



City Council Weekly Information Packet

Friday, November 13, 2020

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

November 13, 2020 thru December 14, 2020

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.

DAY	DATE	TIME	EVENT
Sat	Nov 14	6:00-9:00 p.m.	Hudson Park Arts in the Parks Lightfield Location: 1430 S. Cedar St Tempe, AZ
Mon	Nov 16	6:30-5:30 p.m.	Corona del Sol Estates Neighborhood Association Virtual Meeting zoom.us/join Meeting id: 936 5831 4055 Password: Corona Or dial-in: 669-900-6833, press # and enter Meeting ID Password: 480233
Tue	Nov 17	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Tempe Community Center Complex Virtual Public Meeting tempe.webex.com Event number: 146 402 1856 Event password: Tempe Audio conference: To receive a call back, provide your phone number when you join the event, or call the number below and enter the access code. U.S. Toll +1-408-418-9388 Access code: 146 402 1856
Thu	Nov 26	7:00-8:00 p.m.	Facebook Live Downtown Tempe Holiday Special Centerpoint Plaza in Downtown Tempe 730 S Mill Ave, Tempe, AZ This live-streamed event invites viewers to tune into Facebook and Instagram Live on Thanksgiving night at 7:00 p.m. to enjoy. https://www.facebook.com/events/1560312710825680/
Mon	Dec 14	1:00-1:30 p.m.	Ribbon Cutting for United Dairymen of Arizona Join us in a virtual celebration as we celebrate United Dairymen of Arizona's 60th Anniversary! We invite our members and Ambassadors to attend this unique, online event! During this event, attendees will have the opportunity to hear from United Dairymen of Arizona and introduce themselves through a 30-second commercial. Please register here: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register

MEMORANDUM



TO: Mayor and City Council
THROUGH: Andrew Ching, City Manager
FROM: Marge Zylla, Government Relations Officer
DATE: November 13, 2020
SUBJECT: State and Federal Update & Grant Opportunities

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

- National League of Cities, Virtual City Summit
- Arizona Elections Data
- State Expenditures of COVID Relief
- Governor Executive Orders
- DLLC Guidance, Series 12 License Holders

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.

National League of Cities, Virtual City Summit

Next week is the City Summit of the National League of Cities (NLC). The City Summit is NLC's conference for local leaders to convene and collaborate on solutions to the common challenges facing America's cities. Members of Tempe City Council serve on different advocacy committees, councils and boards and participate in task forces and affiliate groups. The program is available at [this link](#).

Arizona Elections Data

The results for the State Legislative races for the districts that overlap the boundaries of the City of Tempe have not changed from last week's memo. A link to a map with precinct-specific elections information is available [here](#). The information was put together by ABC 15 and allows viewers to search for specific races and ballot measures (using the drop down menu in the header) to see precinct-level details of voting proportions.

State Expenditures of COVID Relief

The Governor's Office announced additional allocations from the CARES Act funding received by the state for COVID-19 related expenditures: \$19 million from the Governor's Emergency Education Relief (GEER) Fund to support education-related efforts including teacher development, teacher stipends, reading and math curriculum, and summer education resources. Press release at [this link](#).

Governor Executive Orders

The Governor has issued a number of Executive Orders in the past months. They can be found at [this link](#). The most recently issued Executive Orders:

- Enhanced Surveillance Advisory – Tracking the Spread of COVID-19, 11/13/20
- Continuation of the Agricultural Water Conservation Best Management Practices Advisory Committee, 11/6/20

DLLC Guidance, Series 12 License Holders

Based on a court decision in the Maricopa County Superior Court, the Department of Liquor Licenses and Control (DLLC) has issued updated guidance regarding Series 12 liquor license holders. That updated guidance can be found at [this link](#). The court decision is available at [this link](#).

COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATE

November 13, 2020

Thanksgiving To-Go

Thanksgiving is a time for family and friends to gather, celebrate, give thanks, and to enjoy a wonderful meal. This year, Thanksgiving celebrations within Tempe's community centers will be different. Unfortunately, as a result of COVID-19, centers are unable to provide their annual in-person events. Instead, Thanksgiving meals will be prepped to-go.

Cahill Senior Center Meals

In partnership with Rosita's Fine Mexican Food, the Cahill Senior Center will provide a drive-through Thanksgiving meal service from noon to 1:30 p.m. on November 20. City staff and community volunteers will provide car-side delivery service; participants must register in advance to receive a meal. After receiving their meal, participants will be treated to entertainment provided through a virtual platform in the comfort and safety of their home.



500 turkeys have been purchased to meet TCAA and the City's goal of serving 500 families this Thanksgiving season.



TCAA Turkey Drive at Escalante

Through the efforts of Tempe Community Action Agency (TCAA) and staff members at Escalante Community Center, families will be able to receive all of the necessities to make their own Thanksgiving dinner. During the past several weeks, TCAA held a turkey fund drive; in total, 500 turkeys have been purchased to be included as part of a holiday meal box distributed to clients of TCAA.

Clients may pre-register for meal box distribution with TCAA; for more information, visit tempeaction.org.

Drive-through, to-go distribution of meal boxes will occur on the following dates and times:

- **November 19**, 8 a.m. to noon and 4 to 7 p.m.;
- **November 20**, 8 a.m. to noon;
- **November 21**, 8 a.m. to noon.