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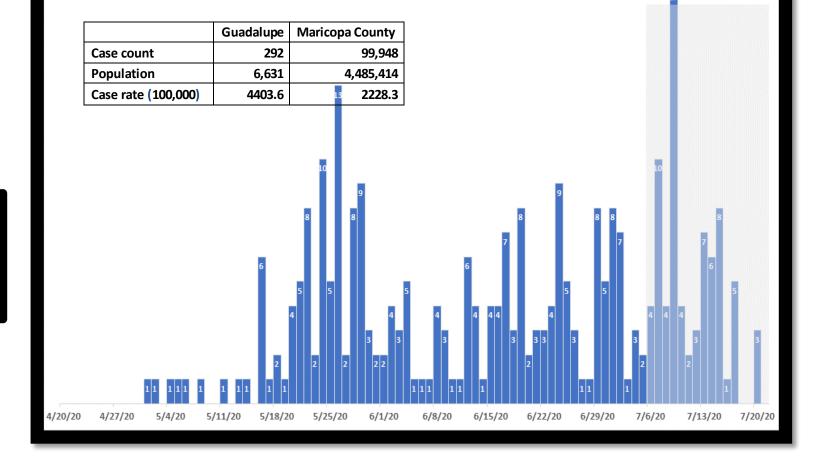
The case rate is over 2.0 times the rest of Maricopa County.

(4403.6 v 2228.3 per 100,000 persons).

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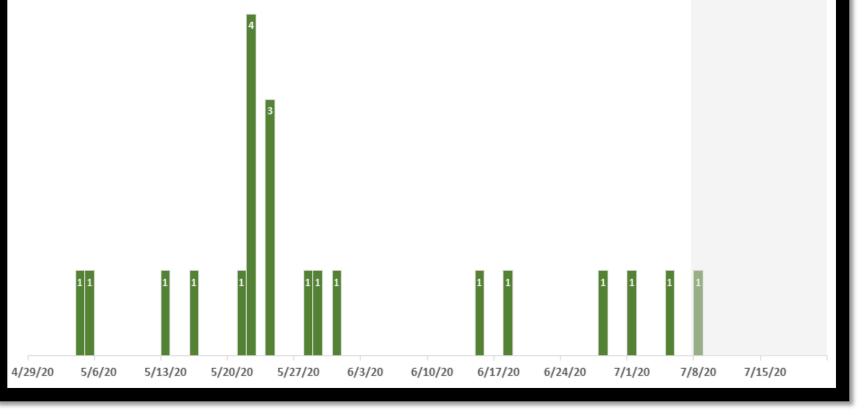
Town of Guadalupe – Specific data – COVID19 Hospitalizations

April 21 – July 21, 2020

Source: Maricopa County Public Health – Disease Control

Guadalupe COVID19 Cases

Confirmed COVID-19 cases requiring hospitalization in Guadalupe residents by date of specimen collection — April 21–July 14, 2020 (N = 21)





Guadalupe COVID19 Cases

	Case count			Case Rate (pe	r 100K)	
			Guadalupe			Guadalupe
			Weekly			case rate
Date	County Wide	Guadalupe	Increase	County Wide	Guadalupe	comparis <u>on</u>
21-Jul	99,948	292	57	2228.3	4403.6	2.0
14-Jul	85,949	235	53	1916.2	3544.0	1.9
7-Jul	69,954	182	23	1559.6	2744.7	1.8
29-Jun	48,710	159	12	1086	2397.8	2.2
23-Jun	34,993	147	16	780.2	2216.9	2.8
16-Jun	22,232	131	21	495.7	1975.6	4.0
10-Jun	16,074	110	23	358.4	1659.0	4.6
31-May	10,427	87		232.5	1312.0	5.6

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Remains constant at twice the County rate for a month

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PROCLAMATION and CONTINUED DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY

COVID-19 – REQUIRING FACE COVERINGS IN PUBLIC

WHEREAS, on January 31, 2020, Secretary Alex Azar of the United States Department of Health and Human Services, declared a public health emergency to address the 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19); and

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, the Governor of the State of Arizona issued a declaration of Public Health Emergency due to the necessity to prepare for, prevent, respond to, and mitigate the spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, the Mayor of Guadalupe Arizona issued a proclamation declaring a COVID-19 local emergency in the Town of Guadalupe to address COVID-19; in accordance with Town Code of Ordinances, Chapter 2, Mayor and Council, Section 2-2-4 Powers and Duties of the Mayor; and

WHEREAS, on May 12, 2020, the Governor of Arizona issued Executive Order 2020-36 allowing for the gradual opening of businesses with his "Stay Healthy, Return Smarter, Return Stronger" initiative; and

WHEREAS, on June 16, 2020, the Town of Maricopa County number of COVID-19 cases per 100,000 population was 1975.6, four times the number for Maricopa County (as reported by the Maricopa County Public Health 495.7 cases per 100,000); and

WHEREAS, there is no vaccine, treatment or cure for COVID-19; without vaccine, treatment, or cure individuals must together prevent exposure to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on June 17, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 2020-40 allowing for a city to adopt policies regarding the wearing of face coverings in public for the purpose of mitigating the spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 continues to pose a serious public health threat for infectious disease spread to Town of Guadalupe residents, particularly Elders and those with underlying health conditions, if proper precautions recommended by public health officials are not followed; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and appropriate to take action to ensure the spread of COVID- 19 is controlled and that the residents of the Town of Guadalupe remain safe and healthy.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor Valerie Molina, of the Town of Guadalupe, Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State, specifically A.R.S. §§ 26-311 and Guadalupe Town Code Section 2-2-4 Powers and Duties of the Mayor effective immediately, June 19, 2020, do hereby proclaim:

A local health emergency exists in the Town of Guadalupe, Maricopa County as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic conditions, which impact the life and health of Town of Guadalupe residents, visitors and businesses.

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that during the existence of the local health emergency all individuals within the jurisdiction of the Town of Guadalupe are required to wear face coverings in all places of public accommodation, if they are or will be in contact with other individuals who are not in their household, in spaces where it is difficult or impossible to maintain physical distancing.

Face coverings are also required in all spaces where it is difficult or impossible to maintain physical distancing. Physical distancing means keeping (6) feet distance between individuals who are not in the same household.

These spaces include but are not limited to grocery stores, markets, dispensaries, restaurants and bars, gyms, youth activity facilities, retail stores, special events, and public transit. Businesses that interact with the public must require employees to wear face coverings. While wearing the face covering, it is essential to maintain physical distance as it is the best defense against the spread of the COVID-19.

A face covering means material that covers the nose and mouth. It can be secured to the head with ties or straps, or wrapped around the lower portion of the face. It can be made from materials such as cotton, silk, or linen, or be a surgical mask. A cloth face covering may be made or sewn by hand, as well as improvised from household items such as a bandana, scarf, t-shirt, sweatshirt or towel. A face covering shall be worn per guidance provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

A place of public accommodation means facilities, establishments, accommodations, services, commodities, or use offered to or for use by the general public, including public places where food or beverages are offered for sale, public places operated for temporary lodging, use or accommodation of those seeking health or recreation, and all establishments offering such goods or facilities, and entities soliciting patronage from the general public, except for religious organizations.

Exceptions for face coverings will be made under the following circumstances:

- For those who fall into the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's guidance for those who should not wear face coverings due to a medical or mental health condition or developmental disability.
- For children under 6 years old.
- For people whose religious beliefs prevent them from wearing a face covering.
- For restaurant patrons while they are eating or drinking. If a patron is not seated at their table, a face covering is required.
- For individuals exercising outdoors, or while walking or exercising with other people from the same household, as long as physical distancing from others is maintained. For individuals congregating outdoors with other people not in their same household, face coverings are required when physical distancing is not maintained.
- In settings where it is not practical or feasible to wear a face covering, including when obtaining or rendering goods or services, such as the receipt of dental services, medical treatments or while swimming.
- When a person is in a personal or work office or vehicle (or similar space) where others are not present as long as the public does
 not regularly visit the space.
- For public safety employees and/or emergency responders and/or field employees engaged in essential functions, when wearing the face covering would interfere with or limit their ability to carry out their duties or functions.
- For individuals complying with the directions of public safety employees.

In compliance with Executive Order No. 2020-40, enforcement of this proclamation shall focus first on education and providing guidance issued by the Arizona Department of Health Services, in order to promote the health and safety of Guadalupe residents and further mitigate the spread of COVID-19. Individuals shall be notified and be given an opportunity to comply with the proclamation before any enforcement action is taken to enforce this order under ARS § 26-317 (a class 1 misdemeanor).

Private businesses and venues shall enforce this proclamation by asking any person failing to comply with the emergency proclamation to leave their premises. By allowing people / patrons to remain on the premise without a face covering, as described herein, is violation of this emergency proclamation. A continued failure to comply with an emergency proclamation by a business owner and/or responsible party is a misdemeanor under ARS § 26-317 (a class 1 misdemeanor).

This proclamation shall remain in effect until its declared termination or notice of repeal or revision by the Governor of the State of Arizona per Paragraph 7 of Executive Order 2020-4.

Proclaimed this 19th day of June, 2020

Valerie Molina Mayor Town of Guadalupe, Arizona



- COVID19 Guadalupe Actions:
 - Community Action Program: CAP
 - Fire Department
 - Senior Center
 - Library
 - COVID19 Response Team Partnership
 - Promatoras
 - Public Information
 - Administration
- Goal:
 - Reduce spread, combat COVID19
 - Protect & improve health of residents

- COVID19 Guadalupe Actions:
 - State of Emergency
 - Proclamation Requiring Face Coverings in Public
 - Council Approved \$125K: COVID19 Response Team
 - Closed Senior Center, Library, CAP, Courts
 - Limited Town Hall hours
 - Suspended permits, Mercado rentals, park use
 - Cancelled public and private events
 - Hosting testing: 818 to date
 - Distributed masks, food boxes, essentials
 - Partnered with Tempe Wastewater Study
 - Offered Mercado rent deferral
 - Launched Response Team & Partnership



• Fire Department:

- Call volume 12.1 per day, July 2020 vs 8.4 per day, July 2019
- Calls 30-60 minutes longer where COVID19 is factor to disinfect and decontaminate
- Since June 1, 34% of calls COVID19 confirmed factor
- Since June 1, 23% of calls COVD19 suspected factor
- More than 4,100 masks distributed
- 14 business visits to remind of mask requirement
- Regional cooperation and engagement multi jurisdictional regional meetings.

• Senior Center:

- Daily meals prepared for pick up average: 38
- Daily meals prepared for home delivery: 24
- Extra meals prepared and frozen for emergency delivery / weekends.



• Maricopa County Library: Daily free lunches

- Guadalupe Library Facebook Page
- Curbside Pickup services Read and Feed program
- May, 2020 outreach events

Weekof	Total Received	Total Distributed	Total Leftover Meals
July 13	117	81	36
July 6	122	61	62
June 29	100	61	39
June 22	119	55	65
June 15	130	103	39
June 8	130	119	18
June 1	150	114	36



•	CAP:	
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Item	June 2020	June 2019
Food Boxes	341	206
Emergency Food Boxes	497	47
Rental Asst.	5 families: \$4,060	5 families: \$3,152
Utility Asst.	21 families: \$35,000	129 families: \$76,761

• Response Team Partnership:

Pascua Yaqui Tribe, Maricopa County Health, ASU, Native Health

- Temporary COVID19 accommodations: contracted with Maricopa County Health.
- Day's Inn on Elliott and I-10, estimated 130 rooms will be available.
- Wrap around services: Laundry, Meals, 24 hr. on site Medical, Transportation, Security, Cleaning
- Service to the east valley.



• Promotoras:

• # of contacts:	291	48.5 per week.
• # of food boxes:	15	2.5 per week.
 # of essentials: 	15	2.5 per week.
• # of home visits:	38	6.5 per week.
• # of calls:	108	18 per week.
 # of masks: 	599	100 per week.

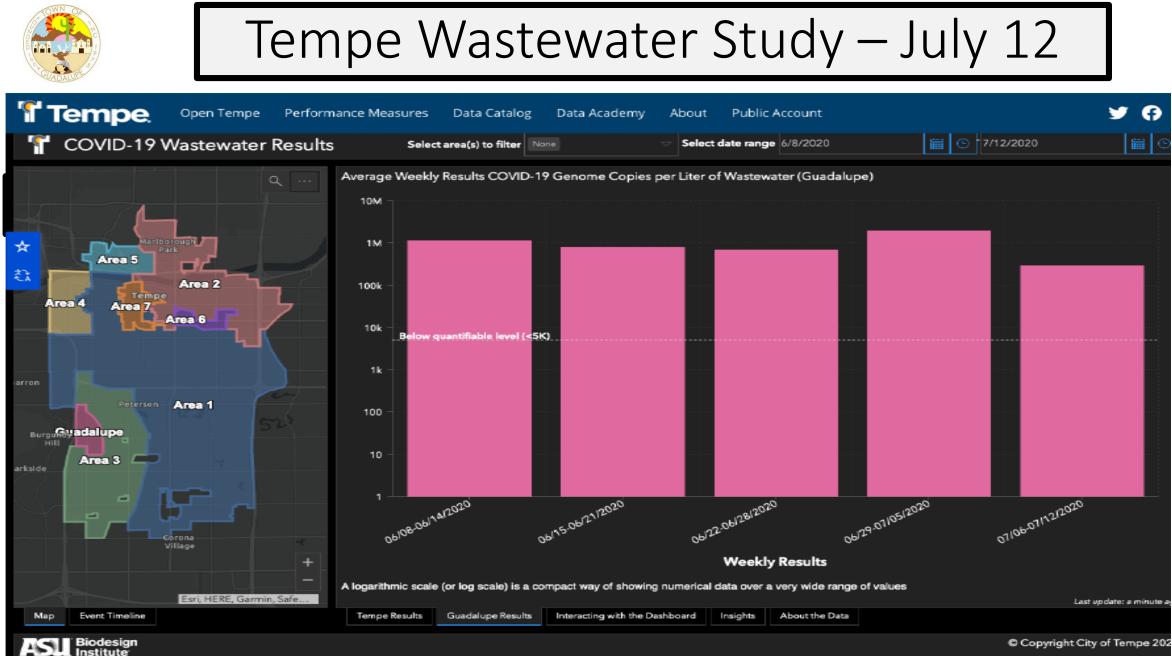
• Promotoras/ASU/Native Health:

- Testing of Guadalupe homebound and homeless residents this week.
- Cultural sensitivity training provided by PYT for ASU students.
- ASU students, Native Health, FD and Promotoras coordinate testing.
- COVID-19 Response Team Promotoras:
 - Veronica Tavena-Perez & Gracie Holguin
 - E-mail: <u>COVID19@guadalupeaz.org</u>
 - Number: 480-603-2404

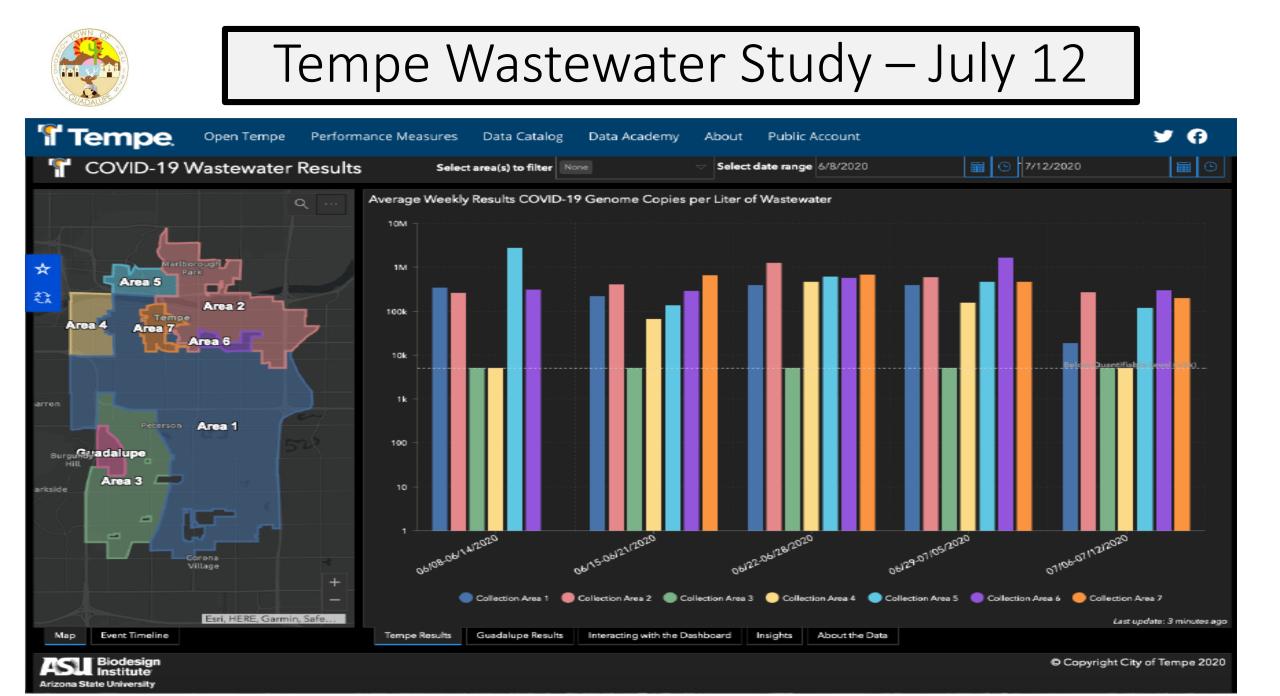


• Public Information:

- 30 of 32 FB posts related to COVID-19 since June 11, 2020
- 9,783 FB Engagements (likes, comments, shares) in last month
- Tucson.com, AZ Daily Sun, Buenos Aires Times, and 10 other sites published "COVID-19 Is Ravaging America's Vulnerable Latino Communities" <u>https://tucson.com/news/state-and-regional/covid-19-is-ravaging-americas-vulnerable-latino-</u> communities/article_2522dbb0-d07e-5dd9-bbd8-5da99d28bd47.html
- Arizona Public Media "Small town in Maricopa County steps up fight against COVID-19" https://www.azpm.org/p/azillhome/2020/7/10/176400-small-town-in-maricopa-county-steps-up-fight-against-covid-19/
- PBS Newshour https://www.pbs.org/newshour/health/latino-black-neighborhoods-struggle-with-test-disparities KJZZ, and cited in Cronkite News "Town Of Guadalupe's COVID-19 Rate More Than 4 Times Higher Than All Of Maricopa County" https://kjzz.org/content/1591264/town-guadalupes-covid-19-rate-more-4-times-higher-all-maricopa-county
- <u>Esri.com</u> "COVID-19: Tempe Tests Wastewater to Provide Early Warnings" https://www.esri.com/about/newsroom/blog/covid-19-tempe-tests-wastewater/
- **AZ Central** https://www.azcentral.com/story/news/politics/arizona/2020/06/12/gov-ducey-gave-less-cares-aid-per-personsmaller-arizona-cities-counties/5323817002/



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Thank You to our Partners

• Pascua Yaqui Tribe

- Maricopa County Health Department
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TOWN SERVICE DELIVERY – as of July 16, 2020:

- Combat COVID-19 Response Team
- Reasonable measures, at scale.
- Protect the public health of the Guadalupe community and slow the spread of COVID-19:

Impacts to consider:	May 13, 2020 Recommendations:	July 16, 2020 Recommendations: (subject to change based on COVID19 conditions)	July 16, 2020 Supporting Document
Gatherings / Events	May 13, 2020		
Town 4 th of July Event	Cancelled	Look forward to July 4, 2021 Town Celebration	EO20-36 5h.
Party permits	Permit events only scheduled after August 1	Permit parties only scheduled after January 1, 2021	EO20-36 5h.
Mercado public and private events	Permit events both public and private only scheduled after August 1	Permit events both public and private only scheduled after January 1, 2021	EO20-36 5h.
Car show	Sunday, September 27	Look forward to 2021 Car Show	EO20-36 5h.
Biehn Park reservations	Permit events only scheduled after August 1	Permit events only scheduled after January 1, 2021	EO20-36 5h.
Council meetings:	Limit in person attendance to less than 10 people. Broadcast meeting on Facebook live. Councilmembers attend remotely.	Limit in person attendance to less than 10 people. Broadcast meeting on Facebook live. Councilmembers attend remotely. Enhance public involvement.	EO20-36 5h.
Town Hall Operations			
Town hall – lobby / business	Open Tuesdays 9-noon & Wednesdays 2-5 By appointment	Open Tuesdays 9-noon & Wednesdays 2-5 By appointment until January 1, 2021	EO20-36 5g
Town hall – bathrooms/ phone/ water fountain	Closed / out of service	Closed / out of service	EO20-36 5a
Town hall – personal safety	Request use of face mask	Required use of face mask / covering	EO20-36 5a & e

Town Department	May 13, 2020 Recommendations:	July 16, 2020 Recommendations:	July 16, 2020	TOWN ON
Operations		(subject to change based on conditions)	Supporting Document	
CAP - food distribution:	 Restructured food distribution / planning for more demand with less supply. Limit people in CAP offices. CAP beginning Monday, March 23 will offer weekly food distribution only on Tuesday's beginning at 7:30 AM. Daily food distributions and drop in food distribution discontinued until further notice. Rental & utility assistance appointment only General assistance by appointment only 	• Same as May 13, 2020	EO20-36 5g	CUADALUPE
Senior center	 Extend closure to July 6 while providing current services. Lunches still served: carry out and home delivery Assist with CAP needs Minor repairs and cleaning continues 	 Extend closure to January 1, 2021 while providing current services: Lunches still served: carry out and home delivery Assist with CAP needs 	EO20-36 5g	
Fire	Monitor and acquiring supplies / Firefighters health & risk	 Monitor and acquiring supplies / Firefighters health & risk Distribute masks Raise awareness / inform Monitor business compliance COVID19 Response Team 		
Courts	 Per Chief Justice in person proceedings can begin June 1 with stringent safety protocols Limit appearances Move to telephonic Reroute court customers through Chamber 	 As of July 1, 2020: Guadalupe cases & citations will be adjudicated in City of Tempe courts through IGA. Open historic cases prior to July 1, 2020 are presently managed by Town Court staff. 	Chief Justice direction And Town services reduction due to budget limitations	



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MCSO	Follow MCSO HR direction / Deputy health & risk	• Same as May 13, 2020	EO20-36
Public works	Continue operations – watchful protocols	 Same as May 13, 2020 Add: wear masks when social distancing is not possible 	EO20-36
Cemetery	Remains Open: 7 AM – 4 PM; 7 days a week	• Same as May 13, 2020	EO20-36
Saturday, Maint. Yard Bulk Trash	Remains Open: 7 AM – Noon (or when dumpsters are full); Saturdays	• Same as May 13, 2020	EO20-36
Administration	 Increased hygiene practices while providing public service Request masks and distance Essential staff – watchful protocols Communicating with League of Cities and Towns Communicating with area cities and towns Communicating with ADOT, MAG Preparing proposed budget Maintaining on-going public service as time and conditions allow. 	 Same as May 13, 2020 COVID19 Response Team efforts Greater cautions 	EO20-36
Library	CLOSED until further notice w/ curbside service	Same as May 13, 2020	
Headstart	CLOSED until further notice	Same as May 13, 2020	
DES	CLOSED until further notice	Same as May 13, 2020	



Council Direction

Upcoming Fall Events	May 13, 2020 Recommendations:	July 16, 2020 Recommendations: (subject to change based on conditions)
1. Spooktacular	Not considered	October 22, Cancel unless conditions dramatically
		<mark>change</mark>
2. Dia de los Muertos	Not considered	Prohibit vendors at Cemetery
3. Parade and Tree	Not considered	November 28, Cancel unless conditions
Lighting		dramatically change
4. Navidad en	Not considered	December 19, create drive through event
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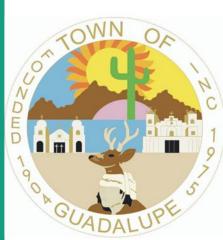
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