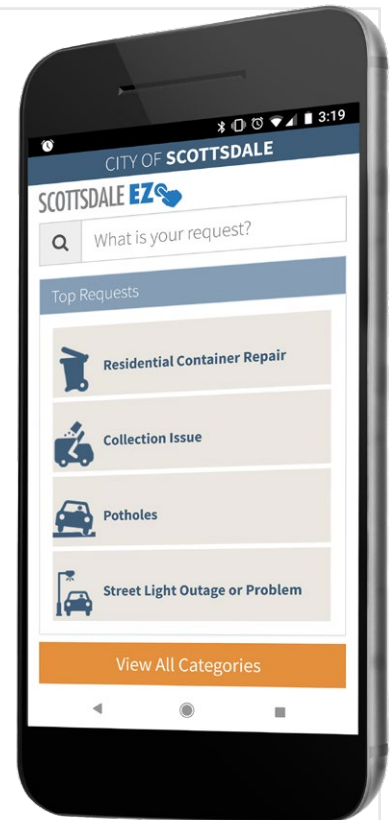
Scottsdale EZ is a single, mobile-optimized system that lets you quickly report issues and provides the city with a consolidated tracking and reporting system.

Using Scottsdale EZ is just that -- easy!

- Visit ScottsdaleAZ.gov/EZ on your desktop or mobile device, or search online for “Scottsdale EZ” to find the application link
- Enter the request or issue in the search bar, select a “Top Request” or browse by category
- Choose an address related to the request, or use your device's GPS to pinpoint the location of the issue
- Provide details and submit a photo, if applicable
- Review your information and submit it
- City staff will get back to you to confirm they've received your request

The more accurate information you provide when submitting a request, the more quickly it can be assigned to staff and resolved.

Next time you notice something the city needs to take a look at or fix, don't hesitate -- Scottsdale EZ makes it simple to report those issues and get them resolved.

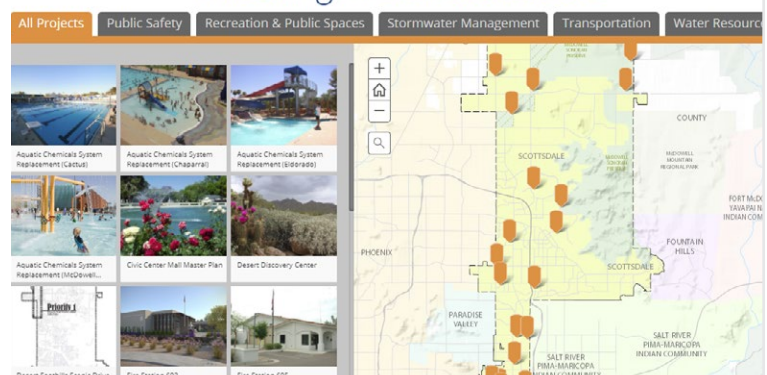


New map shows city construction projects

Residents can use a new interactive map to find city construction projects near them and learn about Scottsdale's plans for building and improving infrastructure like roads, parks, fire stations and water facilities. The “Investing in Our Scottsdale” map allows users to browse or search by address and pinpoints transportation, recreation, public safety, stormwater and water projects. It includes project summaries and links to detailed pages with additional information about the infrastructure being built in Scottsdale.

Find the map at ScottsdaleAZ.gov, search “construction.”

Investing in Our Scottsdale



Summer months are peak season for bulk trash collection

June and July are big months for throwing out bulk trash, especially since it's palm tree trimming season. To help the city remove bulk trash effectively, please separate any green organics, like tree and bush branches, from your other bulk trash pile.

Loose grass, leaves, weeds, twigs and hedge clippings must be bagged or boxed and securely tied to be collected. Place your brush and bulk items in separate piles three feet apart. Please remember to set out items for collection no more than nine days prior to the start of your collection week. Schedule your trimmings and cleanup projects to coincide with the brush removal schedule so we can remove your material from the curb or alley in a timely manner.

Get the most out of your brush and bulk collection service; put out the right stuff, at the right time in the right way. Visit ScottsdaleAZ.gov and search "bulk trash" for complete collection guidelines and schedule.

BRUSH & BULK COLLECTION GUIDE

Place your items in separate piles 3 feet apart

BRUSH

Yard waste, branches, clippings, etc.



We'll compost it for future re-use

BULK

Furniture, mattresses and other large items



We'll take it to the landfill for disposal

Find your pickup schedule and program guidelines at ScottsdaleAZ.gov, search "bulk trash"

Scottsdale election update



Scottsdale voters go to the polls this year to make important decisions about our community. Below is a quick overview of key dates and ballot questions. To get the latest information on Scottsdale elections, go to ScottsdaleAZ.gov and search "elections."

City Council nomination petitions – Three City Council seats are open in the 2018 election. Candidates have until May 30 to file their petitions to appear on the City Council election ballot. If no more than two candidates file nomination petitions for each vacancy in office, the Primary Election may be dispensed with as to that office.

Primary and General (candidate) elections – Based on the number of candidates who qualify for the ballot, Scottsdale may hold a Primary Election on Tuesday Aug. 28. Candidates must receive a majority of the legal votes cast to be elected outright at the primary. If not, the top two vote-getters for every open seat will advance to the Nov. 6 General Election.

Possible Special Election – The City Council is considering several options to fund capital improvement projects throughout Scottsdale. Some of those options include a special election on Nov. 6. As of the deadline for this newsletter, no decisions had been made. To get the latest information on a potential Special Election, go to ScottsdaleAZ.gov and search "elections."

Voter Registration – Only qualified Scottsdale registered voters may vote in a Scottsdale Election. To have your voice heard, be sure to register to vote by Monday, July 30, for the Primary Election. The deadline for registering to vote in the General Election is Tuesday, Oct. 9.

Find Scottsdale election information and helpful links at ScottsdaleAZ.gov, search "elections"



Tune in to your local government. Scottsdale Video Network is the city's municipal television station available on Cox cable channel 11/1011 or streaming online. Find our online program guide, view the latest videos and shows and watch the live stream at ScottsdaleAZ.gov, search "SVN." Subscribe to SVN on YouTube at [YouTube.com/user/ScottsdaleAZgov](https://www.youtube.com/user/ScottsdaleAZgov).

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General city information:

480-312-3111 or email questions@ScottsdaleAZ.gov

THINGS TO DO

For details, search terms **in bold** at ScottsdaleAZ.gov:

- **Green building** lecture, energy-saving heat pumps, June 7
- Learn about "Plant Care in the Desert," the latest in our series of water conservation **workshops**, June 14
- McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park **Concert Series**, Sundays through July 1



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