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WARD 2

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## PAUL'S NOTE

Many of you attended the informational open house put on for East Broadway this week. It's been a long time coming.

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For those of you who don't drive that particular road, it is probably one of the worst on the east side. Here's an interesting fact for you: that stretch of Broadway has 13 drainage crossings. It's an unusually high number, and when those crossings fill up, it causes sheet flooding, which damages the asphalt. That is the chief cause for how that length of road has gotten so bad compared to others.

It's gotten so bad that we are at the point that regular maintenance and patch work won't take hold.

This isn't about how it got that way, but what will be happening. Early next year, they will start on utility relocations.



Unfortunately, there isn't an easy way to speed those up. Gas lines can't be moved in the winter, and electrical lines can't be moved in the summer. Because of that, this process will take a year, much like we've seen in the Houghton Road project.

Look for work on the road itself to start in early 2018. This is still earlier than the original schedule, which put initial design work on the project to start sometime between 2017 and 2023. The new road will be four vehicle lanes, bike lanes in both directions

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and ADA accessible sidewalks. The new road will have a landscaped median and public art as well. The corner of Gollob will include a bike and pedestrian signal.

Something else is going in on Gollob as well: a new drainage system that will help prevent future flood damage. That is part of a more comprehensive fix to the drainage issues which includes redoing existing crossings and water harvesting that will redirect the water towards landscape plants.

What, you think I'd let something happen in Ward 2 that didn't involve water harvesting?

If you weren't able to make the meeting, diagrams of the project and meeting materials are posted at [broadwayeast.info](http://broadwayeast.info).

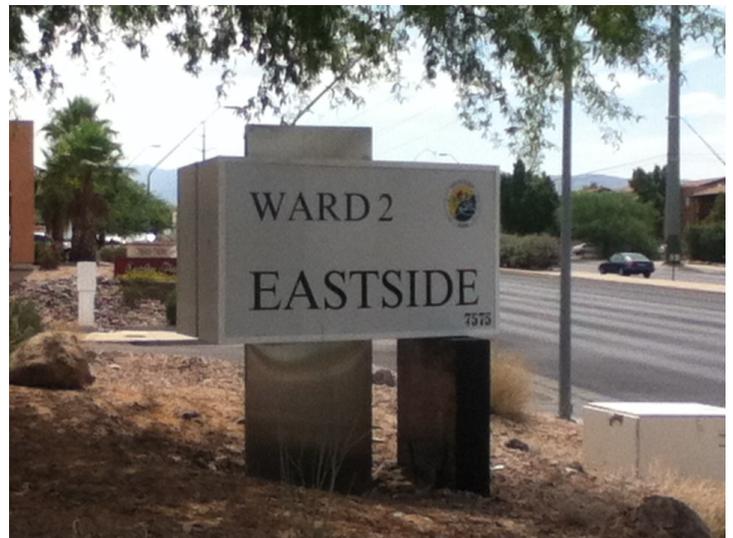
The Southern Arizona Humane Society and I are sponsoring a vaccination clinic for dogs at the Ward 2 office (7575 E Speedway) on September 17 from 8 am – 10 am. Dogs will receive a free rabies vaccine, and distemper/parvo vaccinations will be available for \$12.

This is a dog only vaccination event, and dogs must be three months or older to receive a rabies vaccine. There will be a 150 dog limit and be ready to wait in line with your dog. For more information, call the Humane Society of Southern Arizona at 881-0321.

## UPCOMING

Two events are coming in October. We'll have more information for you in future newsletters, but mark your calendars:

- **Southern Arizona Foundation AIDS Walk:** Sunday, October 9. Visit [saaf.org](http://saaf.org) for more information.
- **Paint Pima Purple:** Emerge is having it's annual domestic violence awareness event for the month of October. Be ready to wear purple. You can visit [emergecenter.org](http://emergecenter.org) for more information over the next few weeks.

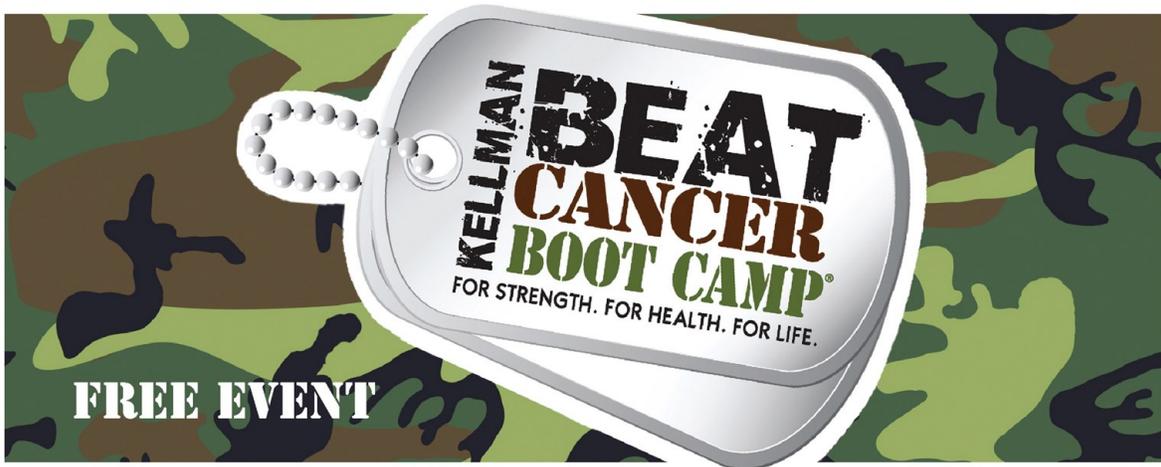


Don't fight the CANCER battle alone !

# LET'S BEAT CANCER TOGETHER

Join Tucson's Original **BEAT CANCER BOOT CAMP**

- Fitness • Camaraderie • Cancer survivors - young and young at heart!
- Caregivers, loved ones and ANYONE ready to beat cancer before it affects your life.



This wellness event will feature resources from community cancer programs, nutritional experts, fitness fair and guest appearances from VIP community leaders.

## MORRIS K. UDALL PARK AMPHITHEATER

7200 E. Tanque Verde Rd., Tucson

**September 10, 2016 Saturday 8:00 am**



For more information contact  
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Studies suggest that physical activity may help cancer survivors live longer by: reducing the risk of cancer recurrence of slowing cancer progression and reducing the risk of other life threatening diseases including second primary cancers.

## CAROL WEST SENIOR CENTER

**Health and Wellness Fair:** The Health and Wellness Fair will be on Thursday, September 29 from 11 am to 1 pm. There will be vendors, presentations, raffle, prizes and more.

**Aquatic Fitness:** A free aquatic fitness class will be on Tuesday, August 30 from 8 am to 10:30 am. It will include a safety talk and snacks. Sponsored by CareMore.

*Please contact the Carol West Senior Addition, 791-4121 for questions.*

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## PARKS PROGRAMS

**Fall Program Guide and Parks and Recreation Leisure Classes:** The Tucson Parks and Recreation Fall Program Guide has been published, and registrations have started. The Fall Leisure classes for Session I takes place from August 28-October 15. Session II of classes will run October 23-December 10. For class and program availability, call Registration Services at 791-4877. Visit [www.ezeereg.com](http://www.ezeereg.com) for additional information.

**City Softball:** The City Softball League season begins August 15. Walk-in registrations are currently taking place at the Sports Unit located at 8155 E Poinciana Drive. Registration ends August 5.

**The Arizona Symphonic WINDS- Concerts:** The WINDS concert series will take place at the Lazslo Veres Amphitheater in Udall Park (7200 E Tanque Verde Rd) on September 10, 17, 24, and October 1, and from 7 pm to 9 pm. Please bring a chair or blanket. For more information visit: <http://azwinds.com/>

*Call 791-4877 for more information or questions.*

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for the following charities:

**THE COMMUNITY FOOD BANK—Non Perishable  
Items**

**DIAPER BANK OF SOUTHERN ARIZONA—  
Infant/Child/Adult Diapers**

**TIHAN - Personal Care Items for Individuals  
and Families in Need**

**LIONS CLUB—Eye Glasses**

**DANCING IN THE STREETS ARIZONA—Ballet/  
Dance Equipment**

**CASA MARIA—Plastic bags**

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## MAYOR AND COUNCIL

Due to the Labor Day holiday, the next Mayor and Council meeting will be on **Wednesday, September 7**. Regular Session starts at 5:30 pm following an afternoon study session. There is always a short call to the audience before the business portion of the meeting. Council chambers are located downtown at 255 W Alameda.

The agendas for the meetings are posted online at <http://cms3.tucsonaz.gov/clerks/mcdocs>

