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HOLIDAY NOTICE: VETERANS DAY & THANKSGIVING

Updates regarding November office hours and schedule changes

Glendale, Ariz. – The city of Glendale offices will be closed Friday, November 11 in observance of Veterans Day as well as Thursday, November 24 and Friday, November 25 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.

Veterans Day

All residential garbage, recycling and bulk trash collection services will take place on all regularly scheduled collection days throughout the holiday week. The Glendale Municipal Landfill and the Solid Waste customer service office will be closed Friday, November 11. Visit www.glendaleaz.com or call 623-930-2660 for more information.

The Foothills Recreation and Aquatics Center, the Glendale Adult Center and the Glendale Community Center, will all be closed on Veterans Day. For more information on parks and recreation services and programs, visit www.glendaleaz.com/parksandrec.

Valley Metro local bus routes and light rail will operate on normal weekday schedules during the Veterans Day holiday. However, there will be no Express or Rapid service. GUS Bus 1 will also operate on a normal weekday schedule for the holiday, running from 7 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. GUS 2 and 3 will not be running on Veterans Day. For Dial-a-Ride service, reservations must be made in advance by noon Thursday, November 10. Reservations can be made by calling Glendale's Transit Services at 623-930-3500. ADA service will be available on the holiday and will be based on a weekday fixed route schedule. No same-day service will be available on Veterans Day. ADA reservations can be made by calling Glendale's Transit ADA Services at 623-930-3515.

The Glendale Municipal Airport will remain open on Veterans Day, but the airport administrative offices will be closed.

All Glendale libraries will be closed Friday, November 11. Visit Glendale offices and the Visitor Center will also be closed on Veterans Day. For tourism information, visit www.VisitGlendale.com.

For additional information about the city of Glendale's programs and services, visit www.glendaleaz.com.

Thanksgiving

Along with bulk trash services, residential garbage and recycling collections will take place on regularly scheduled pickup days. However, pickups regularly scheduled for Thursday, November 24, will be shifted one day to Friday, November 25 and regular Friday, November 25 collections will be

shifted to Saturday, November 26. During the week of Thanksgiving, bulk trash services will begin Monday in section 3 and work until the section is completed. Bulk trash services will observe the Thanksgiving holiday and will operate Friday, November 25, pending section 3's completion. The Glendale Municipal Landfill will be closed on Thanksgiving Day but will be open Friday, November 25. For more information about the city's Solid Waste Management services, visit www.glendaleaz.com/trash_recycling or call 623-930-2660.

Valley Metro buses, light rail and GUS Bus 1 will run on a Sunday/Holiday schedule Thursday, November 24 and on a regular weekday schedule Friday, November 25 (no Express or Rapid services). GUS 2 and 3 will not run on Thanksgiving or the day after, November 25. Reservations for the Dial-A-Ride service over the Thanksgiving weekend (Thursday, November 24 through Sunday, November 27) must be made by noon Wednesday, November 23. Reservations can be made by calling Glendale's Transit Services at 623-930-3500. There will be no Dial-a-Ride same-day service on November 24 or 25. ADA service will be available on November 24 and 25 based on the Valley Metro service schedule.

The Glendale Municipal Airport will remain open during the Thanksgiving holiday but the airport administrative offices will be closed on Thursday, November 24 and on Friday, November 25. The airport terminal will be open during normal business hours on both days. The private terminal businesses will be closed during the extended holiday weekend. Both the lobby and restrooms will be available as a convenience to the flying public and visitors.

Visit Glendale administrative offices and Visitor Center will be closed in observance of Thanksgiving on Thursday and Friday, November 24 and 25. Business hours will resume Monday, November 28. For tourism information, please visit www.VisitGlendale.com.

Glendale's Foothills Recreation and Aquatics Center, the Glendale Adult Center and the Glendale Community Center will be closed on November 24 and 25 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. For more information about the Foothills Recreation and Aquatics Center, call 623-930-4600 or visit www.glendaleaz.com/foothillsrec.

Additionally, Glendale's public libraries will also be closed on Thanksgiving, November 24 and the day after, Friday, November 25.

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