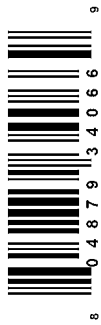


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Superior Police Report

According to state law, police may arrest suspected offenders by two methods. The suspect may be physically taken into the department and booked into jail, or the arresting officer may write a citation and release the suspect to appear in court later. All suspects are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. Only criminal citations are listed. All damage amounts are estimates.

Items are given to The Superior Sun by the Superior Police Department and reflect information available at the time the report is compiled.

Activity listed from Nov. 18-24.

Nov. 18

Krystal R. Dominguez, 31, Superior, was arrested and charged with interfering with judicial proceedings. She was cited and released.

Manuel Dominguez, 35, Superior, was arrested and charged with interfering with judicial proceedings. He was cited and released.

Nov. 19

Jessica A. Sommer, 34, Superior, was arrested in the 100 block of Kellner Ave. and was charged with hindering prosecution and possession of drug paraphernalia. She was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail in Florence.

Donald L. Salas, 49, Superior, was arrested in the 100

block of Kellner Ave. on an Arizona Department of Corrections parole violation warrant. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

Ygnacio R. Silvas, 33, Superior, was arrested in the area of Mitchell Dr. and Sunset Dr. and was charged with aggravated assault on a peace officer and resisting arrest. He was also arrested on three Pinal County Sheriff's warrants for failure to appear. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

Nov. 21

Theft was reported in the 700 block of Sonora St. Alfredo Arvayo, 20, Superior, was arrested in the 700 block of Valentine St. and was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia. He was also arrested on a Pinal County Sheriff's warrant for failure to appear. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

Nov. 23

Antoinette Brown, 30, Phoenix, was arrested at milepost 228 on U.S. Hwy. 60 and was charged with driving on a suspended license. She was cited and released.

Theft was reported in the 500 block of U.S. Hwy. 60.

Nov. 24

Theft was reported in the 1100 block of U.S. Hwy. 60. Criminal damage was reported in the area of Main St. and Magma Ave.

Calls not listed include traffic stop (7), disturbance (3), agency assist (4), alarm drop (6), animal complaint (6), welfare check (4), information (7), citizen assist (3), threatening/harassment (2) and suspicious activity (5).

Superior Police want to remind drivers to obey all the speed limits in the construction zone on U.S. Hwy. 60. ADOT is paying the Superior Police to do extra patrol in the construction zones to enforce speed limits during working hours. Fines are double in the construction zone while workers are present.

The Superior Police and Fire Departments have contracted all dispatch services to the Pinal County Sheriff (POLICE) and Florence PD (FIRE). As a result of these changes, you need to know some new phone numbers.

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- Police Department Business 520-689-5255

Pinal County Sheriff's Report

The Pinal County Sheriff's Report is taken from the daily logs, based on the information provided by deputies. All persons arrested are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Nov. 21

Dominique Reann Gilmore, 24, Globe, was arrested at milepost 217 on U.S. Hwy. 60, Queen Valley, and was charged with driving on a suspended license. She was cited and released.

Sylvia Y. Sanders, 26, Oracle, was arrested in the area of E. Main St., San Manuel, and was charged with shoplifting. She was cited and released.

Theft was reported in the 200 block of S. Avenue A, San Manuel.

Theft was reported in the area of S. Veterans Memorial Blvd. and S. Peppersauce Mine Rd., San Manuel.

Nov. 22

Jimmy Macias Jr., 40, Oracle, was arrested in the 600 block of W. Walnut St., Oracle, and was charged with aggravated assault and disorderly conduct. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail in Florence.

Fire was reported in the area of S. Ladera Pl. and E. Avenue G, San Manuel.

Nov. 23

Cody Dwane Dykes, 29, Oracle, was arrested in the area of American Ave., Oracle, on a warrant for violation of a promise to appear. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

A sex offender registration violation was reported in the 300 block of W. Kirk Dr., Queen Valley.

Violation of a court order was reported in the 200 block of S. McNab Pkwy., San Manuel.

Nov. 25

Fire was reported in the area of N. Queen Valley Rd. and E. Hewitt Station Rd., Queen Valley.

An accident without injuries was reported in the 900 block of W. Fifth Ave., San Manuel.

Criminal damage was reported in the 900 block of W. First Ave., San Manuel.

Nov. 26

Theft was reported in the 62000 block of E. Sandlewood Rd., SaddleBrooke.

Nov. 27

Rita Kay Claveran, 78, Oracle, was arrested in the 1300 block of White Oak Pl., Oracle, on warrants for non compliance (2) and failure to comply with court order (1). She was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

Theft was reported in the 60000 block of E. Rock Ledge Loop, SaddleBrooke.

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Andrew Lye named Project Manager at Resolution Copper as concern nears construction stage

By James J. Hodl
Copper Area News

Andrew Lye was named Project Manager of Resolution Copper Co., company executives announced on November 21. Lye succeeds Andrew Taplin, who is moving to a new position with Rio Tinto PLC, the British-Australian mining company that owns a 55% interest in Resolution Copper.

In assuming the new position, Lye brings more than two decades of mining experience with Rio Tinto and its subsidiaries to the job. These include leading the La Granja copper project in Peru. He also had led operational, support and technical teams for Rio Tinto projects in Madagascar and Australia.

Lye also has experience in conducting studies, project development, commissioning and operations of block cave mines integral to future success at Resolution Copper. He arrived in Arizona last February where he assumed duties with Resolution Copper as General Manager of Studies.

“Andrew Lye brings to his new role a breadth

of experience and a long record of partnering closely with the community to deliver mutual benefits,” said Nigel Steward, a Rio Tinto executive. “We have every confidence that he will provide the leadership and expertise as Resolution Copper moves from the permitting to construction phase, onward to a world class operating mine.”

Concurrent with Lye’s appointment were the announcement of management changes at half-parent Rio Tinto, which is reacting to the revelation of a bribery scandal involving a company executive working on the Simandou iron ore project in the African nation of Guinea. These revelations are not expected to have any effect on the operation of Resolution Copper, which is on schedule to begin mining copper near Superior using new technologies in 2020, a Resolution spokesman told the *Superior Sun*.

The scandal became known in early November when emails that were made public indicated that Alan Davies, head of Rio Tinto’s Energy and Mineral Division, had made payments totaling \$10.5 million

for “advisory services” on the project. This was compounded by the company’s Legal and Regulatory Affairs Executive Debra Valentine allegedly knowing of the existence of the emails for more than a year before the revelation and not doing anything about them.

Rio Tinto reacted swiftly and terminated the employment of both Davies and Valentine. Bold Baatar was named to replace Davies as Energy and Minerals Chief Executive. Chief Financial Officer Chris Lynch assumes management of the Legal and Regulatory Affairs function until a permanent replacement can be named.

While early investigations have found no evidence that top Rio Tinto executives knew of the \$10.5 million payments, which are believed to have ended up with corrupt Guinean government officials, the

company still faces additional probes by the U.S. Securities and Exchanges Commission, Great Britain’s Serious Fraud Office and the Australian Federal Police. The mining concern could ultimately face fines from all three government agencies.

Rio Tinto is no longer involved in the Simandou iron ore project, which was cancelled earlier this year by Rio Tinto CEO Jean-Sebastien Jacques and its assets sold off.

Rio Tinto is the second-largest mining company in the world. It shares ownership of Resolution Copper with 45% owner BHP Billiton PLC, a global mining business based in Melbourne, Australia.



OBITUARY

Gene A. Benskin

Gene A. Benskin, 82, passed away Nov. 24, 2016.

Gene was born Feb. 3, 1934 in Jedsonia, Arkansas. When he was about six, his parents, Marion & Martina Benskin moved him and his five sisters to Arizona. Most of his childhood was spent on the family farm in York Valley, Arizona. Gene has always been an animal lover and had a variety of strange and interesting pets, including a monkey and a chipmunk among others. He loved to share stories about his animals, how he came to have them and the adventures they had.

Gene was in both the Army and the Marines. He proudly fought in the Korean War. He liked to share stories about when Marilyn Monroe came to entertain the troops.

He was an avid outdoors man who loved to fish, hunt, and camp. He enjoyed sharing these activities with his family. He spent many fishing trips with his Mom and sisters. He also taught his kids and grandkids to love and appreciate the outdoors.

Gene was known for his easy going ways and the twinkle in his eye. He was fun to spend time with and always had a story to make us laugh. The ladies were always drawn to him and his carefree ways. He was married to Flora Jean for 35 years before she preceded him in death. Together they raised three children, Cindee, Bud, and Dee in Superior.

He later married Carole Reams and they were married for 9 years before she preceded him in death. They enjoyed many adventures together.

The majority of Gene’s life was spent working underground in the copper mines of Arizona. He enjoyed the hard work and retired from Magma Copper in 1994.

More than anything Gene loved his family, he never missed sending a birthday card to anyone from his kids down to the great great grand kids and their families. It was something we could always count on.

Gene is survived by his son, Alvie (Bud) Benskin and his wife Sheryl, Dolores (Dee) Porter and her husband Mark; grandchildren, Shelly (Allen), Robert (Kim), Russell (Stephanie), Corey (Cheryl), Cody, Miranda, Alex, and Matthew; great-grandchildren, Emilee, Robert, Breanne, Logan, Chloe, Olivia, and Elliott; great-great-grandchildren, Emoree, Zoe, Bardock and Penny.

He was greatly loved and will be deeply missed!

Services are Saturday, Dec. 3, 2016 at the Magma Club in Superior, Arizona. Visitation will be at noon and the Funeral Service at 1 p.m., with interment to follow at Fairview Cemetery in Superior, Arizona.



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Once you have completed your walk at the Boyce Thompson Arboretum, head back into town for the Daystar Studios annual holiday boutique. Many local crafters and artisans will be selling their wares and collectibles during the event. The boutique will also be open on Sunday. Day Star studios is located in the home of Marilee Lasch on the corner of Magma Ave. and Porphyry Ave.

The 13th annual Superior Optimist Club Miracle on Main St. holiday event will start at 3 p.m. Bouncy castles, train rides and photos by April Marie Lira Photography will begin from 3 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. April Marie Lira Photography will be taking holiday photos inside the



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The parade will line up at 5:30 p.m. at the John F.

Kennedy school parking lot. The club is still accepting parade entries; you may register your parade entry by calling JoAnn Besich at 520-827-0676. The parade will leave the JFK parking lot at 6:30 p.m. and will start on Main St. by 7 p.m. The Superior Chamber of Commerce

will be giving away Free Hot Chocolate and there will be a s'mores station starting at 6:30 p.m. All of the events and activities are free including the photos. Santa will be arriving at the Besich Park following the parade. Food booths and raffle booths will also open at 3 p.m.



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In Your Biz

Cobre Valley Institute of Technology

If you have a high school student in your family, you have probably realized many of the programs and educational tracks that you may have experienced as a student have probably changed. Gone are the days of Home Economics, Typing, Woodshop, and Auto. These basic courses have morphed into career track classes as government continues to push for College and Career Ready high school graduates. Students at Superior High School have the option to pursue advanced career preparation programs through the Cobre Valley Institute of Technology (CVIT).

CVIT provides funding for school based Career Technical Education (CTE) in Superior students can take courses to train them for the workforce in culinary, hospitality management, business management and education professions. They may also participate in regional programs such as welding, licensed nursing assistant, cosmetology, fire science, graphic design and dental assistant in partnership Gila Community College in Globe. Superior Unified provides a driver to GCC for students from Superior who wish to take these career courses. When a student finishes a program through CVIT they earn the industry certification if they pass appropriate state exams.

All of these programs are funded through Joint Technical Education (JTED) funding distributed through the state. Several school districts/communities participate in CVIT, Superior, Hayden San Carlos, Globe and Miami. In the last election the Ray Unified School District voters voted to join CVIT. JTEDS are partially funded by property taxes, program grants, and funding from the State of Arizona.

Two years ago Superior began the hospitality program in efforts to prepare students for work at the Magma Hotel



Students who completed CVIT programs in the 2015-16 school year.



and other tourism based careers that may develop in Superior and the region. CVIT can also work with local employers and small businesses to develop training programs that will help to train and develop a workforce for their business.

Pete Guzman serves as the

Superintendent for the CVIT district and Beata Tarasiuk is the Executive Program Director for the district. Together they develop the programs and coordinate with the local school districts. To learn more about CVIT you can visit their website at www.cvit81.org.



The "In Your Biz" column is sponsored weekly by the Superior Chamber of Commerce in an effort to further promote their business members. To learn more about the Superior Chamber of Commerce you can visit their website www.superiorarizonachamber.org or call them at 520-689-0200. The Chamber meets the third Wednesday of every month at their building 165 Main St. in Superior, Arizona. Those planning on attending the Chamber luncheons do need to RSVP prior to the meeting, please call Deb McKee to RSVP at 520-827-1773.

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Santa's Helpers remind you to send in your letters to Santa



Kathy Zavala's Pre-K class at Kennedy Elementary.

Mila Besich-Lira | Sun

Mrs. Zavala's pre-K class at John F. Kennedy School were excited to help all their friends in Superior get their Christmas wishes into Santa. Carlos, Isiah, Mason, Cyla, Jacob, Jeremiah, Jade, Haillyee and Emily were all busy preparing their letters and pictures for Santa. From doll houses, new boots, video games and motorcycle bikes these little Panthers have their wish lists full!

Superior children can mail their wishes to Santa in the special mailbox that can be found at Save Money Market.

Santa has also set up a special email address if you want to send your wishes to him electronically. The email address is santa@minersunbasin.com. And please when emailing include the town where you live so that your letter can be published in the right newspaper.

This year, Mr. Claus has given us permission to accept letters through our Facebook page (www.Facebook.com/CopperArea). Just send us a private message (PM) with your child's letter to Santa. Please be sure to include the town where you live so we can publish it in the right newspaper.

Hurry and get your letters in quickly so

they can be forwarded to the North Pole in plenty of time for the big day. The deadline to mail letters in Santa's special mailbox is Dec. 16. Santa needs time to get all the requests fulfilled.

Letters will be published on Dec. 21.



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Teaching young kids gratitude extends beyond the holiday season

As the holiday season approaches, it is the perfect time to teach young children a very important life lesson about gratitude that will extend beyond the season.

Gratitude is a higher level concept that can be tricky for toddlers and preschoolers, who by their nature, tend to be self-focused. Talking with young children about being thankful for not only material things, but for acts of kindness from others, is

one way.

As children grow with gratitude, they become more understanding of the needs and feelings of others.

So, how do we teach our children to be grateful? Here are five tips from First Things First, gathered from child development experts and websites:

Teach children to say thank you to everyone who does something for them – their server at a restaurant, the older sibling who helps them pick up toys, or the friend who gives them a birthday gift.

Talk about the things you are grateful for. This can be done in many ways, from a blessing before dinner to keeping a family gratitude journal.

Tell your kids why you are grateful for them. Remind your children of your gratitude by using specific reasons why they are special and loved. For example: I appreciate the way you help your brother tie his shoes.

Support a charitable event or organization. Whether you are donating old clothes or toys, participating in a food drive, or even baking cookies for a new neighbor, talk to children about what those actions mean to those who receive the kindness.

Be consistent. Like all skills, gratitude is not learned in one lesson.

The first five years offer the opportunity for children to develop the skills they need to be successful students and successful adults. Research shows that thankful people are usually more optimistic and are less depressed and stressed. So, when we teach our children to appreciate what they have – and what others do for them – we are helping them to become happier, healthier adults.

About First Things First – First Things First is a voter-created, statewide organization that funds early education and health programs to help kids be successful once they enter kindergarten. Decisions about how those funds are spent are made by local councils staffed by community volunteers. To learn more, visit FirstThingsFirst.org.

Basketball regular season begins for Copper Corridor high schools

Thanksgiving week was filled with a number of preseason basketball tournaments, which allowed teams to get in some work before the games begin for real this week.

The following is a look at this week's schedule for schools in the Copper Corridor:

San Manuel Boys:

Nov. 28 at Hayden 7 PM
Dec. 6 vs. Santa Cruz Valley 7 PM

San Manuel Girls:

Nov. 28 at Hayden 5:30 PM
Dec. 6 vs. Santa Cruz Valley 5:30 PM

Hayden Boys:

Nov. 28 vs. San Manuel 7 PM
Nov. 29 at NFL Yet 7 PM
Dec. 2 vs. North Phx Prep 7 PM
Dec. 6 vs. Duncan 7 PM

Hayden Girls:

Nov. 28 vs. San Manuel 5:30 PM
Dec. 2 vs. North Phx Prep 5:30 PM
Dec. 6 vs. Duncan 5:30 PM

Superior Boys:

Nov. 29 vs. Duncan 7 PM
Dec. 1 at Miami 7 PM
Dec. 2 vs. Ft Thomas 7 PM
Dec. 6 at Phx Day School for Deaf 7 PM

Superior Girls:

Nov. 29 vs. Duncan 5:30 PM
Dec. 1 at Miami 5:30 PM
Dec. 2 vs. Ft Thomas 5:30 PM
Dec. 6 at Phx Day School for Deaf 5:30 PM

Ray Boys:

Nov. 28 vs. Phx Day School 7 PM
Nov. 29 vs. North Phx Prep 7 PM
Dec. 6 vs. Ft Thomas 7 PM

Ray Girls:

Nov. 28 vs. Phx Day School 5:30 PM
Nov. 29 vs. North Phx Prep 5:30 PM
Dec. 1 vs. Pima at Phx Christian HS 4:15 PM
Dec. 6 vs. Ft Thomas 5:30 PM

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Gemini Hospice is offering a blood pressure clinic every second and fourth Thursday of the month at 12:30 p.m. This is conducted at the Superior Senior Center at 360 W. Main. There is no charge and everyone is welcome.

Bingo is every Tuesday and Thursday at 10:30 a.m. A pastry bingo is held on the last Thursday of the month beginning at 10 a.m. All are welcome.

Need a ride to the center or more information? Call 689-5182.

SUPERIOR CHURCH DIRECTORY

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

30 Free Environmental Resources Roadshow

Everyone is invited to the free Environmental Resources Roadshow to be conducted by ADEQ, ADOT and KAZB on Wednesday, Nov. 30, 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. at the Bullion Plaza Cultural Center & Museum, 150 N. Plaza Circle in Miami. This event is to encourage citizens, government officials, business and everybody to engage in open dialogue and participate in Q & A sessions on recycling, grants, adopting sections of AZ highway and more.



6 Superior School Board Meeting

The December meeting for the Superior School Board will be held Tuesday, Dec. 6, at 6 p.m.

DECEMBER

7 Wildlife Science and Outdoor Expo

The Ray "Wildlife Science" class will host a "Wildlife Science and Outdoor Expo" on Wednesday, Dec. 7, in the Ray (Old) Girls Gym, from 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. The public is welcome and invited to attend this event. Students will display projects, and exhibits and give demonstrations with some limited spectator participation. Also in attendance will be the Pinal County Search and Rescue, the Kearny Sportsman's Club, Resolution Copper, the Kearny Chamber of Commerce. Come see how students at Ray High School are involved with learning.

10 Community Concert in Hayden

Hayden High School Auditorium will thrum with more than excitement at the Saturday, Dec. 10 Community Concert, hosted by the Copper Community Action Board. The concert starts at 5 p.m. and the admission fee is \$5. Come and have some fun family time while supporting a great cause! All are welcome!

16 Coffee and Conversation

On Friday, Dec. 16, the Superior Police are inviting you to come have coffee and conversation at the Sunflower Market, 149 Main St. from 8 a.m. - 10 a.m. The cup of coffee is free and so is the exchange of ideas. Enjoy conversation with Town Manager, Todd Pryor and Police Chief, David Neuss. Ask questions, voice concerns and help to better our community.

Christmas Toy Drive

This year, the Superior Police Department is sponsoring a Christmas Toy Drive for the children of Superior. The mission is that no child in our community goes without a Christmas Gift this holiday season. We are seeking donations of new, unwrapped toys for children between the ages of 0-17 years of age. Now until Dec. 23, drop off will be at the Superior Police Department, 734 W. Main St. Superior on Monday - Friday from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Or you can drop off the toys at Superior Town Hall or at Save Money Market. Contact Francine at 520-689-5255 for after-hours and other information. Register for Toys for Tots before Dec. 10 at the Superior Police Department and call to register children in need this holiday season.

ON THE AGENDA

SUPERIOR TOWN COUNCIL: The Superior Town Council meets the second Thursday at 7 p.m. at the old Roosevelt School Auditorium.

SUPERIOR OPTIMIST CLUB: The Superior Optimist Club meets the first and third Tuesdays at Edwardo's Pizza at 6:30 p.m. Anyone wishing to join the club can contact JoAnn Besich at 520-827-0592.

SUPERIOR SENIOR CENTER: The Superior Senior Center is open Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. A hot nutritious lunch is provided at noon. Bingo is played every Tuesday and Thursday starting at 10:30 a.m. Come in and join us for lunch or Bingo. You do not need to be a senior to join us, but must be over 21 to play Bingo. Need a ride to the center? Call 520-689-5182.

SUPERIOR ROTARY CLUB: The Superior Rotary Club is the oldest service club in Superior that is still in service today. If you are interested in becoming a Rotarian you can join them at their weekly meeting every Tuesday at the JFK Elementary School at noon.

SUPERIOR SCHOOL BOARD: Regular meetings of the Superior School District Governing Board are held at 6 p.m. in the Auditorium, at Kennedy Elementary School, 1500 Sunset Drive in Superior, usually on the first Wednesday of each month.

SUPERIOR, ARIZONA COWBOY ROUND-UP ASSOC: Anyone interested in joining the Superior, Arizona Cowboy Round-up Association should call Sandra Doyle at 509-936-0604.

Submit information to CBNSUN@minersunbasin.com or call 520-363-5554. Listings are free. The Superior Sun reserves the right to edit or refuse submissions. Submissions are due the Friday before Wednesday publication.

Superior Rotary has raffle to benefit Food Bank



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PINAL COUNTY AIR QUALITY CONTROL DISTRICT The District hereby gives notice that it proposes to approve the following permit(s) or permit revision(s). Each list includes the following, in order: the proposed permit number, company name, company address, facility location, facility type, and the air contaminants to be emitted or potentially emitted (Volatile Organic Compounds will be abbreviated as V.O.C.; Hazardous Air Pollutants are abbreviated as the HAPS; Benzene, Toluene, Ethyl Benzene and Xylene are abbreviated as BTEX); Permit No. B31223.000 Kalamazoo Materials incorporated 101 W. Ventura St. Tucson, AZ 85705 New Superior Quarry Hwy. 177, Milepost 161.5 Superior, AZ Facility Type - Sand & Gravel Operation Emissions - Particulate Matter Permit No. B31225.000 Kalamazoo Materials Incorporated 101 W. Ventura St Tucson, AZ 85705 Superior Quarry 41762 N. Apache Leap Rd Superior, AZ Facility Type - Crushing & Screening Operation Emissions - Particulate Matter, Nitrogen Oxides, Carbon Monoxide, Sulfur Dioxide, V.O.C. Under A.R.S. 49-480, any persons who may be adversely affected by the permit may file a written objection to the issuance of the permit and may request (in writing) a public hearing. Objections, comments or a request for a hearing are due during the public comment period, which ends upon the latter of thirty (30) days from the first publication of this notice, or close of business on the date of any hearing that may be held. Send objections/comments/requests to Pinal County Air Quality Control District, P.O. Box 987, Florence, AZ 85132 or deliver to 31 N. Pinal Street, Building F, Development Services, Florence, Arizona. The telephone number is (520) 866-6929. Any objection shall state the name and mailing address of the objector, be signed by the objector, their agent or attorney, and clearly set forth the reasons why the permit should not be issued. Grounds for objections are limited to whether the proposed permit meets the criteria for issuance prescribed in A.R.S. 49-480 or in 49-481. The permit package, all comments and objections will be available for public inspection and/or copying at the above address Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. excluding Holidays. PINAL COUNTY AIR QUALITY CONTROL DISTRICT MICHAEL SUNDBLOM, DIRECTOR Dates Published: November 30, 2016 & December 7, 2016 End of 30-day comment Period: December 24, 2016
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 - **REDUCED – 621 2nd Ave.** Beautiful 3 bdrm 1 ba with enclosed laundry and storage. Tile and carpet flooring, freshly painted. Block wall, large storage shed, covered parking and more. Great views. \$63,900
 - **126 San Pedro** Lovely cottage appeal to **SOLD** 1 3/4 bath with family room, fireplace and small office. Enclosed patio on front and side of home adds lots of extra usable space and character. Remodeled kitchen with appliances and so much more. Must see! \$94,900
 - **621 6th Ave.** 3 bdrm 1 3/4 bath. This home has a remodeled kitchen and baths, includes the stove. Ceramic tile and wood flooring. Freshly painted and ready for new owner. Great usable yards, enlarged concrete driveway, large **SOLD** chain link fence. \$78,000
 - **929 6th Ave.** 3 bdrm 1 Bath. Lots of extras with this home. Enclosed back patio for laundry and storage, all appliances, added room for office or dressing room. Enlarged concrete driveway and chain link fencing. Must see! \$69,900
 - **113 Avenue A** 2 bdrm 1 ba. Completely remodeled with new kitchen and bath. Wood flooring and more! Great mountain views. Must see! \$43,900 **SALE PENDING**
 - **208 Nichols Ave.** 4 Bdrm 1 3/4 Ba with extra room for office, playroom, etc. Double carport and drive, fenced back yard and so much more. \$112,000
 - **REDUCED – 330 McNab Pkwy.** 4 bdrm 2 ba. home. Previously used as office space. Could be used as home or office. Large corner lot. **SOLD** here. Must see! \$59,000
 - **REDUCED – 1022 3rd Ave.** Great family home. 3 bdrm 1 3/4 ba. Vinyl siding, AC, family room with fireplace, Covered patio, laundry room and green house, workshop, and lg. shed. Large fenced back yard. Call today! \$93,900
 - **REDUCED – 911 6th Ave.** 2 or 3 bdrm 1 3/4 ba. added laundry/utility room, large covered patio & front porch, low maintenance yards with fruit trees. Appliances included. \$54,900
 - **REDUCED – 101 Avenue B** 4 bdrm 2 bath with addition. Family room w. fireplace. A/C, extra rooms for bdrms or offices. Need some work. Great views! \$39,900
- ORACLE**
- **33451 S. Huggett Tr.** Country living at it's best with this large 2 bdrm 1 ba territorial style home with full wrap around porch, metal roof, well and huge 30 x 50' shop/garage on 10 acres. Animal and bird pins, corrals, tack room and so much more. Must see! \$325,000

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109 E. 2nd Ave, Mammoth
MLS#: 21514927

Nice well kept home, new carpet in 2012 newer paint inside and out. Detached 1 car garage with electric, and 1 car carport. central A/C fenced front and back yard. Great views. \$72,900



411 S. Rolfs Ave., Mammoth
MLS#: 21612425

AFFORDABLE 3 BR 2 bath with Great Views! New carpet April 2016, Dual Pane windows, Extra Storage and 2-car carport, 200 Amp Electric service. A/C new installed in 2014 was only used for 6 months. Covered back porch. Fenced back yard. Make Offer Today!!! Owner is married to a licensed real estate agent. \$57,500

Oracle Listings - Homes

- **Affordable dream getaway** nestled in the Coronado National forest. Use this 2 bdrm cabin to get away from the summer heat or enjoy rare but beautiful winter snow. Cabin sits on Forest Service Lease. Call Helen. MLS # 21630355
- **Great opportunity** - 3 bdrm/2 ba home with large lot, detached garage/workshop, nice upgrades. Must see! \$139,000 MLS # 21629850
- **Charming home** in need of some TLC on .62 acres. \$95,000 MLS #21629997
- **Custom home** with full partially finished basement. Vaulted ceilings, kitchen with SS, granite, island & dining area. Screened porch. Saltwater pool and grotto. 2.26 acres with mtn views. \$335,000. MLS #21627209
- **Completely remodeled** home with a detached two-car garage. \$165,000 MLS # 21624896
- **4 bedroom home** on .62 with large oak trees, 2 car carport, swimming pool. \$164,900 MLS # 21620089
- **3000sqft Santa Fe** home with privacy, views & oaks on 1 acre. \$435,000 MLS # 21614568
- **Private, beautiful** 2 bed, 2 bath on 2.95 acres, open floor plan, Travertine tile, wood floors, vaulted ceilings. Quality shed with fenced in garden. \$225,000 MLS # 21619926
- **Charming Beyond Belief** Restored back to its 1940 Craftsman style with new kitchen, bathroom, doors and windows. 1.25 acres with chicken coop and detached garage workshop. Must see! \$189,000 MLS # 21619944
- **Mountain views 4 bed**, 2 1/2 bath, 2,404 sq. ft. plus a 1,244 sq.ft. basement, 34 x 27 detached garage on 6.85 ac. \$395,000. MLS # 21320592
- **Spacious home** on a nice lot nestled in trees, 3 or 4 bedroom with new ac, new dishwasher, tile throughout, shed, covered parking and fenced area for pets. \$159,900 MLS # 2160465
- **Unique MUST SEE home!** 3 bd/3 ba. Incredible views on 3.7 acres. \$398,000 MLS # 21621842
- **Affordable 3bd 2 bath** with family room addition on 1/3 acre. Shed, New AC \$159,000 MLS # 21604651
- **DW 3 bedroom Mobile home** on 1.4 acres with views with double garage \$139,000. MLS # 21618793

Oracle Land & Commercial Properties

- **.69 ac. unique property** among custom built homes, \$49,900.
- **Best views in Oracle!** Come check out this 2.5 ac parcel nestled in very desirable custom home area. \$55,000.
- **Horse Property!** Build your home or put a manufactured home on this great 3.34 ac parcel. \$99,000
- **1.25 to 10 ac., buy part or whole**, has excellent well, borders State land, no financing necessary, owner will carry. \$32,000 - \$125,000.
- **Three 3.3 ac. off Linda Vista** starting at \$129,900.
- **2-5 ac parcels** can be purchased 1.25 ac for \$24,000, 2.5 ac for \$40,000 or the 5 ac parcel for \$75,000. Great views, homes or mobiles. Horse property.
- **1.04 ac premium lot**, custom home area, views, views views! \$55,000.
- **2 - 1.25 ac of Oracle Ranch Rd**, \$55,900 or \$49,900 property line is shared and can be combined to a 2.5 ac.
- **Fenced 1/3 acre lot** with mature trees, septic installed, and utilities at lot line. Zoned for site built home. \$36,900 MLS 21510756
- **.82 acre lot** with utilities at lot line. \$35,000.

San Manuel

- **Affordable home** with expanded kitchen, ceramic tile flooring and new paint. Water heater & furnace updated. Well maintained, fenced yard, recoated roof, new carpet in bedrooms. All in excellent condition. Move in ready, priced right! \$39,000 MLS#21622997
- **Lovely 3bd 2 bath** home clean and well maintained. All the floors & walls in great condition. Home backs to desert with gorgeous mountain & sunset views. Screened in patio, front door wheelchair accessible. Updated AC, metal roof & some plumbing \$84,900 MLS 21626354
- **Newly remodeled** 3 bed, 2 bath, mountain views, ceramic floors, new appliances. All furniture stays. \$92,000
- **Lovely 2 bd 1 ba**, wood kitchen cabinets, new A/C and furnace installed August 2015, fenced yard. \$46,000
- **Remodeled** 1900 sqft. home with landscaped yard, renovated kitchen and bathrooms, new plumbing, large family room addition and office or 4th bedroom. \$178,000
- **Remodeled home**, with tile floors throughout, remodeled baths, landscaped yard, large addition & large living room, 2 sheds & covered patio, \$115,000 MLS 21616060

Surrounding Area

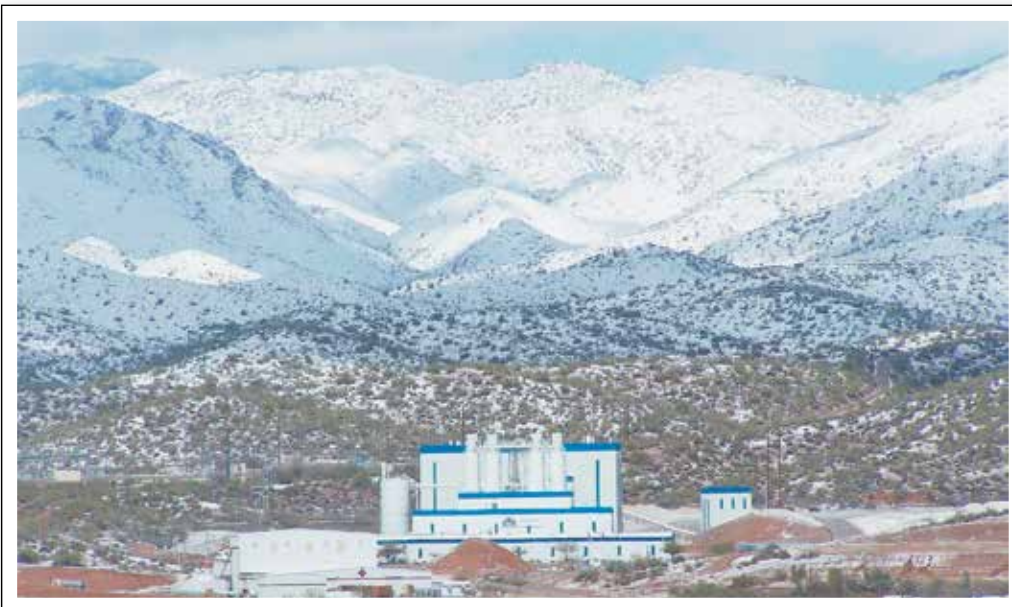
- **.39 4 ac**, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, 2 wells, horse corrals, very large green house frame, partially fenced, large trees, mountain views, along the San Pedro River, new septic, secluded and private. \$140,000
- **Well kept home**, 3 bedroom 2 bath, fireplace, new carpet 2012, new paint, detached garage, carport, A/C, fenced front and back yard, great views. \$72,900 MLS 21514927



Superior Day at the Arboretum Saturday, December 3, 2016

Omya Arizona will host a Superior Community Day event at the Boyce Thompson Arboretum – product displays and information, along with refreshments, will be provided. Open to the public! Come and see what we do.

- Entry into the park will be provided to Superior residents at no charge.
- Superior residents will be given a 50% discount on an annual membership (individual or family) to the Arboretum on the day of the event.



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