

CAREFREE PRIMARY ELECTION RESULTS

As required by law, on Monday, August 22nd, the Town Council held a special meeting to review the Canvass of the vote from the August 2nd, 2022 Primary Election.

The Town Council approved Resolution 2022-15 accepting the 2022 Primary Election results as follows:

Mayor:

John Crane (4-year term)

Councilmembers:

- Sheila Amoroso (4-year term)
- Cheryl Kroyer (4-year term)
- Tony Geiger (4-year term)
- Michael Johnson (2-year term)
- Vince D'Aliesio (2-year term)
- Stephen Hatcher (2-year term)

Propositions 472 and 473 did not receive the required votes to pass.

Proposition 474 did receive the required votes to pass, enacting staggered terms for the Town Council. To begin the staggered terms, the three lowest vote getters receive an initial 2-year term while the four highest vote getters receive a 4-year term. After this initial term, all terms will be four years and will be staggered with a term limit of two terms.

The new council will be officially sworn in on Tuesday, December 6th, at the Town Council meeting.

ARIZONA'S GENERAL ELECTION IS NOV. 8, 2022

Check your voter registration status, register to vote, and find accurate election information at [Arizona.Vote](https://www.arizona.vote) throughout the 2022 election cycle.

Important dates to remember.

October 11, 2022 - Deadline to register to vote in the 11/08/22 State General Election

October 12, 2022 - Early voting begins for the 11/08/22 State General Election

October 28, 2022 - Deadline to request Ballot-by-Mail to vote in the 11/08/22 State General Election

October 28, 2022 - 9 a.m. Polling location opens at 33 Easy Street for in-person voting.

November 8, 2022 - State General Election

Check your voter registration status or register to vote at my.arizona.vote.

Request a ballot by mail or sign up for the Active Early Voter List at <https://azsos.gov/node/1172>

To see the full elections calendar and upcoming events, <https://azsos.gov/node/375>



THIRD THURSDAYS TO FEATURE LOCAL YOUTH TALENT AT CAREFREE ART NIGHT

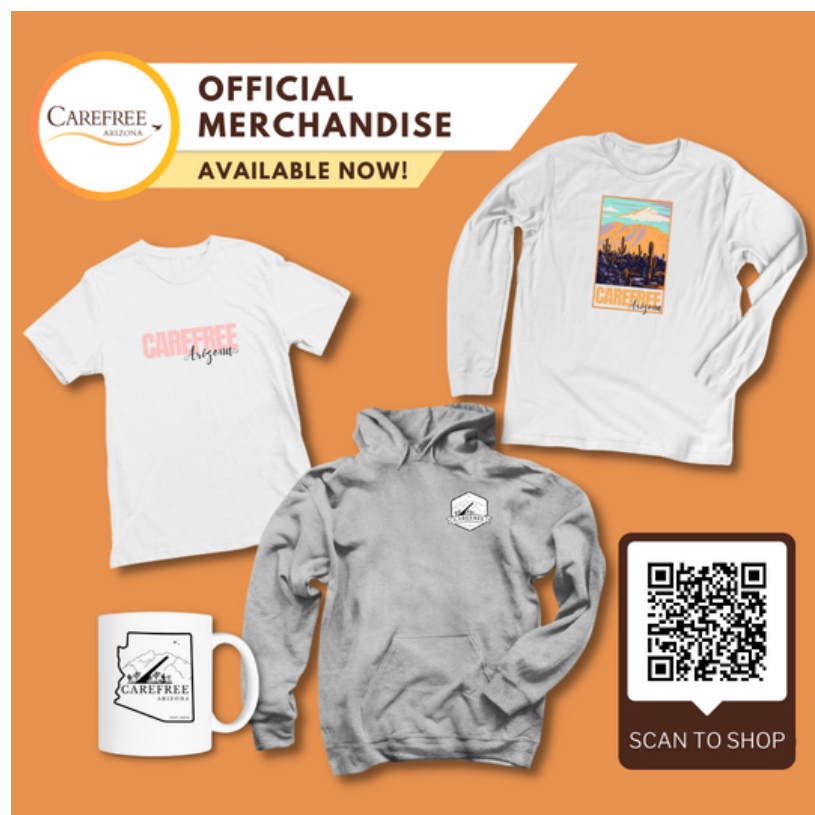
The Town of Carefree is proud to partner with the **Cave Creek Unified School District** and **Jubilate Conservatory of Music** to bring rising music stars to the Sanderson Lincoln Pavilion. Listen to a variety of musical acts featuring choir groups, violinists, guitar players, instrumental music, and more!

Third Thursdays in downtown Carefree invites visitors to stroll, shop, dine and enjoy an evening celebrating the arts. Enjoy a diverse display of artistic styles and mediums, meet the artists, enjoy refreshments and engage in conversation about art and architecture.

Join us for the third Thursday of the month, from 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM.



CAREFREE OFFICIAL MERCHANDISE - NOW AVAILABLE!



The Town is excited to launch its first online shop! Choose from a variety of designs and products. Items ship direct to you!

Scan the QR code at left or visit:
<https://www.bonfire.com/store/town-of-carefree/>

CAREFREE WATER COMPANY WELCOMES OCOTILLO RIDGE COMMUNITY TO SERVICE AREA



The Carefree Water Company welcomes Ocotillo Ridge residents to the Carefree Water Company service. On Thursday, August 11, 2022, the Carefree Water Company welcomed 21 new customers within the Ocotillo Ridge subdivision. This is the largest area to date that has transitioned over to Carefree Water as part of the Carefree Water Consolidation Project (WCP). This marks another milestone for the project which will bring all water customers within Carefree under one water umbrella.

The Water Company and Town of Carefree would like to thank the entire community for their support of the project and their patience as we've worked through this large construction effort. The goal is to have most, if not all, of the 535 Carefree accounts (over 1,000 residents) who are currently served water by Cave Creek transitioned over by the end of 2022.



H.O.A. President, Dick Hartig, cautions Vice Mayor Crane not to touch too many buttons at the Ocotillo Ridge Booster Pump Station #2



PUBLIC SAFETY RESOURCES:

Maricopa County Sherriff's Office (MCSO)

Non-Emergency
602-876-8477

Rural Metro

Non-Emergency & Snake Removal
480-945-6311

WELCOME TO TOWN!

Say hello to our new business neighbors:



Bookkeeping Kept Simple

7202 E Carefree Dr Ste 1C
(650) 400-0142



Zuva Gallery - opening soon!

42 Easy St
(310) 433-4465

View the full Carefree Business Directory:
<https://viewer.mapme.com/visitcarefree>

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Town is gearing up for the upcoming Fall/Winter season and we need YOUR help!

The Town of Carefree is in need of volunteers to assist travelers in the Visitor Center and to help support Town-sponsored events such as concerts, community celebrations, and more.

Make an impact in our community by sharing your knowledge and excitement for all things Carefree with our visitors.

To learn more and sign up, please contact:
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(480) 433-1973



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Labor Day

Sep 5 | Town Hall Closed

UCFD/Carefree Water Co. Meeting

Sep 8 | 3:30 PM | Council Chambers 33 Easy St.

Joint Work Session:

Planning & Zoning/Town Council

Re: Signage Plan/Sign Designs

Sep 8 | 4:00 PM | Council Chambers 33 Easy St.

Town Council Meeting

Sep 8 | 5:00 PM | Council Chambers 33 Easy St.

Planning & Zoning Meeting

Sep 12 | 5:00 PM | Council Chambers 33 Easy St.

Jubilate Conservatory of Music Performance

Sep 15 | 6:00-7:00 PM | Sanderson Lincoln Pavilion

Friday Farmers Market

Weekly | 8:00-11:00 AM | Town Center



UPDATE

All official Town Council and Commission meetings are scheduled to be held in-person within Council Chambers, located at 33 Easy St.

The Town is currently in the process of upgrading its audio/visual equipment. Audio recordings of official meetings will be posted to our website for public record until the new equipment is available for video recording.

Thank you for your patience as we work to improve our systems.