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—David Brinkley

## OBITUARY

# Refugio P. Huerta

Refugio P. Huerta "Cuco" sorrowfully and suddenly left us on Thursday, Feb. 23, 2023. Refugio was born in Jalpa, Zacatecas on July 6, 1945, and immigrated to the United States when he was five years old.

Refugio's parents Jose Maria and Esiquia Perez Huerta preceded him in death, as did his firstborn grandson Cameron CJ Huerta Curry.

He is survived by his spouse of 54 years, Elvira Huerta; daughters, Rachel (Steven) Vallejo, Ramona (Francisco) Curry and Rosanna (David) Aronson; and son, Jose R. (Stephanie) Huerta.

Refugio was the cherished and the eldest brother to Jose Maria Huerta, Maria Cadriel, Escolastico Huerta, Anita Slape, Jose Pedro Huerta, Catalina De La Paz, Jesus Huerta. Refugio was a gracious, selfless, loving husband, father, tata, great-tata, brother and friend.

He had many pastimes which included baseball, listening to Mexican music, restoration of historic

vehicles, especially his 1968 RS/SS Camaro, collecting modeled cars/coins/Vietnam memorabilia. His treasured pastime was spending time with his family. He adored his 13 grandchildren and his three great-grandchildren and was waiting patiently to meet his fourth great-granddaughter born just days before his passing and was anxiously waiting to meet his fifth great-granddaughter whose expected birth is April 2023.

The Huerta family resided in Texas until Cuco was 8 years old and then they moved to Arizona, where he lived in Avra Valley, Marana, Winkelman and Mammoth. During his high school years, he was an agricultural laborer in Oregon, Washington and California. After graduating high school from Marana in 1965, he was drafted into the United States Army and served in the Vietnam War (1966-1967 4th Infantry Div). He returned home due to an illness with

Honorary Discharge.

Refugio wed Elvira Alvo Valdez in 1969 and began their lives raising their family. Refugio was raised with strong family values and instilled similar if not better values to his four children. Refugio's determination to succeed in providing a blessed home for his family would lead him back to school. He received an AAS degree from Central Arizona College, Aravaipa Campus.

Refugio was a tire mechanic and worked at Inspiration Mine, Goodyear, BHP, ASARCO and The Town of Mammoth. Refugio's legacy of hard work ethics, determination and pride will forever be remembered by his family. When dual citizenship became legalized in the U.S. Refugio proudly became a United States citizen on Feb. 23, 1996, 27 years to the date of his death.

Refugio will be laid to rest March 6 with a Catholic Mass at Blessed Sacrament Church and interment at



Valley View Cemetery, Mammoth, Arizona (85618) with military honor guard.

He was never one to complain and always willing to help others. Our hearts are weeping but know he is home and at peace.

(El día que yo me muera, No voy a llevarme nada, Hay que darle gusto al gusto, La vida pronto se acaba, Lo que pasó en este mundo nomás el recuerdo queda, Ya muerto voy a llevarme, Nomás un puño de tierra).- Ramon Ayala, "Un Puno de Tierra")

## Public Notice

**Notice to Creditors/Keith E. Currens**  
Jackson White Attorneys at Law A Professional Corporation 40 North Center Street, Suite 200 Mesa, Arizona 85201 T: (480) 464-1111 F: (480) 464-5692 Email: centraldocket@jacksonwhitelaw.com Attorneys for Co-Personal Representatives By: Ryan K. Hodges, No. 026639 IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GILA In the Matter of the Estate of Keith Edwin Currens, Deceased. Case No.: PB202300019 NOTICE TO CREDITORS (For Publication) notice is here by given that Carlos E. Montgomery & Roy Scott Olson has been appointed Co-Personal Representatives of this Estate. All persons having claims against the Estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred claims must be presented by delivering or mailing a written statement of the claim to the Co-Personal Representatives at Estate of Keith Edwin Currens c/o Ryan K. Hodges Jackson White, PC 40 N. Center St., Suite 200 Mesa, AZ 85201 DATED February 28, 2023. JACKSON WHITE/ Ryan K. Hodges, No. 026639 Attorneys for Carlos E. Montgomery & Roy Scott Olson  
CBN Legal 3/8/23, 3/15/23, 3/22/23

# Kearny Police Report

**Items are given to the Copper Basin News by the Kearny Police Department and reflect information available at the time the report is compiled.**

**Activity listed March 12-18.**

**March 12**

Trent Armando Gomez, 19, was arrested in the 300 block of Greenwich Rd. and was charged with possession of marijuana under 21 and disturbing the peace. He was cited and released.

**March 13**

Lionel Vince Yoe, 40, was arrested in the Kearny Lake parking lot and was charged with driving while impaired, driving under the influence and having an open container. He was cited and released.

**March 3-18** Calls not listed include traffic (2), animal/cattle complaint (2), ambulance (8), 911 open line (1), utility problem (1), citizen assist (3), found property (2), agency assist (2) and suspicious activity (1).

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# Hayden Lobos add two more wins to their season tally

By Nathaniel A. Lopez  
Copper Basin News

The Hayden baseball team added two more wins to their season last week.

The Lobos started off their week with a home game against Bagdad. The boys once again showed their dominance on the diamond, and stuck it to Bagdad. The Lobos closed out the evening with 9 runs, while Bagdad was only able to squeeze 2 runs past the Lobos.

Later in the week, the boys traveled down to San Manuel to take on the Miners. In true Lobo fashion, the team

displayed their power and dominance. The boys only let 1 run get past them, as they shut-out the Miners in a 14-1 game. This gave the Lobos their fourth consecutive win.

The Hayden softball team had some tough fights on the diamond last week. They began their week with a hard game against Bagdad. The Lady Lobos struggled to keep the Sultans from scoring, and found it hard to score themselves. The game ended with a 3-29 final score.

The girls ended their week with an away game against San Manuel. The Lady Lobos put up a fight and kept the score-gap small, but were unable to close it. The game ended in a 1-3 final score.

## Wildflowers blooming in the Copper Basin



If you can't get out for a drive out of town, consider just driving around Kearny. Wildflowers are blooming everywhere. Lupines, poppies, African daisies – all sure signs of spring.

James Carnes | CBN

## COPPER CORRIDOR COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### Tri-Community Food Bank Open

The Tri-Community Food Bank located at 108 Redwood Drive in Mammoth continues to be in business. We are observing social distancing. Hours are 9 a.m. to noon Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. To be eligible you must show proof of address that you live near or in Mammoth, San Manuel, Oracle or Dudleyville and have an income within the federal poverty guidelines. The thrift shop is closed and is not accepting donations. Call 520-487-2010 for more information.

### Eagle One Veteran Outreach

Visit Eagle One Veteran Outreach Center online at [hohp4heroes.org](http://hohp4heroes.org). Eagle One provides veterans a place to learn about and apply for all services available to them.

## MARCH

### 24 Lenten Meal Fridays at San Pedro Valley Lions Club

The VFW and San Pedro Valley Lions Club will host Lenten Meal Fridays 3-7 p.m. (or until the food runs out) at the San Pedro Valley Lions Club. Cost is \$12 a plate for fish and shrimp and includes a drink.

### 25 Hayden Library Presentation with Craig Anderson

Join us Saturday, March 25, 11 a.m. to noon at the Hayden Library for a presentation by Tucson Audubon Birder expert Craig Anderson: Craig's Big Year, Arizona's Important Bird Areas (IBA's). This is a free family event. Birding is a healthy outdoor activity that is great for the whole family and can be done anywhere! Questions? Call the library at 928-200-2997. Relive with Craig Anderson his visit to 26 of Arizona's IBA's and his most memorable experiences with Arizona lands and its critters.

### 28 Town of Kearny to Flush Water Lines

The Town of Kearny will be flushing the water lines on Tuesday, March 28. Please do not do laundry during this time as there will be brown and black water because of what has accumulated in the system. Thank you for your patience.

## APRIL

### The Buddy Project and Kearny Vet Clinic

Dr. King, DVM will return to two days a month in the Kearny Vet Clinic, starting in April. Appointments can be made in Kearny or Florence by texting: 1-520-329-5952. Remember, pet microchips are available for \$25. Dr. King is currently coordinating with Pets In Need Action League (P.I.N.A.L). Qualifying low income pet families only pay \$30 per each pet cat/dog spay/neuter fees. FREE TNR (trap/neuter/return) for stray/feral cats. Caregivers/feeders can request a TNR application by email: [Pets In Need Action League \(P.I.N.A.L\) info@pinalpets.org](mailto:Pets In Need Action League (P.I.N.A.L) info@pinalpets.org) or [The Buddy Project thebuddyprojectaz@gmail.com](mailto:The Buddy Project thebuddyprojectaz@gmail.com)



# Resolution Copper in the news

For the past several weeks, many national news outlets have been sharing stories on the activities and protests by environmental groups and Apache Stronghold, who have long protested the Resolution Copper project. Much of this news comes as the Ninth Circuit court is expected to rehear the Apache Stronghold v. United States case this week in what the court calls an “en banc” hearing. This means that the full panel of 11 judges will hear the case.

The lawsuit was originally filed in February 2021 in federal court. Originally the court rejected the case after three judges heard the arguments and ruled against Apache Stronghold. In November 2022, in an unprecedented announcement the Ninth Circuit court announced they would rehear the case “en banc”.

The Apache Stronghold case is a religious freedoms case: Apache Stronghold is arguing that Oak Flats is a sacred place and that the mining operations will prohibit their right to worship under the freedom of religion amendment. Joining the Apache Stronghold fight to Save Oak Flats are leaders from Sikhs, Jews, Muslims, Catholics, Mormons and Mennonites. These religious groups have joined the support for Apache Stronghold in fear that if the case is lost there could be other religious freedom setbacks.

Many will remember that the Final Federal Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS), which would be part of the permitting of the mine, was pulled by the Biden Administration on March 1, 2021, to allow for more tribal consultation. It has been reported by Town of Superior officials that they were informed that by the Forest Service that tribal consultation has been completed and the agency is finalizing a review of the FEIS. Local leaders are optimistic that the FEIS will be released in 2023. Once the FEIS is re-released, there is expected to be a 45-day objection period and then the final Record of

Decision can be signed by the Chief Forester of the Tonto National Forest. Once the FEIS is re-released it is expected that the Ninth Circuit court will hear suits filed by the San Carlos Apache Tribe and mining reform groups.

Resolution Copper continues to press on with community engagement and community projects throughout Superior, the Copper Triangle and across the local Native American communities. Resolution Copper has recently renewed multi-year agreements with Rebuild Superior Inc. to continue community and economic development work in Superior.

During this past year many community leaders and elected officials have visited the project. Most recently Pinal County Supervisor Jeff Serdy and the Pinal County Economic Development team. This past summer, Mayor Mila Besich and Councilmember Olga Lopez also visited the mine for a tour 7,000 feet below the earth’s surface.

“This project is good for Superior, Pinal County and the entire state of Arizona,” said Pinal County Supervisor Jeff Serdy.

To date the Resolution Copper project is one of the single largest private economic investments in the State of Arizona. It is expected to be a 7 billion dollar investment to get the mine in operation and once in operation it will be one of the richest and deepest copper ore deposits in North America adding 1 billion dollars to the state’s economy each year once in production.

At a recent meeting with Senator Sinema in Globe, Mayor Besich thanked Sinema for her support of the Resolution Copper project and asked for her help to have the White House look at this project urgently. During her visit Sinema expressed her goals to work with the Arizona Manufacturing and Defense Council to promote rare earth mineral development, and mining this copper in an environmentally sound way, here in Arizona. She has also



**Pinal County Supervisor Jeff Serdy visited the deeps of Resolution Copper.**

been working to have copper listed as a critical mineral for national defense. This

would mean mining projects producing copper would have priority.

## Resolution Copper names Victoria Peacey as president, general manager

Arizona-based mining company, Resolution Copper, today named Victoria (“Vicky”) Peacey as the project’s new President and General Manager, responsible for overseeing all aspects of planning, development and operations.

A longtime copper and mining industry veteran who has served as acting Project Director since the summer, Peacey has held

a number of leadership roles at Resolution Copper and Rio Tinto, which she joined in 2002. Most recently, Peacey was Chief of Staff to the Chief Operating Officer for Rio Tinto Copper. Her previous roles at Resolution Copper include Senior Manager Community and External Affairs as well as Senior Manager Permitting and Cultural Heritage, where she played a key role in community engagement

and technical studies that built strong local support for the project. Earlier in her career, Peacey held a variety of operations and environmental positions with Rio Tinto Kennecott and Barneys Canyon in Utah and Kennecott Eagle Minerals in Michigan.

“Vicky brings a depth of knowledge and experience to the Resolution Copper project

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**Victoria (“Vicky”) Peacey**



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Lunes: Servicio de Oracion 6:30 p.m.  
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## Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Kearny Ward  
200 Hammond Dr.

**Bishop Jeremi Brewer**  
Sunday Morning Meetings:  
Sacrament 10 a.m.  
Scripture Study 11 a.m.

## Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

San Manuel Ward • 101 S. Giffin Ave.

**Bishop Jim Bingham**  
520-385-4866

Sunday Morning Meetings:  
Sacrament 10 a.m.  
Scripture Study 11 a.m.

## Church of the Good Shepherd

Bottom of School Hill, Kearny

**Pastor Peter Vaught**  
520-363-7283

[www.thegoodshepherd.pbworks.com](http://www.thegoodshepherd.pbworks.com)

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## Family Life Christian Center

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Sunday Prayer 9:45 a.m.  
Worship 10 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study  
& Prayer 6 p.m.

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## First Baptist Church

103 W. Galiuro, Mammoth

**Pastor Joe Ventimiglia**  
520-487-0311

Bible Study – 9 a.m.  
Sunday Worship – 10 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting Tues. – 3 p.m.  
Movie Night Last Friday of the Month – 6 p.m.  
"Fellowship on the Hill"

## First Baptist Church

1st & Nichols, San Manuel

**Pastor Kevin Duncan**  
385-4655

Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m.  
Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Discipleship 5 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 6 p.m.

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103 Hammond Dr., Kearny

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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
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Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

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Oracle

**Pastor Nathan Hogan**

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Kids Ministry 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study for  
Adults 6 p.m.

## Oracle Church of Christ

2425 El Paseo  
Oracle

**Richard Ferris**  
520-818-6554

Sunday Bible Study 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.

## Oracle Seventh-Day Adventist Church

2150 Hwy 77  
Oracle

**Pastor Michael Soto**

Saturday Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.  
Saturday Worship Service 11 a.m.

## Oracle Union Church

705 E. American Ave.  
Oracle

**Pastor Dr. Ed Nelson**  
520-784-1868

Sunday Service 10 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 11 a.m.  
Thursday Prayer Time 11 a.m. to Noon

## Pathway of Hope Foursquare Church

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520-344-4417

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pastorkaren@pathwayofhope.net

## Presbyterian Church of Superior

100 Magma Ave., Superior

520-689-2631

Worship Service Sunday: 10 a.m.  
All are welcome.

**Anonymous prayer box located at  
Save Money Market. We will pray for you!**

## St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

11 Church Ave., Superior

**Fr. Peter Nwachukwu**  
520-689-2250

Weekday Mass Tues.-Fri. 8 a.m.  
Saturday 5 p.m. • Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.  
Confession: Sat. 4-4:45 p.m. or by req.  
[www.stfrancissuperior.org](http://www.stfrancissuperior.org)

## San Pedro Valley Baptist Church

Dudleyville Road, Dudleyville

**Pastor Anthony DaCunha**  
520-357-7353

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

## Set Free Church

302 Danbury, Kearny

**Pastor Daniel Sostre**  
480-645-7687

Sunday Service 10 a.m.  
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Sinners Welcome

## Superior Harvest Church

Hill St. & Stone Ave., Superior

**Pastor Albert M. Rodriguez**  
480-354-4499 H  
480-329-3647 C

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## Public Notice

### Notice to Creditors/The Ronald Faragher Revocable Trust

Jared R. Owens, Esq. (027874) THE OWENS LAW FIRM, PLC 200 W. Frontier St., Ste. L, Payson, AZ 85541 Phone: (928) 472-4303 Fax: (928) 472-4309 info@owenslawaz.com Counsel for Trustee IN THE MATTER OF THE RONALD FARAGHER REVOCABLE TRUST dated May 28, 2002. ) NOTICE TO CREDITORS Pursuant to A.R.S. § 14-6103, NOTICE IS GIVEN to all creditors of the RONALD FARAGHER REVOCABLE TRUST dated May 28, 2002, and all trusts created thereunder ("Trust") that : 1. Ronald P. Faragher, Sr. is the Trustor of the Trust, and is deceased. 2. Ronald P. Faragher, Jr. has been appointed Successor Trustee of the Trust. 3. Claims against the Trust must be presented within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or be forever barred, as prescribed in A.R.S. §14-3801(A). 4. Claims against the Trust may be presented by delivering or mailing a written statement of the claim to Jared R. Owens, Esq., The Owens Law Firm, PLC, 200 W. Frontier St., Ste. L, Payson, AZ 85541. Dated February 28, 2023. THE OWENS LAW FIRM, PLC By /s/ Jared R. Owens Counsel for Trustee CBN Legal 3/8/23, 3/15/23, 3/22/23

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### Summons/339 Properties v Jeffery Ashley

Erik W. Stanley 14646 N. Kierland Boulevard Suite 230 Scottsdale, AZ 85254 (480)368-3343 E-Mail Address: mary@providentlawyers.com (if Attorney) State Bar Number: 030961, Issuing State: AZ IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PINAL 339 PROPERTIES LLC Plaintiff(s), V. JEFFERY ASHLEY, et al. Defendant(s), Case No. S1100CV202300059 SUMMONS To: Unknown Heirs & Devisees of the Estate of Martha C Ashley WARNING: THIS AN OFFICIAL DOCUMENT FROM THE COURT THAT AFFECTS YOUR RIGHTS. READ THIS SUMMONS CAREFULLY. IF YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND IT, CONTACT AN ATTORNEY FOR LEGAL ADVICE. 1. A lawsuit has been filed against you. A copy of the lawsuit and other court papers were served on you with this Summons. 2. If you do not want a judgment taken against you without your input, you must file an Answer in writing with the Court, and you must pay the required filing fee. To file your Answer, take or send the papers to Clerk of the Superior Court, 971 Jason Lopez Circle Building A, Florence, Arizona 85132 or electronically file your Answer through one of Arizona's approved electronic filing systems at <http://www.azcourts.gov/eFilingInformation>. Mail a copy of the Answer to the other party, the Plaintiff, at the address listed on the top of this Summons. Note: If you do not file electronically you will not have electronic access to the documents in this case. 3. If this Summons and the other court papers were served on you within the State of Arizona, your Answer must be filed within TWENTY (20) CALENDAR DAYS from the date of service, not counting the day of service. If this Summons and the other court papers were served on you outside the State of Arizona, your Answer must be filed within THIRTY (30) CALENDAR DAYS from the date of service, not counting the day of service. Requests for reasonable accommodation for persons with disabilities must be made to the court by parties at least 3 working days in advance of a scheduled court proceeding. GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the State of Arizona in and for the County of PINAL SIGNED AND SEALED this date: March 3, 2023 Rebecca Padilla Clerk of Superior Court By: JANDONIE Deputy Clerk NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS & DEVISEES OF THE ESTATE OF MARTHA C ASHLEY To obtain a copy of the lawsuit and other court papers in this matter please contact Plaintiff's attorney at the following address: Erik W. Stanley, Esq. Provident Law® 14646 N. Kierland Boulevard Suite 230 Scottsdale, AZ 85254 Phone Number: (480)368-3343 E-Mail Address: fileclerk@providentlawyers.com CBN Legal 3/15/23, 3/22/23, 3/29/23, 4/5/23

# RESOLUTION

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that make her ideally suited to lead the team through this critical moment in its development," said Clayton Walker, Chief Operating Officer, Rio Tinto Copper. "Her strong ties to this community and commitment to responsible development and operations will help us build a model for mining copper in the future."

Resolution Copper is expected to be a critical player in the nation's clean energy transition, with the potential to supply up to one quarter of U.S. copper demand, adding up to \$1 billion a year to Arizona's economy and creating thousands of local jobs in a region where mining has played an important role for more than a century. Working with community partners and Native American tribes, we are committed to helping build healthy, strong and resilient communities where we live and work. "I have first-hand knowledge of how local community and Native American input has shaped the Resolution Copper project, and I am so grateful

for this incredible opportunity at a time when the country needs domestic sources of copper and critical minerals more than ever," said Peacey. "We are deeply invested in rural Arizona's future which will become a key player in the new clean energy economy. We also remain committed to engaging in good faith and maintaining two-way dialogue with local communities, Native American tribes and all interested stakeholders so the project moves forward responsibly and sustainably. We are looking for a path to co-exist and preserve the cultural heritage of the Copper Triangle area while creating new economic opportunities that will put rural Arizona resources and workers at the center of the nation's clean energy transformation."

**About Resolution Copper**  
The Resolution Copper Project is operated by Resolution Copper Mining, a limited liability company owned 55 percent by Resolution Copper Company (a Rio Tinto PLC subsidiary) and 45 percent by BHP Copper Inc. (a BHP PLC subsidiary). Learn more at [resolutioncopper.com](http://resolutioncopper.com).

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We would also like to extend a sincere thank you to father Miranda and Infant Jesus of Prague Parish for the beautiful mass, Andrea Esparza & Paul Lubben for the beautiful music. Thank you Debra Harmon and the church ladies for all their assistance with the wonderful luncheon, Stephanie Ponce for the beautiful Eulogy and especially to all of you who donated food, your generosity is greatly appreciated. We also would like to thank Blanca Westrobe and Thema Health services for the sincere help you gave us with our mother.

Closing with our heartfelt gratitude & appreciation,

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**TOWN OF KEARNY, AZ**  
 Kearny, AZ (2,000 pop.) On the bank of the Gila River, the Town of Kearny is nestled between the Pinal Mountains and Tortilla Mountains in eastern Pinal County, in the Copper Basin, less than two hours from both Phoenix and Tucson. Along with the breathtaking mountains and Gila River, the Sonoran Desert surrounds the community and offers many recreational opportunities. The Town of Kearny was one of Arizona's first (1958) planned communities and home to many copper mine workers. The Town of Kearny is run by a council/manager form of government with a history of sound financial management. Kearny is a full-service community with a police force, volunteer fire department, ambulance service, utilities, municipal airport, lake, parks and community pool.

**POSITION: TOWN MANAGER**  
 The Town Manager is an at-will position which reports to Mayor and Six-Member Council. This position oversees these departments: Administration, Library, Public Works, Police, Ambulance, Volunteer Fire Department, Airport and Seasonal Employees. This position is an At-Will position and is FLSA Exempt – ineligible for overtime compensation.  
**SALARY:** \$80K-\$95K DOQ plus Benefits.  
**EDUCATION:** Requires a Bachelor's Degree in Public Administration, Business or related field and 5-7 years of Managerial Experience or equivalent work experience. Master's Degree a plus.  
**BENEFITS:** The Town of Kearny offers a superior benefits package for employees including medical and life insurance, leave benefits and participation in the Arizona State Retirement System.

**MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP QUALITIES:**

- Demonstrated History of Innovation, Learning, Customer Focus, and Integrity.
- Expertise in Planning, Finance, Personnel, Economic Development and Land Use.
- Fiscally conservative with highly developed Financial Management, Analytical and Budgetary experience.
- Clear and Concise Communicator. Can explain complex issues simply.
- Commitment to Collaboration and Positive Engagement among Elected Officials, Employees, Residents, Professionals, and Visitors.
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**LICENSES OR CERTIFICATIONS**

- Possession of an Arizona operator's driver license at time of hire.

**OTHER REQUIREMENTS**

- The use of a computer and related software applications.
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