



Bulletin from Mayor Elaine Scruggs

It is vital that we use all of the exciting events and development taking place in western Glendale to promote the other important areas of our city.

When your councilmembers and I approved this year's budget, we created a pilot project for the **Glendale Express**, a free shuttle service that will transport residents and visitors between historic downtown Glendale and the sports and entertainment district, including Westgate City Center, Zanjero District, hotels and shops. The pilot project will run from December to May and will be used to gauge interest for the service and examine the possibility of establishing a long term shuttle.

The **Glendale Express** will run six days a week, Monday through Saturday from 10AM to 6 PM. The hours will be extended during the week of January 26 through February 2, when it will run from 10 AM to 10 PM. The entire loop will take 45 minutes. The shuttle will hold up to sixteen passengers and it is accessible for travelers with disabilities. The **Glendale Express** will make stops at these nine locations:

- Glendale City Hall (58th Drive & Glenn Drive)
- Murphy Park (58th Avenue & Glenn Drive)
- Glendale Avenue/Public Safety Complex (57th Avenue & Glendale Avenue)
- Cerreta Candy Company (5345 W Glendale Avenue)
- Glendale Civic Center/Bead Museum (57th Drive & Glenn Drive)
- Palmaire Parking Structure (58th Drive & Palmaire Ave)
- Cabela's (9380 W Glendale Avenue)
- Zanjero District/Marriott Hotels (91st Avenue & Zanjero Blvd)
- Westgate City Center (9495 W Coyotes Blvd)

The shuttle will provide Glendale citizens and visitors a great way of getting around Glendale and will also be an advantage for businesses in attracting new customers. We are also using the opportunity to promote our city by providing Glendale brochures to the riders and by featuring a brand new "This is Glendale" program to all of the people onboard the shuttle.

For more information, visit www.visitglendale.com or contact the Glendale visitor center at 623-930-4500.

Thank you taking the time to read my "Glendale Bulletins". Please contact me at (623) 930-2260 or mayorscruggs@glendaleaz.com, if you have any comments or questions. I strive to provide the most timely information and best possible service to you, the citizens of Glendale. I sincerely appreciate your feedback.

