

City of Maricopa 2015 AZ Legislative Wrap-up

May 19, 2015



Fifty-first Legislature Second Regular Session

- Opening Day: January 12, 2015
- Sine Die: April 3, 2015 3:37 a.m.
- Session Length: 87 Days
- Bills: Proposed 1,163
- Bills: Signed 324, Vetoed 20
- Budget: Passed \$9.1 Billion
- Bill effective date July 3, 2015



Maricopa's 2015 Legislative Agenda

- (A) Protect Revenue
- (B) Property Tax Fairness
- (E) Local Control
- (F) Landowners Rights
- (G) Economic Development Tools
- (H) Public Safety
- (K) Transportation
- Department Request



Good News

- Passed HP2557 Codes; Adoption by Reference; Copies (Maricopa)
- Passed HP2214 Majority Vote Calculation
- Passed SB1446 TPT Clean-up
- Vetoed HB2410 Ticket Quota



Good News

- Failed HB2254 Residential Rental Tax
- Failed HB2570 Municipal Vegetation
- Failed HB2320 Firearms In Public Places
- Failed SB1291 Firearms Preemption
- Failed SB1330 Prohibit Enforcement 2nd
 Amendment Limits
- Failed HB2662 Speed Restrictions; Penalties



Bad News

- Failed HB2324 IGA Indemnification
- Failed HB2558 Property Sale Threshold (Maricopa)



Mixed Bag

- Failed HB2069 Tax Reduction Online
- Passed SB1300 Body Camera (Study Committee)
- Failed HB1433 Utility Relocation (Stakeholders Group)
- Failed SB1167 Ban Photo Raider
- Passed SB1241 Plastic Bag Ban



Legislative Future 2016

- Impact of SB1076 Violating Taxing Authority
- Pima County lawsuit
- Redo of SB1476 striker (PPT Rate Freeze)
- Maricopa decoupling bill
- Public School lawsuit



Questions?

