

CITY OF SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA

GENERAL ELECTION

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2020

CANDIDATE INFORMATION PAMPHLET



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- *Oficina de la Secretaria Municipal, 3939 North Drinkwater Boulevard, 480-312-2412*
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- *Centro de la Comunidad Vista del Camino, 7700 East Roosevelt Street, 480-312-2330*
- *Biblioteca Appaloosa, 7377 East Silverstone Drive, 480-312-7323*
- *Biblioteca Arabian, 10215 East McDowell Mountain Ranch Road, 480-312-7323*
- *Biblioteca Civic Center, 3839 North Drinkwater Boulevard, 480-312-7323*
- *Biblioteca Mustang, 10101 North 90th Street, 480-312-7323*

To the Voters of the City of Scottsdale:

This pamphlet provides you with information regarding the City of Scottsdale's November 3, 2020 General Election to elect a Mayor and three Councilmembers.

This pamphlet contains general voting information regarding early voting and identification at the polls. Also included in the pamphlet are statements prepared and submitted by each of the candidates for this election. Candidate statements represent the opinions of the authors and have not been edited or checked for accuracy of content.

All qualified electors of the City, regardless of party registration, may vote for one mayoral candidate and three council candidates.

The U.S. Postal Service cannot automatically forward a ballot to another address. If you will be out of town and would like to receive an early ballot for Scottsdale's General Election, you must register your alternate mailing address with Maricopa County Elections. Your written request must include the following:

- Full name
- Date of birth
- Maricopa County residence address
- Mail-to address
- Signature
- A note giving Maricopa County permission to send your early ballot to the address provided

You may fax this written request to 602-506-5112 or mail it to:

Maricopa County Elections
Attn: Early Voting
510 S. 3rd Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85003

Additional information about the election is available through the Scottsdale City Clerk's Office, 3939 N. Drinkwater Boulevard, (480) 312-2412, and on the Internet: [Scottsdale.Vote](https://www.scottsdale.vote)

Sincerely,



Carolyn Jagger, MMC
City Clerk

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VOTER IDENTIFICATION AT THE POLLS

Every voter is required to show proof of identity at the polling location before receiving a ballot. This is a result of Proposition 200, the statewide initiative approved by voters in 2004.

ACCEPTABLE IDENTIFICATION

Following are the types of identification that are acceptable and can be used when voting at a polling location on Election Day. All identification must match the voter's name and address shown on the Maricopa County Elections Signature Roster.

LIST 1 – Acceptable forms of ID with voter's photograph, name, and address. The address must reasonably match the precinct register (1 required):

- Valid Arizona driver's license
- Valid Arizona non-operating identification license
- Tribal enrollment card or other form of tribal identification
- Valid United States federal, state, or local government issued identification

LIST 2 – Acceptable forms of ID (no photo) with voter's name and address. The address must reasonably match the precinct register (2 required):

- Utility bill of the elector dated within 90 days of the election (may be electric, gas, water, solid waste, sewer, telephone, cellular phone, or cable television)
- Bank or credit union statement dated within 90 days of the election
- Valid Arizona vehicle registration
- Indian census card
- Property tax statement of the elector's residence
- Tribal enrollment card or other form of tribal identification
- Arizona vehicle insurance card
- Recorder's Certificate
- Valid United States federal, state, or local government issued identification, including a voter registration card issued by the County Recorder
- Any mailing to the elector marked "Official Election Material"

LIST 3 – Acceptable forms of ID, one with photo, one without (2 required):

- Any valid photo identification from List 1, with an address that does not match the precinct register, accompanied by one valid item from List 2
- United States passport without address and one valid item from List 2
- United States military identification and one valid item from List 2

An identification is "valid" unless it can be determined on its face that it has expired.

Other forms of identification not on this list must be deemed acceptable by the county election official in charge of elections and must establish the identity of the elector.

PROVISIONAL BALLOT

If the voter does not have acceptable identification at the polling location, a Provisional Ballot may be voted. Acceptable identification must then be presented to the City Clerk or the Maricopa County Recorder before 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 10, 2020.

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480-312-2412 - Scottsdale.Vote

IMPORTANT VOTING INFORMATION

Date of Election Tuesday, November 3, 2020

Your polling location will be open from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes, any qualified registered voter, at the voter’s option, may be accompanied by a minor, who is permitted in the voting booth; be accompanied and assisted by a person of the voter’s own choice; or be assisted by two election officials, one from each major party, during any process relating to voting or during the actual process of voting on a paper ballot, machine, or electronic voting system. A person who is a candidate for an office in that election other than the office of precinct committeeman is not eligible to assist any voter. [A.R.S. §§ 16-515(E) and 16-580(E)].

Any qualified elector who, at 7:00 p.m., is in the line of waiting voters, shall be allowed to prepare and cast a ballot.

Last Day to Register to Vote Monday, October 5, 2020

If you do not know if you are qualified to vote in this election, please call the Maricopa County Elections Office at 602-506-1511.

EARLY VOTING INFORMATION

First Day Early Ballots AvailableWednesday, October 7, 2020

Last Day to Request Special Election Board Assistance..... Friday, October 23, 2020

Your written or verbal request for voting assistance must be received by the Maricopa County Tabulation and Elections Center, 510 S. Third Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85003, 602-506-1511, before 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 23, 2020, and must specify the address of confinement.

Last Day to Request that an Early Ballot be Mailed to You..... Friday, October 23, 2020

To have an early ballot mailed to you, the Maricopa County Tabulation and Elections Center, 510 S. Third Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85003, 602-506-1511, must receive your written, verbal, or online request before 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 23, 2020. Your written request must specify where (complete mailing address) to send the early ballot and must contain your signature for verification purposes. Early ballot requests can be made online at:

<https://recorder.maricopa.gov/earlyvotingballot/earlyvotingballotrequest.aspx>

Last Day to Vote Early in Person Friday, October 30, 2020

Appear at an office designated for early voting no later than the close of business on the last day to vote early in person.

**Last Day to Return a Ballot that
was Mailed to Youby 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, November 3, 2020**

For your ballot to be valid and counted, your voted early ballot and signed affidavit must be received by the Maricopa County Tabulation and Elections Center, 510 S. Third Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85003, by 7:00 p.m. on Election Day, Tuesday, November 3, 2020. You may also deposit your ballot and affidavit at any polling location designated for this election from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Election Day.

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HOW TO VOTE EARLY IN PERSON

Offices Designated for Early Voting in Person

In-person early voting, using Ballot On Demand (vote anywhere) technology, will be held at various locations throughout Maricopa County. For the most current list of early voting locations and hours of operation, please visit Locations.Maricopa.Vote.

For additional information, please call the City of Scottsdale Elections Office: (480) 312-2412; or visit Scottsdale.Vote.

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CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR



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I am running to be Scottsdale's next Mayor because I believe our great city has lost its way, and our city leaders are out of touch with us. I want to bring back the Scottsdale we all love, restore government accountability, transparency and encourage development that respects the character that's made us the envy of the Southwest.

HERE'S MY REFORM AGENDA:

→DEVELOP A DISTRICT SYSTEM FOR COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Impanel a citizen task force to develop a district system which ensures every resident and neighborhood is represented by a Councilmember directly accountable to them.

→RESTORE CITIZENS BUDGET COMMISSION

One appointment per Councilmember to ensure transparency and accountability as we set our budget priorities.

→ESTABLISH LOBBYIST REGISTRATION

Anyone lobbying the city for any business or organization should register and disclose what is being spent on their efforts. We deserve to know who is trying to influence our city officials.

→DEMAND HIGHER DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS

As the Valley's premiere community, we should not settle for average. New development must bring benefit to our city and enhance our property values.

→CHANGE APPOINTMENT PROCESS FOR PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION

Every Councilmember appoints one member each so that Scottsdale residents have direct accountability on planning and zoning decisions.

→ESTABLISH NEIGHBORHOOD ADVISORY PANELS

Before we bring the General Plan to the voters, we must ensure every neighborhood is represented during the process. We all deserve a voice in the outcome.

This election is about trust. As a lawyer, I've helped homeowners protect their property. As your Mayor, I will work to protect our quality of life. We will demand higher development standards, true citizen involvement, meaningful traffic solutions, and restore transparency and accountability.

Let's make City Hall work for us. Vote for me on November 3rd. Together, let's Stand Up for Scottsdale!

CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR



Name: David "Dave" Ortega

Age: 66

Education: College of Architecture University of Arizona;
American Institute of Architects; Scottsdale
Leadership Class 3

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Over the last 12 years, City Hall brushed aside our low-profile, low-density, family-friendly neighborhoods and desert panorama; bowing to zoning attorney lobbyists, rather than listening to you.

My opponent is a zoning attorney and developer. Her current development, Spring Creek Ranch, would increase density twenty times more than allowed. Staunch opposition is at KeepSedonaBeautiful.org.

Living 41 years in Scottsdale, raising our family, building a successful architecture business, serving on State Boards, and serving as Councilman (2000-04) prepared me to face the challenges of serving as Mayor. My track record of listening, understanding needs, prioritizing budgets, designing numerous buildings in Old Town, promoting the McDowell Sonoran Preserve and protecting our Western heritage is steadfast.

I have always unconditionally supported our Preserve. When I was vice mayor, we successfully acquired 20.3 square miles, without spending a dime, by negotiating with the State Land Department. We reclassified 13,000 acres as "Open Space," saving taxpayers \$ 650M in acquisition taxes. I voted YES on Prop 420 to keep our Preserve pristine.

My goals as Mayor:

- **Leverage City Resources: Ensure Police protection, essential services and fiscal conservative budget.**
- **Protect Neighborhoods: Control Short-Term Rentals and improve services for seniors and children.**
- **General Plan 2035: Reclaim citizen-driven values to direct the Council, not the other way around.**
- **Build Bond 2019: As Mayor and architect I will guide on-budget citywide construction projects.**
- **Voting Districts: Put Districts to the 2022 ballot, because half of city voters live south of Shea without direct representation.**
- **Quality Growth: Support sustainable development which is compatible with the Scottsdale Brand.**

I will reconnect City Hall with residents, not wealthy zoning attorney lobbyists. My community experience, leadership, architect skills and Independent perspective prepared me to represent you as full-time Mayor. I ask for your VOTE on November 3rd.

CANDIDATE FOR COUNCIL



Name: Becca Linnig
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Scottsdale has been home to my husband and our family for the last 22 years. We have three amazing children, two Saguaro Sabercat graduates and one Mohave Wildcat, a terrific daughter-in-law, an adorable grandson and a rescue dog. Strong schools and a great education is paramount to the successful future of our city.

Giving back to our community has always been a priority and as a volunteer you will find me assisting tourists (and locals) as an Ambassador, giving tours as a Historic Tour guide and on the streets as our Block Watch Captain in Village Grove. Additionally, I am proud to be a part of the District 1 Scottsdale Police Dept. Community Engagement Committee and a member of Scottsdale Leadership, Class 34.

As a successful REALTOR® and Property Manager with REMAX for the past 14 years protecting property rights and values are a key issue. I served as President for the Scottsdale Area Association of REALTOR®s in 2018 and currently serve on the board at the State (AAR) and National (NAR) levels.

Now more than ever we need to focus on collaboration between City Council, City Departments and Scottsdale Citizens. It is important that we have an efficient government who is fiscally responsible and performs core services at exceptional levels.

We need to encourage growth that enhances our city, supports our businesses and celebrates arts and culture. We MUST invest in our future.

I am passionate about our city and want ALL of Scottsdale to be represented. We have not had a councilmember south of Shea for over 15 years. I respectfully and humbly ask for your vote

Visit my website to learn more at www.beccaforscottsdale.com or Facebook at <https://facebook.com/beccaforscottsdale/>

CANDIDATE FOR COUNCIL



Name: Tammy Caputi

Age: 51

Education: B.A., Economics – Wellesley College
M.B.A. – Simmons College Graduate School
of Management
Fellow – Flinn Brown Arizona Center for
Civic Leadership

Occupation: President and Owner, Yale Electric West, Inc.

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I'm Tammy Caputi, and I'm running for city council to make Scottsdale even greater for my children than it's been for me. I have loved living in Scottsdale for 20 years.

We need councilmembers who govern with facts and open minds, who create consensus and promote collaboration. Councilmembers who exercise caring judgment and wisdom for issues both big and small. I will help guide us as a diverse, vibrant, resilient community that works for all residents. This is even more important now amidst our current crisis.

I just served three years on the Development Review Board, overseeing the quality of development in Scottsdale. I have an Economics degree from Wellesley College and an MBA, and successfully run a multimillion-dollar business I founded here in Scottsdale. My husband and I have three children in our local public schools. I'm ready to serve our community.

My number one issue is our future: our livability and quality of place, where our families can prosper and raise their own families. I will promote economic vitality and foster high-tech jobs that diversify our economy, generate revenue, and complement our robust tourism industry. Let's enhance our transportation system, by maximizing the safety and efficiency of our community. Most important is protecting our neighborhoods.

Our future includes overseeing thoughtful, quality development that provides public benefits like open spaces or workforce housing. Development should always consider preservation and livability as its goals.

Finally, our future must include closer communication and mutual support with our top-notch education systems: public, private, charter, and higher ed. I want to create a city where residents can go to school and find quality jobs from hire to retire.

Scottsdale is an amazing city and our future looks bright. As a positive, forward thinking council member, I will help light up the way!

CANDIDATE FOR COUNCIL



Name: Guy Phillips
Age: 61
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Hobbies: Rebuilding muscle cars, writing and coin collecting.

To the Residents of Scottsdale,

Thank you for honor and privilege of representing you these past 7 years.

I understand that you are busy with life's demands and that's why you vote to have someone represent your interests in Scottsdale. I would like you to know I take that responsibility seriously and have worked diligently to make your life in Scottsdale as pleasant as possible, from providing excellent public safety to keeping up with and adding amenities for you and yours to enjoy. I am proud to have brought to you the PT-17 Biplane to the Scottsdale Airport, The Parada Museum downtown, and the establishment of Scottsdale's first Veteran's Advisory Commission.

I have also remained a fiscally conservative councilman and will continue to vote for your best interests when it comes to taxes and fees that impact you daily. If reelected I will continue my service to you in the following ways:

- **Public Safety will remain my #1 priority**
- **Promote and expand tourism opportunities that keep our taxes low**
- **Protect neighborhoods from multi-national short-term rental growth**
- **Work to create a General Plan that protects neighborhoods from unwanted growth, height and density**
- **Listen to YOUR concerns and work with you on a one-to-one basis**

Our city is reaching buildout and it's imperative your city council takes responsible and meaningful steps to insure our quality of life remains. I promise to work towards that goal while always keeping in mind my responsibility to you and your family. Let me continue in keeping Scottsdale the world class city it is today.

Please Vote Guy Phillips for Scottsdale City Council! Thank you!

CANDIDATE FOR COUNCIL



Name: John Little

Age: 70

Education: University of Minnesota, Urban Studies
Advanced Public Executive Program, Arizona
State University

Occupation: Former Scottsdale City Manager
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Dear Friends and Neighbors,

My love of Scottsdale began in 1972. I moved here with my family in 1985, began working for the city, and had the honor to be Mayor Herb Drinkwater's Chief of Staff. From him, I inherited a deep love of Scottsdale and an appreciation for our city's rich traditions of innovation, creativity and excellence.

That kind of vision is needed again today. I have an "insider's" understanding of the people, processes and resources that gets things done. I also have an outsider's perspective as a successful businessman who knows the difficult challenges that lie ahead as we rebuild our local economy. My unique background in business, government and non-profits has prepared me well for navigating stormy seas. I bring **more experience in the delivery of public services than all the candidates for city council combined**. In fact, this is why I am proud to be endorsed by our police officers and firefighters.

With our local economy suffering unprecedented hardships and catastrophic losses in sales tax revenue, we need real, experienced leadership that recognizes what's at stake when inexperienced candidates threaten to slow our city down. This is not the time to pump the brakes and send a message that Scottsdale opposes quality development. If we don't commit to revitalization we could see the wholesale closure of businesses, a decline in property values, increased taxes and a reduction in essential services like police and fire.

Working together we can bring creative solutions to diversifying our economy, we can restore lost jobs, and even more importantly we can restore our reputation as the premier city in the Desert Southwest for quality of life.

I ask for your vote – to ensure both Preservation AND Progress. Now more than ever, principled, tested and committed leadership is needed.

CANDIDATE FOR COUNCIL



Name: Betty Janik

Age: 70

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Primary responsibility of a Councilmember is to represent citizens. With your support, I will represent **YOU** with thoughtful decisions responsive to **YOUR VOICE**.

Endorsed by Council members Kathy Littlefield & Solange Whitehead, Former Mayor Mary Manross, Carla, Preserve Pioneer and Coalition of Greater Scottsdale.

THOUGHTFUL GROWTH

Scottsdale is a wonderful place to live! **Unfortunately, unrestrained development, and insufficient long-term funding of it, threaten our quality of life.** Ever-increasing new construction with excessive height and density are jeopardizing views, infrastructure, traffic flow. Current Council majority is financially beholden to developers, thus have voted for EVERY project in last four years. I'm NOT funded by developers. I'll make decisions in the best interest of residents first.

- Respecting values of ALL ages/lifestyles
- Fiscally conservative
- Resident supported zoning
- Approving projects fully funded by developers/new income, not taxpayers
- Protecting the Sonoran Preserve
- Supporting vital industries: tourism/healthcare/retail/technology
- Maintaining fully-funded fire/police

The most important task of the new Council is producing a viable General Plan, defining locations and development, protecting open spaces, sustaining financial viability and community services for the future. This vision and collaboration with all citizens will generate a rational citizen-friendly framework for development while preserving Scottsdale's unique character.

LISTEN TO RESIDENTS

The most egregious examples of Council not listening are the Desert Discovery Center and Southbridge II. **Council approved these projects despite significant citizens' objections. Residents initiated ballot measures to be heard!**

I have a proven record responding to citizens:

- **Founder, Protect Our Preserve**
- **Opposed Southbridge**
- **President, Coalition of Greater Scottsdale** (Advocated consistent zoning/land use)
- **Member, 2019 Bond PAC** (Secured \$350 MIL for the BEST Scottsdale.)

If these reflect your values, elect me YOUR VOICE to represent YOUR VISION!

CANDIDATE FOR COUNCIL



Name: Tom Durham
Age: 65
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I'm running to restore trust in our City Council and to represent *all* Scottsdale citizens. In the last two years, citizens have been so upset with the Council majority's failure to listen that they initiated two ballot measures (Protect Our Preserve, Southbridge II) so citizens would have a say in Scottsdale's future. We must elect Council members who listen to citizens' views so these uprisings aren't necessary!

I served as Treasurer of Protect Our Preserve PAC, helping to save our Sonoran Preserve from commercial development. The Council majority planned a huge development in our Preserve, despite overwhelming opposition of Scottsdale citizens. Our PAC put the issue up to a citizen vote which saved the Preserve, and I was proud to play a significant role in that effort.

I strongly disagree with those favoring growth at all costs. I'm not opposed to growth in Scottsdale, but I support *thoughtful growth*---balancing development with open spaces and views; controlling height, density, and traffic; and, above all, *always* preserving and enhancing the unique character of Scottsdale neighborhoods.

From 2016-2020 the same four Councilmembers have voted for EVERY major project, and have repeatedly changed zoning regulations to favor developers. We must seat new Councilmembers who prioritize residents, not developers, and who respect the desires of all residents and businesses.

I will:

- Protect Our Preserve
- Fully fund police and fire
- Support tourism while building healthcare and other leading industries
- Restore financial solvency after COVID; continue low tax rates
- Require that development cover the costs of infrastructure and services.

My experience as a trial lawyer in understanding complex legal issues and economic analyses will help me make fact-based decisions benefitting the long-term future of Scottsdale.

I have been endorsed by former Mayor Mary Manross, Councilmembers Kathy Littlefield and Solange Whitehead, and the Coalition of Greater Scottsdale.

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MATERIALES OFICIALES ELECTORALES - SOLAMENTE UN FOLLETO SE HA ENVIADO A CADA DOMICILIO EN EL CUAL RESIDE UN VOTANTE REGISTRADO. FAVOR DE UTILIZARLO PARA TODOS LOS VOTANTES REGISTRADOS EN SU DOMICILIO.