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21st ANNUAL “A” MOUNTAIN FIREWORKS CELEBRATION

The 21st Annual “A” Mountain Fireworks Celebration sponsored by Desert Diamond Casinos and Entertainment will start at approximately 9:15 p.m., Tuesday, July 4.

"Many thanks to Desert Diamond Casinos and Entertainment for once again generously sponsoring the 4th of July fireworks," said Tucson Mayor Jonathan Rothschild. "It's important that we take time to come together and celebrate the birth of our democracy - and remember that, with all our differences, we are all Americans."

Residents may enjoy the “A” Mountain Fireworks Celebration from the Tucson Convention Center’s (TCC) Parking Lot B (off Cushing Street between Granada and Church Avenue) or Parking Lot C (off Granada between Broadway Boulevard and Cushing Street). Parking will be free. There also will be entertainment and food vendors (burgers, hot dogs, ice cream, and refreshments) available from 7-9 p.m. in Lot B sponsored by Azteca

The Sun Link streetcar provides convenient access to the TCC at the Cushing Street stops. Parking will be available at the TCC and throughout downtown. The last streetcar will leave the Avenida del Convento stop 30 minutes following the conclusion of the fireworks show.

Beginning at 5 p.m. on July 4, Mission Road will be closed from Starr Pass Boulevard to Congress Street. Mission Road will reopen approximately one hour following the completion of the fireworks show. Additionally, the eastbound exit ramp at I-10 and Congress and the westbound I-10 exit ramps at Silverlake and Congress will be closed from 9-11 p.m. to ease congestion. See the attached map for road closures related to this event.

In order to accommodate the fireworks display, there will be restricted access to Sentinel Peak Park. Sentinel Peak Road will close at 6 p.m. on Monday, July 3, and will reopen to all traffic Wednesday, July 5.

For more information, including ADA-related accommodations at the above-listed locations, call the Tucson Convention Center at 791-4101.

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- "A" Mountain will be closed for the entire day on July 4th beginning at 6 am.
- I-10 exit ramps will be closed from 9 pm to 11 pm.
 - Eastbound I-10 at Congress and Starr Pass.
 - Westbound I-10 at Silverlake and Congress.

