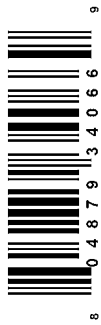




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## OBITUARIES

### Ron Romero Sr.

Surrounded by his family, Ron Romero Sr., 73, transitioned from this life to eternity on May 30, 2016. Ron was a visionary who chased after his dreams and cherished nothing more than his family.

He was born July 26, 1942 in Douglas, AZ and spent his early childhood in Bisbee, AZ. He grew up in Los Angeles before joining the United States Army. Professionally, he was the consummate entrepreneur. He began his career with AT&T and retired as the President of Rome-Aero, Inc. in 2008. Ron served his community as the President of the San Ramon Rotary Club and the Co-Chairman of the Hispanic Community Foundation in San Francisco.

He is survived by his wife, Alice Tiso (Las Vegas) and his children Ron Romero Jr. (Ojai, CA.) Randy and Diane Romero (Carlsbad, CA.) and Melissa and Scott Romero Keeble (Champaign, IL).

One of his greatest joys was watching his grandchildren grow and teaching them how to cook. Pops will be dearly missed by Ryan Romero, Kobe Romero Keeble, Maya Romero Keeble and Randi Romero. We are forever grateful to his surviving mother, Celia Loya (Long Beach, Ca.) Ron is the eldest of six children: Suzanne Krause

(Loomis, CA,) William Loya (Las Vegas, NV,) Samuel Loya (Seal Beach, CA,) Guy Loya (Tustin, CA,) and Renee Loya Pirante (Lake Havasu, AZ.)

A Celebration of Life will be held at the Romero Residence on June 18 at 5 p.m. Please contact family for further details.

### Barbara Tyler

Barbara Tyler, 71, of Gilbert, AZ, passed away on May 27, 2016 after battling from ovarian cancer for almost 5 years. Barbara was a devoted wife for 48 years, a loving mother and an amazing grandmother.

Barb graduated High School in 1962 and worked as a secretary while taking care of her younger siblings after her parents were gone.

Barbara was a member of Holy Cross Church. She enjoyed volunteering at Sunny Acres Children's Home and



Banner Gateway Hospital. Her family was the most important thing in her life. She loved playing and spending time with her grandchildren and most importantly making people laugh.

Barbara is survived by her husband, Robert Tyler; son, David Tyler and his wife Jodi; daughter, Jenny Myers and her husband Ben; sister, Janet Grenfell; nephew, Jason Grenfell; brother, W. Thomas Grenfell; and grandsons, Brendan, Jon, and Sam.

Services were held at San Tan Mountain View Funeral Home on June 3, 2016 at 9:30 a.m., 21809 S. Ellsworth Rd. #101, Queen Creek, AZ 85142. Ph. 480-888-2682 www.santanmountainviewfuneralhome.com

## 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.

#### May 20

Lawrence D. Diaz, 45, Mesa, was arrested in the area of Heiner Dr. and Magma Ave. and was charged with possession of dangerous drugs for sale, possession of marijuana for sale, possession of drug paraphernalia, theft of a firearm, possession of a firearm by a prohibited possessor and misconduct involving a weapon. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail in Florence.

#### May 21

Violation of a court order was reported in the area of Highlands Dr.

#### May 23

Jonathon W. Petersen, 20, Phoenix, was arrested in the area of U.S. Hwy. 60 and Church Ave. and was charged with driving on a suspended license. He was cited and released.

#### May 24

Nathan R. Apodaca, 36, Superior, was arrested and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia, obstructing traffic and refusing to provide truthful name. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

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# Five vie for Superior Council seats; Valenzuela will face Besich-Lira in recall

Voters in Superior will have several candidates to choose from in the upcoming Town Council election and Mayoral recall election slated for Tuesday, Aug. 30, 2016.

Incumbents Vice Mayor Olga Lopez and Councilmember John Tameron will seek re-election to their open seats. Bruce Armitage, Vanessa Navarrette and Bill Vogler have each tossed their names into the contest and will campaign for one of the three open seats

along with the incumbents.

A recall election has also been scheduled for the Aug. 30 ballot, Councilmember Mila Besich-Lira has announced her candidacy to run in the recall to unseat current Mayor Jayme Valenzuela. She will not seek re-election to her council seat. The recall election was petitioned by local residents following the allegations of the misuse of public funds by Mayor Valenzuela. Should Besich-Lira

unseat the Mayor, she will fulfill the remaining time on his term which ends in December of 2018. Valenzuela is currently under investigation by the Arizona Attorney General's office regarding the allegations. *Copper Area News Publishers - Superior Sun will continue to cover the upcoming elections. Full candidate profiles will be available in a future edition.*

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

# Young swimmers concerned with the state of the Superior Pool

What's up with Superior Pool? I have major concerns regarding the Superior Pool. I went to the pool on Memorial Day. The water was green and no one to be seen. I thought

the summer would be cool, but, there is no pool. I have a swimsuit to show, but, the pool is closed, you know. Sincerely,

/s/ **Amelia Macias, age 12**  
/s/ **Kylee Watko, age 12**  
**Superior**

## Local leadership is important, candidate says

A few short months ago, our community was made aware of a potential misuse of public funds by Mayor Jayme Valenzuela. This news was shared not only at the local level but throughout the state and national news. As a current member of the Superior Town Council, I was shocked, embarrassed, disappointed and angered by

these actions and behaviors of our Mayor and former staff members.

Our residents were outraged about these allegations and they set out to file a petition to recall Mayor Valenzuela. Those residents were successful in gathering enough signatures to require the town to call for a special recall election on Aug. 30, 2016. Recalls are a last resort and the elected official who is being recalled has the opportunity to resign their position, if they so desire. Despite the urging of his fellow council members and many community members' Mayor Valenzuela refused to resign.

This is proof positive that the leaders who reside closest to us can affect our lives, the quickest in either a good or bad way. Superior needs a strong leader who is dependable, honest and accountable. Our residents need someone who is not afraid to work hard, and is available to serve the community. That is why I have decided to run for Mayor of Superior.

While recall elections are disruptive, this one is unavoidable. The goal of my campaign is to highlight my leadership abilities and continue to prove myself as a humble servant to our community. I am asking for your support because I believe in our community; we all want

to see Superior prosper and return to greatness once again. We need leaders who are willing to collaborate at all levels, leaders who are willing to think outside of the box; and, most importantly, we cannot succeed as a community if our leaders are not honest or trust worthy. I am a proven leader and I know that I have the skills and abilities to serve as Mayor of Superior. I am asking for your support on Tuesday, Aug. 30, 2016.

I am thankful for the unwavering support of my children, family and friends as I take on this next challenge in my life. I attribute much of my life's successes to their wisdom and support.

Please visit my website at [www.milaformayor.com](http://www.milaformayor.com) or feel free to email at [votemila@gmail.com](mailto:votemila@gmail.com) to learn more about me and why I want to be Superior's next Mayor. I also have social media profiles on Facebook and Twitter.

/s/ **Mila Besich-Lira**  
**Candidate**

## Candy's Journey - Help Wanted

By **Mila Besich-Lira**  
Superior Sun

Candy Hollenbeck has embarked on a journey that very few people are able to even start. She is currently undergoing tests to see if she is a match to donate a kidney to Superiorite Melissa Brito. Melissa currently lives in Cleveland, Ohio and is in need of a new kidney. Candy has received preliminary approval from her local physicians to undergo the operation, however, they need to raise funds to cover Candy's travel expenses to run the tests to see if she is a match with Melissa's physicians in Ohio.



**Candy Hollenbeck**

Candy explained that she wanted to do this for Melissa to help her

continue to live a full life. "She has so much to give," explained Candy. Even if Candy is not a direct match for Melissa, Candy is willing to donate her kidney to someone else on the organ donor list so that way Melissa can have priority to receive a kidney from another match.

Candy needs to raise \$6,000 to cover the travel and medical expenses of this donation.

Funds are being accepted at Save Money Market and through a Go Fund Me Account - you can donate online at <http://bit.ly/28grdBE>. There are also several fundraisers being planned to help accommodate the travel costs for Candy to travel to Ohio. Any funds left over that are raised will be given to Melissa to help her with her medical expenses and recovery.



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# After 42 years of teaching, Contreras and Ybarra retire

By Mila Besich-Lira  
Superior Sun

Let's go back in time.

It was 1974 and two SHS graduates, Virgie Contreras and Maria Ybarra, returned home with their teaching degrees and began their careers educating at least two generations of Panthers. More than likely in those early years of teaching they would of put on their polyester bell bottoms and madras top or maybe a cute shirt dress. Their morning routine may have included listening to the top hits of the year, "I Shot the Sheriff" by Eric Clapton or "Band on the Run" by Paul McCartney on their AM/FM Radio.

Forty-two years later their wardrobes have changed quite

a bit. The challenges in the classrooms are much different than those early years.

On May 27, 2016, these two longtime teachers said good bye to their final class at John F. Kennedy Elementary School.

Virgie Contreras graduated from Superior High School in 1969. She attributed her interest in the teaching profession to her physical education teacher, Mrs. Evelyn Pack. When she started with the school district she was the Physical Education teacher at Roosevelt Junior High. After a few years she left the PE program to teach first grade at the elementary school. She also coached several high school girls sports during her teaching career.

Maria Ybarra, graduated from Superior High School in 1970. She remembers always wanting to be a teacher. "I remember always staying after class to help my teachers," she said. In her 42 years, she has always taught either first or second grade.

Forty-two years of teaching is not for the faint of heart. These two teachers taught the children of their own classmates and eventually taught the grandchildren of many of their classmates, often times teaching an entire family of brothers and sisters. It is a different kind teaching dynamic when you teach in a small community; there is an intimacy between students and their teachers. Both recalled how many times when their students would see them shopping in the Valley or out to dinner – it was a big shock to the student. "It was like they thought we only lived at the school and never left," both explained.

"One student, Ronald Torrio used to tell me, 'Teacher, one day I am going to buy your house. It's so pretty.' Even today, that student still comes up to me and says that," said Maria.

The advantages of the smaller school and community is those close relationships, seeing students bond together and being able to see those same elementary students become successful students in junior high and high school and then as adults.



Maria Ybarra and Virgie Contreras are retiring after 42 years at SUSD.

They taught through the booms and the busts of the community, numerous principals and superintendents and board members over their 42-year teaching careers. The equipment in their classrooms changed from chalkboards and chalk, intercoms and record players to computers in their classrooms and smart boards. The one piece of technology they appreciated the most was the installation of telephones into each classroom versus the use of the intercom, which helped

lessen classroom distractions. Both shared how in the early days of their teaching careers often the secretaries would scold the teachers and kind of ran the school. Over the years that changed and now there is more of a teamwork approach they both said, where the entire staff is usually involved in student success and school projects.

It wasn't just the tools in the classroom that changed over the years. They saw changes from standardized testing and technology to the changes in parental expectations and

child behavior.

"Now days teachers need more education in counseling children. We learned as went how to work through some of the emotional needs of students, but today it seems kids need more counseling support from their teachers," explained Virgie.

"The last five years the behavior challenges have increased and the past year was the most challenging," added Ybarra. "I am very thankful for the support and guidance that Mr. Ramirez

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# Superior Senior Center News

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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.

The menu for the Superior Senior center for the week of Thursday, June 9 through Wednesday, June 15 is:

- Thursday: Veg. Lasagna, Garden Salad, Italian Veggies, Garlic Bread, Melon
- Friday: Chicken Enchiladas, Ranch Beans, Garden Salad w/ Tomato Wedges, Spanish Rice, Pineapple
- Monday: Chili Cheese Dog, 5 Bean Salad, Broccoli Slaw, Wheat Bun, Oranges
- Tuesday: Bean & Cheese Tostada (lettuce & tomato), Carrots & Celery Sticks, Pea Salad, Spanish Rice, Melon
- Wednesday: Chicken Cacciatore, Stuffed Tomato, Mashed Potato, Biscuit, Fruit

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

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## THIS 'N THAT

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

#### JFK Elementary Preschool

John F. Kennedy Elementary Preschool is accepting applications for the 2016 – 2017 school year. Children must be four years of age by Sept. 1, 2016 and parents/guardians will need to provide the child's original birth certificate, immunization records, and proof of residency. Applications are available at JFK Elementary School, 1500 Sunset Dr., Superior. For questions please call 520-689-0000 ext 3156.

#### Fiesta King and Queen Candidates Sought

This year, the 37th Annual Saint Francis Fiesta Committee has decided to open fiesta royalty to young men as well as young women. Anyone interested in being a king candidate or queen candidate is asked to contact Fiesta Royalty Chairperson, Marcella Garcia. She can be reached at 480-939-1313 or through the church office at 520-689-2250. Candidates are urged to contact Marcella Garcia as soon as possible as candidates will start their fund raising very quickly.

#### Superior Head Start Preschool

Superior Head Start Preschool, 150 N. Lobb Ave., is looking for three and four year olds for the new school year. Provided through Pinal Gila Community Child Services (PGCCS) Head Start promotes school readiness, age appropriate learning activities and social guidance for children with disabilities or at-risk. Children must be three years old by Aug. 31 and up to date with immunizations. They will receive free healthy meals, work inside and outside in a safe setting with qualified staff. Children may also receive free medical and dental care if they qualify. Families must income qualify and provide proof of income and guardianship. Call 520-689-2812 for more information.

### JUNE

#### 11 Fiesta Golf Tourney Canceled

The Saint Francis Church Fiesta Committee has canceled its 4th annual fundraising golf tournament that was scheduled for Saturday, June 11. Anyone having questions are asked to contact the Fiesta Committee by calling the church office at 520-689-2250.

#### 14 Rotary to Meet as Scheduled

The Superior Rotary Club will meet again as scheduled on Tuesday, June 14, following a week off. The group now meets at the JFK Elementary School at noon.



#### 25 RHS Football Club Golf Tournament

Ray High School Football Club 4th Annual Golf Tournament will be played in 3-Man Scramble format on Saturday, June 25, at the Queen Valley Golf Course. Registration is at 6 a.m. and shotgun start is at 7 a.m. Pre-register by June 22. Cost for entry is \$45 per player. Food and drinks will be sold. Special events with prizes will be part of the fun. For more information and registration, please contact Frank Lechuga at 480-435-1108, Jay Wernett at 480-980-3875 or Fred Cruz at 480-510-6299. Proceeds go to help Ray Bearcat Football Team.

## 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.

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# SUPERIOR POLICE REPORT

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## May 25

Kenneth A. Kasimir, 54, Apache Junction, was arrested and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia. He was cited and released.

## May 26

Michael A. Peralta, 51, Superior, was arrested in the 400 block of Moffatt St. and was charged with trespassing. He was cited and released.

Theft was reported in the 400 block of Stone Ave.

Assault was reported in the 800 block of Western Ave.

## May 27

Violation of a court order was reported in the 600 block of Wight St.

An accident without injuries was reported in the zero block of Rainbow St.

## May 28

Gabriel A. Munoz, 47, Superior, was arrested in the 800 block of Stone Ave. and was charged with reckless driving and having an open container of alcohol in a vehicle. He was cited and released.

Crystal N. McDaniel, 31, Superior, was arrested and charged with driving on a suspended license. She was cited and released.

## May 29

Violation of a court order was reported in the 600 block of Wight St.

## May 30

Ashley Jimenez, 23, Superior, was arrested in the area of Bridge St. and Sonora St. and was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and resisting arrest. She was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

## May 31

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

## June 1

Miguel D. Gomez, 30, Superior, was arrested in the 600 block of Wight St. and charged with burglary. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

Criminal damage was reported in the 500 block of Kiser St.

Robert A. Balint, 25, Mesa, was arrested on a felony grand jury warrant for theft and trafficking in stolen property issued by Maricopa County. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

Damian C. Ybarra, 22, Mesa, was arrested and charged with escape, disorderly conduct, threatening, criminal littering, criminal damage, resisting arrest, obstructing a highway, failure to comply with law enforcement and two counts of criminal trespassing. He was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail.

Calls not listed include traffic stop (53), welfare check (9), information (6), agency assist (4), animal complaint (3), civil matter (2), 911 hang-up (1), fire (3), suspicious activity (6), missing person (2), citizen assist (3), attempt to locate (1), parking violation/abandoned vehicle (2), alarm drop (5), illegal dumping (1), medical assist (7), emergency message delivered (1), fraud (1), trespassing (2), traffic hazard (1) and disturbance (12).

**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.

- Emergency (Police – Fire – Medical) 911
- Police Non-Emergency 520-866-5111
- Police Department Business 520-689-5255

## Public Notice

### TOWN OF SUPERIOR NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OF THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION AND TOWN COUNCIL

Notice is hereby given that on June 16, 2016, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the Town of Superior, and on July 14, 2016 the Town Council of the Town of Superior will hold a public hearing to consider the following item: **Zone Change No. 2016-03**; a request to amend Article 17, Sections 17.4.B (Window Signage), Section 17.4.B.3 (Freestanding Signage) and 17.4.b.6 (Total Signage)

The Planning and Zoning Commission will meet at 6:00 p.m. on June 16, 2016, and the Town Council will meet at 7:00 p.m. on July 14, 2016, in the Town Auditorium located at 199 N. Lobb Avenue, Superior, Arizona to act upon these proposed amendments to the Town's Zoning Ordinance.

Said public hearings are open to the public, and all persons are invited to attend and will be given full opportunity to be heard. Any person wishing to be heard, or wishing to present evidence for or against this project, is hereby notified and directed to either appear at the time and place aforesaid, or send written comments to the Town Manager/Town Clerk. All comments must be received by the Town Clerk on or before June 16, 2016, for the Planning and Zoning Commission public hearing, and all comments must be received by the Town Manager/Town Clerk on or before July 14, 2016, for the Town Council public hearing.

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### PINAL COUNTY AIR QUALITY CONTROL DISTRICT

The District hereby gives notice that it has approved the following permit. Each list includes the following, in order: the 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.): Permit No. GV11009.000 Town of Superior 199 N. Lobb Ave Superior, AZ 85173 Superior, AZ 85173 Superior Transfer Station 101 S. Airport Rd Superior, AZ Facility Type- Air Curtain to Burn Plant Material Emissions - Nitrogen Oxides, Carbon Monoxide, Sulfur Oxides, Particulate Matter, V.O.C. Send 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 comments shall state the name and mailing address of the objector, be signed by the objector, their agent or attorney. The permit package and 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 SUNDBLUM, DIRECTOR SUN Legal 6/8/16

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May 31	98	57	
June 1	105	66	
June 2	106	64	
June 3	111	66	
June 4	115	68	
June 5	116	72	

Weather readings  
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### PROPOSED ARIZONA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (AZPDES) RENEWAL PERMIT

Pursuant to the Clean Water Act and in accordance with Arizona Administrative Code (A.A.C.) R18-9-A907, the Director of the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) proposes to issue an Arizona Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (AZPDES) Permit to discharge pollutants to Waters of the United States to the following applicant, subject to certain effluent limitations and special conditions:

#### Public Notice No.16-76

Published on June 8, 2016

Published in the Superior Sun and Silver Belt

AZPDES Permit No. AZ0020389  
Resolution Copper Mining, LLC (Superior Operations)  
P. O. Box 1944

Superior, Arizona 85723  
Resolution Copper Mining, LLC applied for a renewal AZPDES permit for discharge of mine site stormwater from Outfall 001 and treated mine drainage water from Outfall 002 from the Resolution Copper Mining, LLC - Superior mine. The discharge for both Outfall 001 and 002 is to an unnamed wash, tributary to Queen Creek (Headwaters to Town of Superior Wastewater Treatment Plant outfall) in the Middle Gila River Basin in Township 2 S, Range 12 E, Section 4, in Pinal County, Arizona.

The permit and fact sheet may be viewed online at <http://www.azdeq.gov/cgi-bin/vertical.pl> by typing the permit number in the box left of "Search Event". The public notice and related documentation also are available for public review, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., at the ADEQ Records Center, 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix, Arizona, 85007. In Phoenix, please call (602) 771-4380 or e-mail [recordscenter@azdeq.gov](mailto:recordscenter@azdeq.gov) 24 hours in advance to schedule an appointment to review the file.

Persons may submit comments on the proposed action in writing, to Swathi Kasanneni, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality, Water Quality Division, 1110 W. Washington St., 5415B-3, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 or electronically to [resolutioncoppermine@azdeq.gov](mailto:resolutioncoppermine@azdeq.gov), by July 12, 2016.

A Public Hearing will be held at the Superior Junior/Senior High School, 100 W. Mary Drive, Superior, AZ 85173, on July 12, 2016, from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. The purpose of the public hearing is to allow the public to make comments for the record. ADEQ will respond in writing to all comments submitted during the formal public comment period.

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## Oracle-Land

- **4 beautiful 1 ac home sites,** owner may carry, utilities at lot line. \$47,900.
- **Rare find** 3.31 acres in Cherry Valley Subdivision. \$125,000
- **7.14 ac** Stunning 360 degree views. Homes or mobiles. Horse property. Large mature oak trees, motivated seller. Bring all offers. \$135,000
- **2.5 ac land, borders state land,** build your custom home, utilities at street. \$140,000
- **Three 3.3 ac. off Linda Vista** starting at \$129,900.
- **Fabulous views** from this 3.3 acre hilltop parcel. Homes only. \$95,000
- **Views, views, views!** Very secluded area, well share, horse property, homes or mobiles. 4 ac. \$49,000.
- **49 ac commercial lot on American Ave.** in Oracle, excellent location with good traffic for a business. \$82,000.
- **Fence,** .33 acre lot, septic installed, mature trees, utilities at lot line. \$39,000
- **Choose your own parcel** from 1.25 to 3.75 ac., flat, easy to build on, utilities at street. \$79,900 to \$199,000.
- **4 lots,** custom home area, submit offers. 2 at \$32,000, \$45,000 or \$75,000.
- **Beautiful views** from this lot in Oracle, utilities at lot line, Perc test done. \$69,995.
- **1 ac. in homes only area** with fantastic views & natural features. \$40,000
- **2.5 ac horse property** with great views, site-built or MH. ~~\$45,000~~ NOW \$24,000
- **.69 ac. unique property** among custom built homes, \$49,900.

## San Manuel

- **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
- **Large 1 Acre Lot** in San Manuel, near ball park with views, zoned GR. \$25,000
- **Remodeled** 4 bd 2 ba home, upgraded kitchen & baths, 1900 sqft., includes large family room, landscaped yard, upgrades galore. \$128,000
- **Lovely** 3 bd 2 ba, metal roof, new driveway, 2 metal sheds, enclosed laundry room. \$62,000

## Surrounding Area

- **DRASTICALLY REDUCED – Charming home** on 40 AC home and well is solar powered, beautiful views, horse property, can be split. \$237,900
- **2 large buildings,** 6,400 sq. ft., living quarters, office space, bathrooms, enclosed patios. \$72,750
- **3 bedroom 2 bath,** great views, 2 car carport, A/C, fenced yard. \$62,950
- **Fixer upper,** large lot, views. \$8,990
- **Great mountain views** from this 3.75 ac. south of Mammoth. \$39,000.
- **3-lots to choose from.** Hill top views shared well, horse property, leveled off areas for home sites. Two lots \$50,000 each & one lot \$70,000 or all 3 for \$129,000.
- **Well Kept Home** on 3 lots, new roof 2015, mountain views, wood kitchen cabinets, A/C, workshop and 2 car carport. \$63,000.
- **Private location,** hilltop views, 3 bedroom, new interior paint and carport, A/C, barn & corrals. 3.18 ac \$149,000
- **37 acres,** beautiful views, secluded area, touches state land, horse property. \$115,000.

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## Paradise City: Superior grad headed to Waikiki for Football Showcase

By Andrew Luberda  
Superior Sun

We should all have it so rough.

Football in paradise, that is.

Recent Superior High School graduate Elias Olmos will "rough" it when he travels halfway across the Pacific Ocean to participate in the NokaOi Football Showcase in Waikiki, Hawaii, June 28 – July 5, 2016.

According to the event website, the NoKaOi recruiting staff seeks out athletes that they feel have the potential to play college football. A large percentage of the athletes that are selected for invitations will play football at the collegiate level.

Olmos, the Panthers' Male Athlete of the Year, is one of two Arizonans participating in the showcase, which is open to players who may or may not want to extend their playing careers in college.

Multiple college coaches are expected to be in attendance, coaching teams and evaluating athletes during the prestigious event, giving players the additional exposure they need to reach the next level.

For others, the NoKaOi Football Showcase is one last chance to strap up the helmet and shoulder pads before calling it career at one of most beautiful and desirable destinations in the world.

In which group is Olmos?

The former.

"I believe I'm going to face a lot more talent and it's going to help me get ready for that next stage," said Olmos, a future Arizona State University enrollee. "I hope I put on a good performance there because I'll be in front of college coaches and scouts."



Elias Olmos

In addition to regularly scheduled practices, players will get to experience the best Honolulu has to offer, including a traditional Hawaiian Lei Greeting, a fireworks show on Waikiki Beach, the Aloha Flea Market, a Polynesian Luau show and dinner, and sightseeing journeys to the Halona Blow Hole, the Diamond Head Crater and the Pali Lookout, among other places.

The week-long event culminates with a pair of football games on July 4.

"It's a great opportunity for me to get some more game experience," Olmos told the Superior Sun. "I want to make a name, not only for myself, but for my town and show that Superior has talent too."

Pomaika`i (Good luck), Elias!

## TEACHERS

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provided us."

The early days of the career were some of the best they explained, classes were smaller, there was more parent involvement and students were more respectful.

Their advice to new teachers and those considering a teaching career: "Have patience and dedication," they both said. "Do it because you love kids and then marry a doctor or lawyer," said Maria. They both shared their experiences with the lower salaries of teachers and how it is difficult for new teachers to earn a truly livable wage in today's economy. "The legislature must start putting money into the schools and teacher salaries to keep up with living costs," said Virgie.

As they loaded up their cars with years of gifts

from students and their personal belongings, they both said they are looking forward to their retirements but will miss the socializing with their colleagues and staff at the school. Mostly, though, they will miss the students.

Maria is looking forward to traveling with close friends and her cousin and having more time to spend with her grandchildren since her grandchildren are in the Valley she has missed many of their school events; she is looking forward to being able to participate more.

Virgie is also looking forward to spending more time with her family and working on projects at home.

We commend these two great teachers for their service to the children of Superior and wish them the best of luck in their retirement.