# 2024 Annual Calendars of Legal Events and Assessments



# Preface

The Arizona Department of Revenue (Department) administers the property tax system in cooperation with the 15 county assessors, among others. One of the administrative duties of the Department is to prepare and maintain publications reflecting standard and statutory appraisal methods and techniques that are used in the identification, classification, valuation, and assessment of property for ad valorem purposes. The Department regularly updates these publications, consistent with the following three update levels, depending on the perceived need:

**Review:** Publication conforms to standard style and formatting. Legislative and other citations verified. No changes to content, methodology, policy, or practice.

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This publication is a Revision. It supersedes the prior version (February 2023) of this publication and remains effective until replaced. Additional information may be issued as an addendum to this publication or as a separate publication. Due to the flexibility provided for in statute, deadlines and procedures may vary by county. The Department recommends contacting the county assessor of the county in which a subject property is located for detailed information regarding the deadlines and procedures in that jurisdiction. The information in this publication is based upon laws and rules in effect at the time of publication. Should any content in this publication conflict with current laws or rules, the latter shall be controlling.

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# Authority

Authority to produce this publication is found in Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) <u>42-11054(A) (1) and (2)</u>. Regarding the weight of authority of this publication, see A.R.S. <u>42-13051(B)(2)</u>.

## Publication Formatting and Style

Publications produced by the Department Property Tax Unit generally follow the rules of citation, format, grammar, punctuation, and related matters found in the following three guides: *Style Manual: An Official Guide to the Form and Style of Federal Government Publications*,<sup>1</sup> *The Chicago Manual of Style*,<sup>2</sup> and *The Bluebook: A Uniform System of Citation*.<sup>3</sup>

## Changes in Law

Following are notable changes in Arizona law that became effective since the last version of this publication was prepared by the Department, and that may be applicable to the material herein. Although every effort has been made to include all relevant and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> United States Government Publishing Office. <u>Style Manual: An Official Guide to the Form and Style of</u> <u>Federal Government Publications</u>, 31st ed. (Washington, DC: U.S. Government Publishing Office, 2016).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The University of Chicago. <u>The Chicago Manual of Style</u>, 17th ed. (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2017).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Editors, Columbia Law Review, et al., comps. <u>*The Bluebook: A Uniform System of Citation*</u>, 21st ed. (Cambridge: Harvard Law Review Association, 2020).

notable changes in law, this section may not be all inclusive. The Department recommends relying on your own research and discretion.

## Statutory and Constitutional Changes

This publication has been updated according to the 2023 legislative session (the Fifty-Sixth Legislature, First Regular Session). Statutory and constitutional changes that may be relevant to the publication are listed in the table below.

# 2023 – Fifty-Sixth Legislature – First Regular Session

## Senate Bill 1190: Amended (among others) A.R.S. 42-15101

Provided that the final date for mailing notices of value may be extended in the case of a declared state of emergency.

## Caselaw Changes

There were no changes in Arizona caselaw that were notable and applicable to the material in this publication since the prior version was published.

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# Introduction

The assessment of property for the purposes of taxation is facilitated by statutorily prescribed events that occur on specific calendar dates, and by actionable activities that the Department, county assessor, or property owner must complete on or before specified due dates. The *Annual Calendars of Legal Events and Assessments (Legal Calendar)* has been prepared to provide assessment personnel and other interested parties with this information.

The *Legal Calendar* is divided into four sections. The first three sections contain property tax calendars of legal events and assessments according to the type of property being assessed: the locally assessed<sup>4</sup> real property calendar, the locally assessed personal property calendar, and the centrally valued<sup>5</sup> property calendar. The fourth section contains a listing of actionable statutory provisions that do not include established calendar dates.

Although every effort has been made to include herein all pertinent legal events and assessments, the *Legal Calendar* may not be all inclusive. The Department recommends relying on your own research and discretion.

The following sections contain information that will assist in using the *Legal Calendar*, including relevant statutory definitions, details regarding the terms "due date" and "filing date," and frequently-used terminology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Locally assessed property is valued by the county assessor, e.g., agricultural, business, and residential property.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Centrally assessed property, called "centrally valued property" in the Arizona property tax system, is valued by the Department, e.g., mining, railroad, and utility property.

## Definitions

The following definitions, set forth in A.R.S. <u>42-11001 (1) to (20)</u>, are applicable to many of the entries in the property tax assessment calendars in this publication.

## 42-11001. Definitions

In chapters 11 through 19 of this title, unless the context otherwise requires:

- 1. **"Assessed valuation"** means the value derived by applying the applicable percentage prescribed by chapter 15, article 1 of this title to the full cash value or limited property value of the property, as applicable.
- 2. "Board" or "state board" means the state board of equalization.
- 3. **"County board"** means the county board of supervisors sitting as the county board of equalization.
- 4. **"Current usage"** means the use to which property is put at the time of valuation by the assessor or the department.
- 5. "**Due date**" means the next business day if a due date of any report, claim, return, statement, payment, deposit, petition, notice or other document or filing falls on Saturday, Sunday or a legal holiday.
- 6. **"Full cash value"**, for property tax purposes, means the value determined as prescribed by statute. If a statutory method is not prescribed, full cash value is synonymous with market value, which means the estimate of value that is derived annually by using standard appraisal methods and techniques. Full cash value is the basis for assessing, fixing, determining and levying primary and secondary property taxes on property described in section 42-13304. Full cash value shall not be greater than market value regardless of the method prescribed to determine value for property tax purposes.
- 7. **"Limited property value"** means the value determined pursuant to section 42-13301. Limited property value is the basis for:
  - (a) Computing levy limitations for counties, cities, towns and community college districts.
  - (b) Assessing, fixing, determining and levying primary and secondary property taxes on all property except property described in section 42-13304.

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- 8. "Net assessed value" means the assessed value minus any exempt property.
- 9. "Person" means a natural person, individual, proprietor, proprietorship, company, corporation, organization, association, joint venture, partner, partnership, trust, estate or limited liability company, the federal or state government, a political subdivision of a state or any other legal entity or combination of entities that owns, controls or has possession of real or personal property.
- 10. "Personal property" includes property of every kind, both tangible and intangible, that is not included as real estate.
- 11. "Primary property taxes" means all ad valorem taxes except for secondary property taxes.
- 12. "Producing mine" or "mining claim" means a mine or mining claim from which coal or any other mineral or mineral substance, except for clay, sand, gravel, building stone or a mineral or mineral substance that is normally processed into artificial stone, has been extracted for commercial purposes at any time during a period of one year before the first Monday in January of the valuation year.
- 13. "Real estate" includes the ownership of, claim to, possession of or right of possession to lands or patented mines.
- 14. "Residential treatment and education facility" means any residential facility that is subject to title 15, chapter 10, article 6.
- 15. "Roll" means the assessment and tax roll.
- 16. "Secondary property taxes" means:
  - (a) Ad valorem taxes or special property assessments that are used to pay the principal of and the interest and redemption charges on bonded indebtedness or other lawful long-term obligations that are issued or incurred for a specific capital purpose by a municipality, county or taxing district.
  - (b) Ad valorem taxes or assessments levied by or for special taxing districts and assessment districts other than school districts and community college districts.
  - (c) Amounts that are levied pursuant to an election to exceed a budget, expenditure or tax limitation.
- 17. "Tax year" for all property means the calendar year in which the taxes are levied.
- 18. "Valuation" means the full cash value or limited property value that is determined for real or personal property, as applicable.

19. "Valuation date", for the purposes of real property and property valued by the department, means January 1 of the year preceding the year in which taxes are levied.

#### 20. "Valuation year" means:

- (a) For real property and property valued by the department, the calendar year preceding the year in which the taxes are levied.
- (b) For personal property, the calendar year in which the taxes are levied.

## Due Date and Filing Date

Arizona law defines "due date" as "**the next business day if a due date** of any report, claim, return, statement, payment, deposit, petition, notice or other document or filing **falls on Saturday, Sunday or a legal holiday.**" A.R.S. <u>42-11001(5)</u> (emphasis added).

Accordingly, the due dates set forth herein may need to be adjusted to correspond with year-to-year variations in the date or day of the week.

With respect to property tax payments and filings, except for petitions or notices of appeal, the item is "deemed filed and received...on the date shown by the postmark or other official mark", or under certain circumstances "on the mailing date as established by competent evidence introduced by the sender." A.R.S. <u>1-218(A)</u>. Similarly, for petitions and notices of appeal, the "postal service postmark dates are evidence of the date petitions were filed". A.R.S. <u>42-16051(D)</u>.

Regarding filings and payments made in person, especially those made on the last possible date, it is important to note that some government offices may be subject to reduced operating hours or closure on certain days of the week (e.g., Fridays).

## Terminology

In this publication:

- "Department" or "department" indicates the Department of Revenue, unless another department is specified.
- "Director" or "director" indicates the Director of the Department of Revenue, unless another department is specified.

- "Taxpayer" or "taxpayer" refers to the person that owns, controls, or has possession of real or personal property and who is liable for the payment of property taxes assessed against that property.
- "Petitioner" or "petitioner" refers to the person that owns, controls, or has possession of real or personal property, or that person's authorized agent, who files an administrative property valuation or classification appeal or an error correction appeal with the county assessor, board of equalization, or tax court.
- "The Court" or "the court" indicates the Arizona Tax Court, unless the context otherwise requires or another court is specified.

# 2024 Assessment Calendar

# **Section One**

## Locally Assessed (valued by the County Assessor)

## **Real Property Tax Roll Assessment Calendar Dates**

	2024 Arizona Revised Statute Legal Dates
January	The assessor must notify a property owner regarding whether the
through	assessor has approved or disapproved the agricultural classification of
February	the owner's property on or before the date on which the assessor next
	mails the owner a Notice of Value for the property. Any owner not
	granted agricultural classification by the county assessor may appeal
	that decision. A.R.S. <u>42-12155 (A) and (C)</u> .
January	Except for properties affected by an equalization order,
through	on any date before March 1 of each year the county assessor
February	<ul> <li>shall notify [i.e., send a Notice of Value to] each owner of record, or purchaser under a deed of trust or an agreement of sale, of property that is valued by the assessor as to the property's full cash value and the limited property value, if applicable, to be used for assessment purposes. The notice under this section shall be in writing and shall be mailed, delivered by common carrier, or on request of the taxpayer transmitted electronically to the person's last known mailing, delivery or electronic address.</li> <li>A.R.S. 42-15101 (A) and (B). The notice reflects the property values</li> </ul>
	set during the current valuation year (2024) for placement on the rolls
	for the coming tax year <b>(2025)</b> .
January 1	Between the first Monday in January and March 1 of the current tax
through	year (2024) a taxpayer who has not previously filed evidence of their
March 1	tax exempt status that is entitled to a property tax exemption must
	submit an affidavit or furnish any evidence required by the county
	assessor. Failure on the part of a taxpayer to file the required affidavit

	or to furnish required evidence constitutes a waiver of the exemption.
	A.R.S. <u>42-11152 (A)(1) and (B)</u> and <u>42-11153(A)</u> .
January	Within ten days after receiving an initial affidavit of eligibility for
through	property tax exemption from certain nonprofit organizations, the
March	assessor, upon request, shall issue a receipt for the affidavit. A.R.S.
	<u>42-11104(D)</u> and <u>42-11109(B)</u> .
January 1	The valuation date of the year preceding the year in which taxes are
	levied. A.R.S. <u>42-11001(19)</u> and <u>42-13051(B)(2)</u> .
	Note: For locally assessed real property, the values that are
	determined in the current valuation year (2024) are used for the
	following tax year in which the taxes are levied (2025).
January 1	The property tax lien attaches on the first day of January of the current
	tax year <b>(2024)</b> . A.R.S. <u>42-17153(C)(1)</u> .
January 2	After January 1, but before April 1 of the current tax year (2024), a
through	taxpayer may file a claim with the county assessor for residential
March 31	property tax deferral for that tax year. A.R.S. <u>42-17303</u> and
	<u>42-17305(A)</u> .
January 5	The county assessor and the county treasurer shall remove the
	restrictions on all records that are redacted pursuant to this section by
	January 5 in the year after the court order expires. A.R.S. $11-484(J)$ .
January 15	Equalization orders (which are issued for the purpose of correcting
	inequities between or within counties, or inequities between or within
	property classifications) are to be issued by the Department to the
	county assessor no later than January 15 of the valuation year and
	shall be for the valuation year in which the order is issued. At the same
	time the county assessor is notified of an equalization order, the
	governor, the president of the senate, and the speaker of the house of
	representatives must be notified by certified mail or by email. The
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	county assessor or any taxpayer who may be affected by the order
	may appeal the order to the State Board of Equalization on or before
	February 15 of the valuation year. The Department must also report to
	the Property Tax Oversight Commission regarding the accuracy of
	valuations that were reported in prior years. A.R.S. <u>42-13251</u> et seq.
January 20	On or before January 20 of each year, the clerk of the board of
(Saturday)	supervisors must make an abstract of the tax roll for the current tax
	year (2024) that contains the valuations by each taxing jurisdiction of
	all property in the county. The clerk must file a copy of the abstract with
	the board of supervisors, the state or county board of equalization, and
	the Department. A.R.S. <u>42-15155 (A) and (B)</u> .
January 31	"If the ownership or the lessor or lessee of the [agricultural] property
	changes or if there is a change in the lease as abstracted, a new
	statement shall be filed with the assessor within three months after the
	change or before January 31, whichever is later." A.R.S. <u>42-13102(C)</u> .
January 31	On or before January 31, the assessor must mail a notice to each
	taxpayer who claimed a deferral of taxes for the preceding tax year
	(2023) stating that the taxpayer must file another claim before April 1,
	in order to receive a deferral of taxes for the new tax year (2024).
	A.R.S. <u>42-17305(A)</u> and <u>42-17310(A)</u> .
January 31	With respect to sales ratio studies, "[f]or a sale that requires a change
	in a parcel's legal description, the assessor shall transmit the property
	value affidavit to the Department by January 31 of the year following
	the calendar year of recording." A.A.C. <u>R15-4-118(C)(2)</u> .
February 1	The tax lien sale of real property for delinquent taxes shall be held in
through	February on the day designated in the list and notice by the county
February 29	treasurer. A.R.S. <u>42-18112 (A) and (B)</u> .

February 10	On or before February 10 of the current tax year (2024), the county
(Saturday)	assessor shall transmit and certify to the Property Tax Oversight
	Commission, and to the governing body of each county, city, town and
	community college district within the county, the total net primary
	assessed values that are required to compute the levy limit prescribed
	by A.R.S. <u>42-17051</u> . A.R.S. <u>15-1461.01(A)</u> , <u>42-17052(A)</u> , and
	<u>42-17107(A)</u> .
February 10	On or before February 10 of the current tax year (2024), the county
(Saturday)	assessor shall transmit to the county school superintendent the limited
	property value of each school district in the county to assist in
	computing equalization assistance for education as provided in A.R.S.
	<u>15-991</u> . A.R.S. <u>42-17052(B)</u> .
February 10	On or before February 10 of the current tax year (2024), the county
	assessor shall transmit to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee and
(Saturday)	to the Governor's Office of Strategic Planning and Budgeting the
	values required to compute the Truth in Taxation rates prescribed by
	A.R.S. <u>41-1276</u> . A.R.S. <u>42-17052(C)</u> .
	When the assessor transmits valuations pursuant to A.R.S. <u>42-17052</u> ,
	the assessor shall also transmit to each city, town, and community
	college district that imposes a primary property tax, to each fire district
	that imposes a secondary property tax, and to the Property Tax
	Oversight Commission a final levy limit worksheet. A.R.S.
	<u>42-17054(A)</u> .
February 15	On or before February 15 of each year, the county treasurer must
	submit a report to the Department of all returns and payments received
	for the preceding calendar year (2023), and to the Joint Legislative
	Budget Committee of all returns and payments received for the
	preceding calendar year (2023) that were related to leases of

	government property improvements that are owned by the government lessor. A.R.S. <u>42-6204(F) (1) and (2)</u> .
February 15	On or before February 15 of the current valuation year (2024), a
i obradi y ro	county assessor who receives an equalization order may appeal that
	order to the State Board of Equalization pursuant to A.R.S. <u>42-16159</u>
	A.R.S. <u>42-13255</u> .
February 29	Final date to file initial property tax exemption application or furnish
	required evidence. "A failure by a taxpayer who is entitled to an
	exemption to make an initial affidavit as required by section 42-11152
	or furnish evidence required by this article between the first Monday in
	January and March 1 of the [current tax year (2024)] constitutes a
	waiver of the exemption." A.R.S. <u>42-11153(A)</u> .
March 1	The Director may extend the final date for mailing Notices of Value
through	beyond March 1 for a period of no more than 30 days for delays
March 30	caused by an act of God, flood, fire, or declared state of emergency.
	A.R.S. <u>42-15101(D)</u> .
March 1	Because the assessor may send the real property Notice of Value any
through	time from January 1 to the last day of February (see A.R.S.
April 29	<u>42-15101(A)</u> ), the date range for filing a first-level administrative
	appeal with the assessor could be any time from March 1 to April 28
	(or 29) (see A.R.S. <u>42-16051(D)</u> ).
	After the assessor mails a Notice of Value, the property owner may
	inquire of, and be advised by, the assessor regarding the property
	value that was placed on the roll (for tax year 2025). A.R.S.
	<u>42-15101(F)</u> .
March 1	If a widow, widower, person with a disability, or organization that is
or after	recognized as being exempt from federal income tax by the Internal
	Revenue Service under <u>501(c)</u> of the Internal Revenue Code, submits

	a petition after the exemption application deadline, that person or
	organization may have the resulting waiver of the exemption redeemed
	by the county board of supervisors at any regular meeting, but no
	taxes that were due and payable before the petition was submitted
	may be refunded or abated. A.R.S. <u>42-11153(B)</u> .
March 1	The county assessor shall send a notice of reapplication to a resident
	who has previously qualified for the Property Valuation Protection
	Option (Senior Freeze Program) property valuation program six
	months before the date of the three-year reapplication requirement
	(which is September 1). See Ariz. Const. art. IX, sec. <u>18(7)</u> .
March 1	"At the request of a county assessor who receives an equalization
	order issued by the departmentthe state board shall hold a hearing
	and issue its decision within fifteen days after receipt of an appeal
	pursuant to section <u>42-13255</u> ." A.R.S. <u>42-16159(A)</u> . (Assessor must
	appeal the order on or before February 15 of the valuation year.)
March 1	The second one-half of taxes on real property for the prior tax year
	(2023) is due and payable the first day of March. A.R.S. <u>42-18052(A)</u> .
March 30	
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(Saturday) March 31	<ul> <li>(2023) is due and payable the first day of March. A.R.S. <u>42-18052(A)</u>.</li> <li>The final date the assessor can mail a Notice of Value in situations where the Director has authorized an extension of the mailing date beyond March 1 for a period of not more than 30 days. A.R.S. <u>42-15101(D)</u>.</li> <li>The final date a taxpayer may file a property tax deferral claim. After</li> </ul>
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(Saturday) March 31 (Sunday)	<ul> <li>(2023) is due and payable the first day of March. A.R.S. <u>42-18052(A)</u>.</li> <li>The final date the assessor can mail a Notice of Value in situations where the Director has authorized an extension of the mailing date beyond March 1 for a period of not more than 30 days. A.R.S. <u>42-15101(D)</u>.</li> <li>The final date a taxpayer may file a property tax deferral claim. After January 1, but before April 1 of the current tax year (2024), a taxpayer may file a claim with the county assessor for residential property tax deferral for that tax year. A.R.S. <u>42-17303</u> and <u>42-17305(A)</u>.</li> </ul>
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	district's properties are located of its election to make that contribution.
	A.R.S. <u>48-242(B)</u> .
April 1	On or before the first day of April, the State Retirement Plans shall
	inform the county assessor of the county in which their property is
	located whether the Plan will pay a government property lease excise
	tax (GPLET) or make a voluntary contribution. A.R.S. <u>42-11102(C)</u> .
April 29	The final date a petitioner may file a first-level administrative appeal
	with the county assessor. On receipt of a Notice of Value (for
	valuation year 2024 / tax year 2025), any property owner who is
	dissatisfied with the valuation or classification of their real property
	may file a petition with the assessor. The petition must be filed within
	60 days after the date the assessor mailed the Notice of Value or
	Amended Notice of Value. A.R.S. <u>42-15104(1)</u> and <u>42-16051 (A) and</u>
	<u>(D)</u> .
April 29	Before April 30, the Department shall prepare and transmit copies of
	the statewide abstract, containing the current tax year (2024) values by
	county and taxing jurisdiction of all property subject to property
	taxation in the state, to the county or State Board of Equalization, as
	appropriate, and to each county board of supervisors. A.R.S. <u>42-15156</u>
	<u>(A) and (B)</u> .
May 1	If the Department or county assessor is dissatisfied with the
	determination by the State Board of Equalization of an appeal of an
	equalization order under A.R.S. <u>42-16159</u> , a further appeal may be
	filed with the tax court within 60 days after the decision of the State
	Board. A.R.S. <u>42-16203(C)</u> .
May 1	The second one-half of taxes on real property for the prior tax year
	(2023) is delinquent after 5:00 p.m. on May 1. If May 1 falls on a

	Saturday, Sunday, or other legal holiday, the time of delinquency is
	5:00 p.m. on the next business day. A.R.S. $42-18052$ (B) and (D).
May 1	Any special taxing district that is subject to voluntary contributions, and that elects to make a contribution, shall submit to the county assessor of each county in which its electrical district facilities are located, on or before May 1 of every year, the factors necessary to compute each county's proportion of the total contribution. A.R.S. <u>48-241(3)</u> and <u>48-242(C)(4)</u> .
June 1	Any person holding a certificate of purchase and desiring to pay
(Saturday)	subsequent taxes, accrued interest, and related fees may do so on or
or after	after June 1. A.R.S. <u>42-18121(A)</u> .
June 15	If an administrative appeal filed with the county assessor is rejected
(Saturday)	because it fails to include substantial information, and if the notice of
	rejection is mailed, the petitioner may file an amended petition on or
	before June 15 with the assessor within 15 days after the date on
	which the notice of rejection was mailed. A.R.S. <u>42-16053(1)</u> .
	If a notice of rejection is mailed after June 15, the petitioner may
	appeal within 15 days to the county board of equalization or State
	Board of Equalization, as applicable. A.R.S. <u>42-16053(2) (a) and (b)</u> .
June 17	On or before the third Monday of June, the county assessor shall
	determine the full cash value of all property owned by the State
	Retirement Plans and transmit that determination to the board of
	supervisors. A.R.S. <u>42-11102(C)(1)</u> .
June 17	On or before the third Monday of June, the county assessor shall
	transmit the value of "remote municipal property" to the county board
	of supervisors. A.R.S. <u>42-15252(C)</u> .
June 17	On or before the third Monday of June of each tax year, the
	Department shall calculate the assessment ratios necessary for

	<ul> <li>primary and secondary tax purposes for all Class Seven<sup>1</sup> properties and transmit those ratios to the counties<sup>2</sup>. Arizona Administrative Code (A.A.C.) <u>R15-4-401(A)</u>.</li> <li>Notes: <ol> <li>What was property Class Seven when this A.A.C. Rule was written is now property Class Five, pursuant to Laws 1999, Ch. 344, 9 through 20 (H.B. 2634). However, <u>R15-4-401</u> still refers to property Class Seven.</li> <li>The Department transmits these ratios directly to the county assessors.</li> </ol></li></ul>
June 30	At the end of a fiscal year, the director of the Arizona Department of
(Sunday)	Housing (A.R.S. <u>33-1409(7)</u> ) shall notify all county assessors to waive the assessment for the Mobile Home Relocation Fund for any year if the Fund exceeds eight million dollars. If the Fund is less than six million dollars, the director may reinstate the assessment. A.R.S. <u>33-1476.03 (B) and (C)</u> and <u>33-2151 (2) and (3)</u> .
June 30 (Sunday)	No later than June 30 of each year, a government lessor must provide the county assessor with a complete list of all development agreements between the government lessor and the prime lessees, including the commencement and termination dates of the agreements, the names and addresses of the prime lessees, and the locations of the properties that are subject to the agreements. A.R.S. <u>42-6206(E)</u> .
June 30 (Sunday)	On June 30, in a county with a population of more than two million persons, the county treasurer shall determine both the amount of money in the Elderly Assistance Fund and the number of individuals living in organized school districts that are qualified and approved for the Property Valuation Protection Option (Senior Freeze Program), and shall use the money in the Fund to proportionately reduce the primary

	school district taxes on the property of these qualified and approved individuals for the following tax year <b>(2025).</b> A.R.S. <u>42-17401 (A), (C),</u> <u>and (E)</u> . See Ariz. Const. art. IX, sec. <u>18(7)</u> .
July 15	On or before the third Monday in July, the governing body of each county and incorporated city or town shall prepare a full and complete statement of its financial affairs for the preceding fiscal year and an estimate of the different amounts required to meet its public expenses for the current fiscal year. Estimates, plus a notice of public hearing, shall be published once a week for at least two consecutive weeks following the tentative adoption of the estimates. A.R.S. <u>42-17101 (1)</u> and (2) and <u>42-17103 (A) and (C)</u> .
August 1	The State Historic Preservation Officer shall notify the county assessor and the applicant of the approval or denial of an application for historic property reclassification on or before August 1 of the valuation year (2024). Those applications not approved by August 1 shall be considered denied for that valuation year and the accompanying tax year. If any part of the application is denied, or at any time before approval, the applicant may withdraw the application. A.R.S. <u>42-12103</u> (B), (C), and (D).
August 1	If an application for reclassification as historic property is denied by the State Historic Preservation Officer, the property owner may appeal the decision to the tax court. A.R.S. <u>42-12103(E)</u> .
August 1	On or before August 1 of the current valuation year <b>(2024)</b> , the county assessor shall mail to the last known mailing address of each golf course owner or manager the form prescribed by the Department to report the data needed to calculate the economic obsolescence adjustment to value. A.R.S. <u>42-13152(D)(6)</u> .

August 1	On or before August 1 of the current valuation year (2024), the county assessor shall mail to the last known mailing address of the managing entity of timeshare property the timeshare use form prescribed by the Department to report the data needed to determine the valuation of the timeshare property. A.R.S. $42-13453(B)$ .
August 5	The governing body of each county, city, or town shall hold a public hearing and special board meeting on or before the 14th day before the day on which it levies taxes (the 3rd Monday in August). Any taxpayer may appear and be heard regarding any proposed expenditure or tax levy. A.R.S. <u>42-17104(A)</u> .
August 15	Upon the written request of an administrative appeal petitioner, the county assessor shall meet with the petitioner. A.R.S. <u>42-16054(A)</u> . In all cases, the county assessor shall consider the petition and rule on each petition by August 15 of the valuation year (2024). A.R.S. <u>42-16055(A)</u> . If a petitioner's request is denied, in whole or in part, by the county assessor, the petitioner may appeal to the county board of equalization or State Board of Equalization, as appropriate, or to the tax court within 25 days after the assessor's decision is mailed. A.R.S. <u>42-16056(C)</u> ( <u>1) to (3)</u> and <u>42-16157(A)</u> . "A person who files a petition with the county assessor pursuant to section <u>42-16051</u> may file an appeal with the court within sixty days after the date of mailing the most recent administrative decision relating to the petition or subsequent administrative appeal." A.R.S. <u>42-16201(B)</u> .
August 19	The county assessor of each county in which a special taxing district's electric generation facilities that are subject to voluntary contributions are located, with assistance from the Department and the district, if

	required, shall, on or before the third Monday in August of each year,
	compute the district's gross contribution. A.R.S. <u>48-242(B)</u> .
August 19	On or before the third Monday in August of the tax year (2024), the
	governing body of each county, city, town, community college district,
	and school district shall fix, levy, and assess the amount to be raised
	from primary and secondary property taxation. A.R.S. <u>42-17151(A)(1)</u> .
August 23	Not later than the Friday following the third Monday in August of the
	tax year (2024), the clerk of the county board of supervisors shall
	report to the Department the amount, by school district, of Additional
	State Aid for Education and the data used for computing the amount.
	A.R.S. <u>15-972(C)</u> .
August 30	Not later than August 30 of the tax year (2024), the Department shall
	verify all the amounts and report to the board of supervisors the
	property tax rate or rates to be used for property tax reduction. A.R.S.
	<u>15-972(C)</u> .
August 31	A shopping center owner who elects to have their shopping center
	valued by the income method must submit all necessary income and
	expense information to the county assessor before September 1 of the
	year (2024) immediately preceding the year (2025) for which the
	property will be valued. A.R.S. <u>42-13204</u> .
September 1	To be eligible for the Property Valuation Protection Option (Senior
(Sunday)	Freeze Program), a qualifying resident must file an application and
	furnish any other documentation required by the county assessor on or
	before September 1. Ariz. Const. art. IX, sec. <u>18(7)</u> . See A.R.S.
	<u>42-17401</u> .
September 1	On or before September 1 of each year, the county treasurer shall mail
(Sunday)	delinquent tax notices for real property that is assessed in the
	taxpayer's name. A.R.S. <u>42-18103</u> .

September 5	Not later than September 5 of the current tax year (2024), the clerk of
	the county board of supervisors shall report to the Department the
	amount, by school district, of Additional State Aid for Education and
	the data used for computing the amount. A.R.S. <u>15-972(F)</u> .
September 9	If a petitioner's request is denied, in whole or in part, by the county
	assessor, the petitioner may appeal to the county board of equalization
	or State Board of Equalization, as appropriate, or to the tax court within
	25 days after the assessor's decision is mailed. In cases where the
	county assessor replied on August 15, the last date to file this appeal
	is September 9. A.R.S. <u>42-16056(C) (1) to (3)</u> and <u>42-16157(A)</u> .
September 10	Not later than September 10 of the current tax year (2024), the
	Department shall verify all of the amounts and report to the county
	board of supervisors the property tax rate or rates to be used for the
	property tax reduction for Additional State Aid for Education. A.R.S.
	<u>15-972(F)</u> .
September 15	On or before September 15 of the current tax year (2024), the Property
(Sunday)	Tax Oversight Commission shall notify a political subdivision, special
	taxing district, fire district, or school district and the county board of
	supervisors of any incorrectly calculated tax levy and rate and of any
	necessary adjustments required to correct the same. A.R.S.
	<u>42-17003(B)(2) (a) to (c)</u> .
September 20	On or before the third Friday in September, the county assessor shall
	compute the contributions to be made by the State Retirement Plans
	based on the methods of valuation of similar properties and shall
	submit the amount of the contributions for the current tax year (2024)
	to the board of supervisors and the county school superintendent.
	A.R.S. <u>42-11102(C) (2) and (3) (a) and (b)</u> .

September 30	Not later than September 30 of the current tax year <b>(2024)</b> , the clerk of the board of supervisors shall report to the Department the data processing specifications used in the calculation of Additional State Aid for Education, and include copies of at least two actual tax bills for properties that are Class Three, owner-occupied primary residences from each distinct tax area. A.R.S. <u>15-972(G) (1) and (2)</u> .
September 30	Not later than September 30 of the current valuation year <b>(2024)</b> , golf course owners and managers must return to the county assessor the form prescribed by the Department used to report data necessary to calculate economic obsolescence, in order for their property to receive the economic obsolescence adjustment. A.R.S. <u>42-13152(D)(6)</u> .
September 30	On or before September 30 of the current valuation year (2024), the county assessor shall notify the property owner of any change in valuation or property classification (for tax year 2025) due to new construction, additions to, deletions from, or splits or consolidations of assessment parcels and changes in property use that occurred after September 30 of the preceding tax year (2023) and before October 1 of the current valuation year (2024). A.R.S. <u>42-15105(1)</u> . This Supplemental Notice of Value is also referred to as a September Notice of Change.
	The property owner has 25 days to appeal the change to the State Board of Equalization, if the property is located in a county with a population of 500,000 persons or more, or to the county board of equalization if the property is located in any other county. A.R.S. 42-15105(2) and $42-16105(C)$ .
October 1	"The government lessor shallsubmit a return to the county treasurer on a return form prescribed by the departmentand submit a copy of the return to the prime lessee The return form shall be made

	available by the county treasurer at least sixty days before the [excise]
	taxes are due" (which is December 1). A.R.S. <u>42-6204(B)</u> .
October 1	On or before October 1 of the current tax year (2024), the political
	subdivision or district disputing the findings of the Property Tax
	Oversight Commission may request a hearing to attempt to resolve the
	dispute. A.R.S. <u>42-17004(A)</u> .
October 1	On or before October 1 of the current tax year (2024), the county
	board of supervisors shall deliver the assessment and tax roll and the
	crossindex to the county treasurer. A.R.S. <u>42-18003(A)</u> .
	Immediately on receiving the tax roll from the board of supervisors, the
	county treasurer shall publish an official notice specifying, among other
	information, when and where property tax payments may be made.
	A.R.S. <u>42-18051(A)(4)</u> .
October 1	The first one-half of taxes on real property is due and payable on
	October 1 of the current tax year <b>(2024)</b> . A.R.S. <u>42-18052(A)</u> .
October 12	No later than October 12 of the current tax year (2024), the
(Saturday)	Department shall report to the State Board of Education the amount,
	by school district, of Additional State Aid for Education. A.R.S.
	<u>15-972(H)</u> .
October 14	"A person who files a petition with the county assessor pursuant to
(Holiday)	section <u>42-16051</u> may file an appeal with the court within sixty days
	after the date of mailing the most recent administrative decision
	relating to the petition or subsequent administrative appeal." A.R.S.
	<u>42-16201(B)</u> . In cases where the county assessor replied on August
	15, the last date to file this appeal is October 14.
October 15	The county board of equalization and the State Board of Equalization
	must hold hearings relating to the annual Notices of Value and issue all

	decisions within 10 days after the hearings but not later than October
	15 of each valuation year. A.R.S. <u>42-16108(A)</u> and <u>42-16165</u> .
	Any party, or the Department, that is dissatisfied with the final decision
	of the State Board of Equalization may appeal the decision to the tax
	court within 60 days after the date of mailing of the State Board's
	decision. A.R.S. <u>42-16203 (A) and (C)</u> .
October 25	The last date for property owners to appeal the valuation or
	classification in a Supplemental Notice of Value to the county or State
	Board of Equalization, whichever is appropriate. This date applies to
	cases where the county assessor notified the property owner, on or
	before September 30 of the valuation year, of a change in valuation or
	property classification due to new construction, additions to, deletions
	from, or splits or consolidations of assessment parcels, and changes in
	property use that occurred after September 30 of the preceding tax
	year (2023) and before October 1 of the current valuation year (2024).
	An appeal to the tax court relating to a change in assessment must be
	filed within 60 days after the date of mailing that is shown on the
	Board's decision. A.R.S. <u>42-15105</u> and <u>42-16205</u> .
November 1	On or before November 1 of the current valuation year (2024), the
	governing body of each city, town, school district, community college
	district, and all other Special Taxing Districts, shall file with the
	Department and the appropriate county assessor information regarding
	any boundary changes of existing or newly created taxing districts.
	This deadline may be extended by the Director, upon request of the
	governing body of any taxing jurisdiction, made on or before November
	30 of the current valuation year, but the extension may not go beyond
	December 20 of the current valuation year. A.R.S. 42-17257 (A) and
	<u>(B)</u> .

November 1	The first one-half of taxes on real property for the current tax year
	(2024) is delinquent after 5:00 p.m. on November 1. If November 1
	falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or other legal holiday, the time of
	delinquency is 5:00 p.m. on the next business day. A.R.S. <u>42-18052</u>
	( <u>B) and (D)</u> .
November 4	No later than the first Monday of November, the State Retirement
	Plans must pay the first one-half of their voluntary contribution for the
	current tax year <b>(2024)</b> . A.R.S. <u>42-11102(C)(4)</u> .
November 15	On or before November 15 of each year, all county assessors shall
	report to the Department any parcel which has not been appraised
	during the preceding three years. A.R.S. <u>42-13003(A)</u> .
November 15	If an original administrative appeal is related to a Supplemental Notice
	of Value (see A.R.S. <u>42-15105</u> ), also referred to as a September
	Notice of Change, the deadline for the county board of equalization or
	the State Board of Equalization to complete a hearing and issue a
	decision is extended to the third Friday in November of the valuation
	year <b>(2024)</b> . A.R.S. <u>42-16108(B)</u> and <u>42-16165(2)</u> .
November 22	On or before the fourth Friday in November of the current valuation
	year (2024), the State Board of Equalization shall transmit to each
	county assessor a statement of any changes, if any, that the Board has
	made to the valuation or classification of any property within the county
	that is valued by the assessor. A.R.S. <u>42-16166(1)</u> .
December 1	On or before December 1 of the current valuation year (2024), the
(Sunday)	county assessor shall notify a resident who has applied on or before
	September 1 for the Property Valuation Protection Option (Senior
	Freeze Program) for the subsequent tax year (2025), that the
	application was either approved or denied. Ariz. Const. art. IX, sec.
	<u>18(7)</u> .

December 1	On or before December 1, the county school superintendent will file
(Sunday)	with the county assessor and the board of supervisors a transcript of
	the boundaries of each school district within the county. These
	boundaries shall become the legal boundaries of the districts as of the
	following July 1. A.R.S. <u>15-442(A)</u> .
	If the county school superintendent and county assessor determine that the boundaries of any school district are in conflict with one another or with other intersecting legal boundaries, traverse within a legally described boundary or are incorrectly described, the county school superintendent shall change, reconcile and describe the school district boundaries accurately and shall make a report of those boundary adjustments to the board of supervisors.
	A.R.S. <u>15-442(C)</u> .
December 1	On or before December 1, for all government property improvements
(Sunday)	that are subject to the government property lease excise tax (GPLET)
	provisions of A.R.S. <u>42-6203(B)</u> , the Department shall adjust the
	excise tax rates prescribed in paragraphs one and two that will apply in
	the next calendar year according to the average annual positive or
	negative percentage change for the two most recent fiscal years in the
	Producer Price Index for New Construction published by the U.S.
	Bureau of Labor Statistics. A.R.S. <u>42-6203(B)(3)</u> .
December 1	On or before December 1, government property lease excise tax
(Sunday)	(GPLET) payments are due and payable to the county treasurer by the
	prime lessees of leased government improvements. The payments are
	delinquent if not paid on or before December 1. Interest accrues on
	delinquent payments pursuant to A.R.S. <u>42-18053</u> , and the county
	treasurer shall assess a penalty of five percent of any part of the tax
	not paid by December 1. A.R.S. <u>42-6204 (A) to (D)</u> .
	A prime lessee who (1) becomes subject to the excise tax after the

	beginning of the current calendar year / tax year in which taxes are
	due (i.e., if a lease term <u>begins</u> <b>or</b> if an abatement period <u>ends</u> ), <b>or</b> (2)
	a prime lessee whose taxable status terminates before the end of the
	current calendar year / tax year in which taxes are due (i.e., if a lease
	term <u>ends</u> <b>or</b> if an abatement period <u>begins</u> ), shall pay the excise
	taxes due for the calendar year / tax year on a daily pro rata basis for
	that year. A.R.S. <u>42-6203(G)</u> .
December 10	"On or before December 10th of each year, the company must request
	in writing that the County Assessor reclassify its [military reuse zone]
	property for the next valuation year." Arizona Commerce Authority
	(ACA), Military Reuse Zone Program Guidelines (Phoenix: ACA 2018),
	para. (C)(ii).
December 15	On or before December 15, the Department shall post the adjusted
(Sunday)	government property lease excise tax (GPLET) rates for the following
	calendar year / tax year (2025) on its official website and shall transmit
	those rates to each county treasurer. A.R.S. <u>42-6203(B)(3)</u> .
December 15	Not later than December 15 of the current valuation year (2024), the
(Sunday)	county assessor shall identify all real property in the county that is
	subject to taxation and that is not valued by the Department. The
	county assessor shall determine the full cash value of all such taxable
	real property as of January 1 of the next year, and shall list that
	property and its valuation for use on the tax roll for the subsequent tax
	year. A.R.S. <u>42-13051 (A) and (B) (1) to (3)</u> .
December 15	No later than December 15 of the current valuation year (2024), the
(Sunday)	county assessor shall report to the department of education " the
	determined values of properties that are subject to the government
	property lease excise tax [GPLET] pursuant to chapter 6, article 5 [of
	<u>Title 42]</u> ." A.R.S. <u>42-13051(B)(3)</u> .

December 15	On or before December 15 of the calendar year preceding the
(Sunday)	valuation year, each county assessor shall provide complete copies of
	data files and proposed assessments to the Department. A.R.S.
	<u>42-13251(C)</u> .
December 15	A property owner who is dissatisfied with the valuation or
(Sunday)	classification of the property as determined by the county assessor may appeal directly to the court as provided by this article on or before December 15 regardless of whether the person has exhausted the administrative remedies under this chapter, except as provided in [A.R.S. <u>42-16201(B)</u> ].
	A.R.S. <u>42-16201(A)</u> .
	"A person who files a petition with the county assessor pursuant to
	section <u>42-16051</u> may file an appeal with the court within sixty days
	after the date of mailing the most recent administrative decision
	relating to the petition or subsequent administrative appeal." A.R.S.
	<u>42-16201(B)</u> .
	"Filing an appeal with the court suspends and renders subject to
	dismissal any pending administrative proceeding filed by the taxpayer
	relating to any issue that is or may be determined by the court under a
	pending appeal." A.R.S. <u>42-16201(C)</u> .
December 15	A property owner who is dissatisfied with the final decision of a county
(Sunday)	board of equalization may appeal the decision to the tax court within
	60 days after the date the board mailed its final decision or by
	December 15, whichever is later. A.R.S. <u>42-16202(A)</u> .
December 15	If a former owner of property did not have a pending appeal before the
(Sunday)	tax court or did not receive a final judgment or dismissal regarding the
	appeal, then "[a] new owner of property that was valued by the
	assessor and that changed ownership before December 15 of the
	valuation year may appeal the valuation or legal classification to court

	on or before December 15 of the valuation year." A.R.S.
	<u>42-16205.01(A)(1)</u> .
	"If the change of ownership occurs after December 15 of the valuation
	year, the new owner may appeal to tax court by December 15 of the
	year in which the taxes are levied." A.R.S. <u>42-16205.01(A)(2)</u> .
December 20	On or before December 20 of each year, the county assessor shall
	complete and certify the assessment roll and deliver it to the clerk of
	the board of supervisors. A.R.S. <u>42-15153 (A) and (B)</u> .
December 31	On or before December 31 of each year, the Department shall
	increase the total allowable property tax exemption amount, the total
	assessment limitation amount, and the total household income
	limitation amount for widows, widowers, and persons with a disability
	for use in the subsequent tax year. These adjusted amounts are based
	on the average annual percentage increase, if any, in the GDP price
	deflator for the two most recent complete state fiscal years. A.R.S.
	<u>42-1111(C)</u> .
December 31	The owner of property that no longer qualifies for historic property
	classification shall notify the county assessor of the change before the
	next January 1. A.R.S. <u>42-12106(B)</u> .
December 31	If a taxpayer who allowed the first one-half of property taxes for the
	current tax year to become delinquent on November 1 pays the full
	year's taxes on or before December 31, no interest shall be due on the
	delinquent first one-half of the taxes. A.R.S. <u>42-18051(A)(2)(b)</u> and
	<u>42-18053(B)</u> .
December 31	If the total amount of property taxes is 100 dollars or less, any amount
	of the taxes that is unpaid becomes delinquent after December 31 at
	5:00 p.m. A.R.S. <u>42-18052(C)(2)</u> .

December 31	On or before December 31 of each tax year, the county treasurer shall
	prepare a list of all real property for which property taxes are
	delinquent. A.R.S. <u>42-18106(A)(1)</u> .
December 31	If the board of supervisors determines that any real property is not
	worth the amount of taxes, interest, costs, and penalties due, or that
	the property would not sell for that total amount, the board may
	"compromise" the taxes due. If the board determines the property is
	also substantially contaminated with hazardous substances or
	petroleum, the board may reduce the lien for delinquent taxes, interest,
	costs, and penalties in an amount not to exceed the actual expenses
	required to mitigate such conditions at the property. A.R.S. <u>42-18124</u>
	(A) and (D)(1).
	"For property acquired after December 31, 2001, the expenses must
	have been incurred by or on behalf of the property owner within five
	years after acquiring title to the property." A.R.S. <u>42-18124(D)(2)</u>
	(emphasis added).
	"For property acquired on or before December 31, 2001, the
	expenses must be incurred by or on behalf of the property owner on or
	before December 31, 2006." A.R.S. <u>42-18124(D)(3)</u> (emphasis added).

# 2024 Assessment Calendar

# **Section Two**

## Locally Assessed (valued by the County Assessor)

## Personal Property Tax Roll Assessment Calendar Dates

	2024 Arizona Revised Statute Legal Dates
January 1	January 1 is the valuation date for the current valuation year / tax year
	(2024). See A.R.S. <u>42-11001(20)(b)</u> .
January 1	The property tax lien attaches on the first day of January of the
	current tax year (2024). A.R.S. <u>42-17153 (A) and (C)(1)</u> .
	Note: For locally assessed personal property, the valuation year and
	the tax year are the same calendar year. A.R.S. <u>42-11001 (17) and</u>
	<u>(20)(b)</u> .
January 30	The county treasurer <b>shall</b> deliver the delinquent tax bill to the sheriff
	within 30 days after the amount due under A.R.S. 42-18052(C)(1)
	(100 dollars or less) becomes delinquent. A.R.S. <u>42-19108(A)(2)</u> . See
	tax payment entry for December 31.
February 1	On or before February 1 of each year, the county assessor shall mail
	a form, notice, or demand to each person who owns or has charge or
	control of taxable personal property in the state, requesting a correct
	report of taxable personal property. A.R.S. <u>42-15053(A)</u> .
March 1	The second one-half of taxes on personal property for the prior
	valuation year / tax year (2023) is due and payable on the first day of
	March. A.R.S. <u>42-18052(A)</u> .
April 1	On or before April 1 of each year, each person who owns or has
	charge or control of taxable personal property in the state shall
	prepare and deliver to the county assessor a correct report of that
	property. A.R.S. <u>42-15053(A)</u> .

April 2	The county assessor may send the personal property Notice of Value
through	any time from April 2 to August 30. A.R.S. <u>42-19006(A)</u> .
August 30	
May 1	On written request and for good cause shown, the county assessor
	may extend for up to 30 days the time for filing the required report of
	taxable personal property. A.R.S. <u>42-15053(A)</u> .
May 1	The second one-half of taxes on personal property for the prior
	valuation year / tax year <b>(2023)</b> is delinquent after 5:00 p.m. on May 1.
	If May 1 is a Saturday, Sunday, or other legal holiday, the time of
	delinquency is 5:00 p.m. on the next business day. A.R.S. <u>42-18052</u>
	<u>(B) and (D)</u> .
	"After personal property tax becomes delinquent, the county treasurer
	shall make and deliver to the sheriff a tax bill directing the sheriff to
	seize and sell as much of the personal property as is necessary to
	pay the taxes, interest and costs of seizure and sale" A.R.S.
	<u>42-19108(A)</u> .
May 2	Because the county assessor may send the personal property Notice
through	of Value any time from April 2 to August 30, the date range for filing a
September 29	first-level administrative appeal with the assessor could be any time
	from May 2 through September 29. A.R.S. <u>42-19006(A)</u> and
	<u>42-19051(A)</u> .
May 22	The county assessor shall rule on each administrative appeal petition
through	within 20 days after the date it was filed. A.R.S. <u>42-19051(B)</u> .
October 19	Because a first-level administrative appeal could be filed any time
	from May 2 through September 29, the date range for the county
	assessor to rule on the appeal could be any time from May 22 through
	October 19.

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May 31	The county treasurer shall deliver the delinquent tax bill to the sheriff
	within 30 days after the second installment becomes delinquent.
	A.R.S. <u>42-19108(A)(2)</u> . See tax payment entry for May 1.
June 11	A person who appeals a county assessor's decision must file their
through	appeal with either the county board of equalization or the State Board
November 8	of Equalization, as appropriate, within 20 days after the date of the
	county assessor's notice of refusal or decision. A.R.S. <u>42-19052(A)</u>
	(1) or (2). Because a first-level administrative appeal could be ruled
	upon by the county assessor any time from May 22 through October
	19, the date range for a second-level administrative appeal could be
	any time from June 11 through November 8.
August 25	On or before August 25 of each year, the county assessor shall
(Sunday)	transmit all personal property valuations to the county treasurer.
,	A.R.S. <u>42-19007(A)</u> .
August 30	The final date the county assessor can mail the personal property
	Notice of Value. On or before August 30 of each year, the assessor
	shall mail a Notice of Value to the owner or the person in possession
	of personal property. A.R.S. <u>42-19006(A) (1) and (2)</u> .
September 29	The final date a petitioner may file a first-level administrative appeal
(Sunday)	with the county assessor. The owner or person in possession of
	taxable personal property may file an appeal of the valuation or
	classification of the property within 30 days after the date the Notice of
	Value is delivered (i.e., the postmark date) by the county assessor.
	A.R.S. <u>42-19051(A)</u> .
October 1	The first one-half of taxes on personal property for the current
	valuation year / tax year (2024) is due and payable on October 1.
	A.R.S. <u>42-18052(A)</u> . If the total amount of taxes is 100 dollars or less,

	the entire amount is due and payable on October 1. A.R.S. <u>42-18052(C)(1)</u> .
October 19	The final date the county assessor may rule on a first-level
(Saturday)	administrative appeal petition. The county assessor shall rule on each
	administrative appeal petition within 20 days after the date it was filed. A.R.S. <u>42-19051(B)</u> .
November 1	The first one-half of taxes on personal property for the current
	valuation year / tax year (2024) is delinquent at 5:00 p.m. on
	November 1. If November 1 falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or other legal
	holiday, the time of delinquency is 5:00 P.M. on the next business day.
	A.R.S. <u>42-18052 (B) and (D)</u> .
	"After personal property tax becomes delinquent, the county treasurer
	shall make and deliver to the sheriff a tax bill directing the sheriff to
	seize and sell as much of the personal property as is necessary to
	pay the taxes, interest and costs of seizure and sale" A.R.S.
	<u>42-19108(A)</u> .
November 8	The final date a second-level administrative appeal may be filed. A
(affected by	person who appeals a county assessor's decision must file their
weekend	appeal with either the county board of equalization or the State Board
start date)	of Equalization, as appropriate, within 20 days after the date of the
	county assessor's notice of refusal or decision. A.R.S. <u>42-19052(A)</u>
	<u>(1) or (2)</u> .
December 1	The Department is to prescribe depreciation tables for locally
(Sunday)	assessed personal property in Class One, Class Two, and Class Six.
	A.R.S. <u>42-13054</u> .
	The Department shall adjust depreciation schedules used to value
	personal property. A.R.S. <u>42-13353</u> .

December 1 (Sunday)	Note: December 1 is an internal Department "target" date. These actions are related to publishing the <u>Business Personal Property</u> <u>Manual</u> . All county boards of equalization and the State Board of Equalization must hold hearings relating to the personal property Notice of Value and issue all appeal decisions on or before December 1 of each year. A.R.S. <u>42-16108(C)</u> and <u>42-16165(3)</u> .
December 1 (Sunday)	The county treasurer <b>may</b> deliver the delinquent tax bill to the sheriff within 30 days after the first installment becomes delinquent. A.R.S. <u>42-19108(A)(1)</u> . See entry for November 1.
December 10	"On or before December 10th of each year, the company must request in writing that the County Assessor reclassify its [military reuse zone] property for the next valuation year." Arizona Commerce Authority (ACA), <i>Military Reuse Zone Program Guidelines</i> (Phoenix: ACA 2018), para. (C)(ii).
December 15 (Sunday)	A property owner who is dissatisfied with the valuation or classification of the property as determined by the county assessor may appeal directly to the tax court on or before December 15. A.R.S. <u>42-16201(A)</u> .
	A property owner who is dissatisfied with the valuation or classification of the property as determined by a county board of equalization may appeal to the tax court within 60 days of the date of mailing of the county board of equalization's decision, or by December 15, whichever is later. A.R.S. <u>42-16202(A)</u> . The assessor or the Department may also file a judicial appeal in the same manner if the county board of equalization ordered a reduction in the valuation of any property. A.R.S. <u>42-16202(B)</u> .

	Any party, or the Department, that is dissatisfied with the valuation or classification of property reviewed by the State Board of Equalization may appeal to the tax court within 60 days of the date of mailing of the State Board of Equalization's decision. A.R.S. <u>42-16203 (A) and (C)</u> .
December 31	On or before December 31 of each year, the Department shall increase the maximum amount of the property tax exemption applicable in the following tax year <b>(2025)</b> for commercial and agricultural personal property. This annual adjustment is based on the average annual percentage increase, if any, in the Employment Cost Index in the two most recent complete state fiscal years. A.R.S. <u>42-11127(B)</u> .
December 31	If the total amount of property taxes is 100 dollars or less, any amount of the taxes that is unpaid becomes delinquent after December 31 at 5:00 p.m. A.R.S. <u>42-18052(C)(2)</u> . "After personal property tax becomes delinquent, the county treasurer shall make and deliver to the sheriff a tax bill directing the sheriff to seize and sell as much of the personal property as is necessary to pay the taxes, interest and costs of seizure and sale" A.R.S. <u>42-19108(A)</u> .

## 2024 Assessment Calendar

# **Section Three**

### **Centrally Valued (valued by the Department)**

### Real and Personal Property Tax Roll Assessment Calendar Dates

	2024 Arizona Revised Statute Legal Dates	
January 1	The valuation date for the current valuation year (2024). A.R.S. <u>42-11001(19)</u> . <b>Note</b> : For Centrally valued real property <u>and</u> personal property, the values that are determined in the current "valuation year" (2024) are used for the following "tax year" (2025). A.R.S. <u>42-11001(20)(a)</u> .	
January 1	The property tax lien attaches on the first day of January of the current tax year <b>(2024)</b> . A.R.S. <u>42-17153(C)(1)</u> .	
January 31	"The Department shall annually prepare an appraisal manual for mines and natural resources" and "shall annually hold a meeting for affected taxpayers concerning the manual prior to February 1 for the purpose of discussing changes the Department proposes to make in the manual for the current tax year." A.A.C. <u>R15-4-201(E)</u> .	
February 1	On or before February 1 of each year, the Department shall mail to each utility company the reporting forms needed for those companies to report the information required by the Department to value those companies. A.R.S. <u>42-14152(A)</u> .	
March 1	The second one-half of taxes on real and personal property for the prior tax year <b>(2023)</b> is due and payable the first day of March. A.R.S. <u>42-18052(A)</u> .	
March 15	The <u>Appraisal Manual for Centrally Valued Natural Resource Property</u> shall be made available to taxpayers by the Department by March 15 of the tax year. A.A.C. <u>R15-4-201(E)</u> .	

	Note: Although A.A.C. R15-4-201(E) states that the manual is to be
	available by March 15 of the tax year, as cited above, this particular
	rule was written prior to the creation of a separate valuation year and
	tax year. The Centrally Valued Property Unit of the Department now
	produces and distributes this manual by March 15 of the current
	valuation year (2024) as a service to all affected taxpayers.
April 1	On or before April 1 of the current valuation year (2024), owners and
	operators of property valued by the Department must file a report or
	statement under oath setting forth the information needed by the
	Department to enable it to make a valuation of the property of the
	companies. On request and for good cause the Department may grant
	an extension of time for filing the report. A.R.S. <u>42-14052 (A) and (B)</u> ,
	<u>42-14103(A)</u> , <u>42-14152 (A) and (B)</u> , <u>42-14202 (A) and (B)</u> , <u>42-14253</u>
	(A) and (B), <u>42-14303(A)</u> (no extension provision), <u>42-14352 (A) and</u>
	( <u>B</u> ), and <u>42-14402 (A) and (B)</u> .
April 1	On or before April 1 of the current valuation year (2024), each
	producer of oil, gas, or geothermal resources "shall make and file with
	the department a return showing the producer's gross production and
	gross yield from each of the producer's producing properties for the
	immediately preceding calendar year. On request and for good cause
	the department may grant a thirty day extension of time for filing the
	report." A.R.S. <u>42-14103(A)</u> .
April 1	Taxpayer requests for an extension of time for filing a property tax
	report shall be made in writing to the Director or Director's designee
	on or before April 1. A.A.C. <u>R15-4-109(B)</u> .
May 1	The second one-half of taxes on real and personal property for the
	prior tax year <b>(2023)</b> is delinquent after 5:00 p.m. on May 1. If May 1
	falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or other legal holiday, the time of

	delinquency is 5:00 p.m. on the next business day. A.R.S. <u>42-18052</u>
	( <u>B) and (D)</u> .
May 20	Certain owners and operators of properties valued by the Department
	who do not file the required reports by May 20 of the current valuation
	year <b>(2024)</b> forfeit the rights of appeal, pursuant to A.R.S. <u>42-14005</u> .
	A.R.S. <u>42-14052(D)</u> , <u>42-14152(D)</u> , <u>42-14202(D)</u> , and <u>42-14253(D)</u> .
	Note: Companies that do not have this provision in their valuation
	statutes include oil/gas/geothermal, private rail car, railroad,
	telecommunication, and airport fuel delivery operations.
June 15	On or before June 15 [of the current valuation year (2024), "the
(Saturday)	department shall notify owners of property that is valued by the
	department of the department's determination of the preliminary full
	cash value of the property." A.R.S. <u>42-14002(A)</u> .
June 17	On or before the third Monday of June, the Department shall
	determine the full cash value of all properties related to the
	generation, transmission, and distribution of electricity in each district
	electing to make a voluntary contribution and transmit that
	determination to the board of supervisors. A.R.S. <u>48-242(B)</u> .
July 15	On or before July 15 of the current valuation year (2024), any owner
	of property valued by the Department may file a written application to
	appear before the Department and be heard regarding the
	Department's determination of the preliminary full cash value of the
	property. A.R.S. <u>42-14002(B)</u> .
July 15	"On or before July 15 of [the current valuation year (2024)], a private
	[rail] car company may request in writing that the department review
	its valuation." A.R.S. <u>42-14306(A)</u> .

August 31 (Saturday) August 31	The Department shall notify the owner of property valued by the Department of the final full cash value on or before August 31 of the current valuation year <b>(2024)</b> . A.R.S. <u>42-14003(B)</u> . On or before August 31 of the current valuation year <b>(2024)</b> , the
(Saturday)	Department shall find the full cash value of property valued by the Department. A.R.S. <u>42-14053(A)</u> , <u>42-14054(A)</u> , <u>42-14153(A)</u> , <u>42-14203(A)</u> , <u>42-14254(A)</u> , <u>42-14354(A)</u> , and <u>42-14403(A)</u> . <b>Note</b> : This provision is not present in the valuation statutes of oil/gas/geothermal, private rail car, and airport fuel delivery companies.
August 31 (Saturday)	On or before August 31 of the current valuation year <b>(2024)</b> , the Department shall rule on any review of the valuation of the property of a private rail car company and shall notify the company of its ruling by mail or email. A.R.S. <u>42-14306(A)</u> .
October 1	Any property owner who is not satisfied with the valuation or classification of their property as determined by the Department may file an administrative appeal petition with the State Board of Equalization on or before October 1, or within 15 days after the Department mails the decision to the property owner, whichever date is later. A.R.S. <u>42-16158(A)</u> .
October 1	The first one-half of taxes on real and personal property is due and payable on October 1 of the current tax year <b>(2024)</b> . A.R.S. <u>42-18052(A)</u> .
October 31	The State Board of Equalization shall decide all private rail car company appeals on or before October 31 of the current valuation year <b>(2024)</b> . A.R.S. <u>42-14307(B)</u> .
October 31	On or before October 31 of the current valuation year <b>(2024)</b> , the State Board of Equalization shall transmit to the Department a

	statement of changes, if any, that the Board has made regarding the
	valuation or classification of the property of a private rail car company.
	A.R.S. <u>42-16166(2)(b)</u> .
November 1	The first one-half of taxes on real and personal property for the
	current tax year (2024) is delinquent after 5:00 p.m. on November 1. If
	November 1 falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or other legal holiday, the
	time of delinquency is 5:00 p.m. on the next business day. A.R.S.
	<u>42-18052 (B) and (D)</u> .
November 15	On or before November 15 of the current valuation year (2024), the
	State Board of Equalization shall complete all hearings and issue all
	decisions with respect to property valued by the Department. A.R.S.
	<u>42-16165(1)</u> .
	Any party, or the Department, that is dissatisfied with the final decision
	of the State Board of Equalization may appeal the decision to the tax
	court within 60 days after the date of mailing of the State Board's
	decision. A.R.S. <u>42-16203 (A) and (C)</u> .
November 22	On or before the fourth Friday in November of the current valuation
	year (2024), the State Board of Equalization shall transmit to the
	Department a statement of changes, if any, that the Board has made
	to the valuation or classification of any property that is valued by the
	Department. A.R.S. <u>42-16166(2)(a)</u> .
November 30	On or before November 30 of the current valuation year (2024), the
(Saturday)	Department shall transmit to the several county assessors the
	valuations of properties that are valued by the Department. A.R.S.
	<u>42-14053(B)</u> , <u>42-14054(B)</u> , <u>42-14104(A)</u> , <u>42-14153(B)</u> , <u>42-14203(C)</u> ,
	<u>42-14357(A)(1)</u> , and <u>42-14404(A)(2)</u> .
	<b>Note</b> : This provision is not present in the valuation statutes of airline,
	private rail car, and airport fuel delivery companies.

	The Department must also include description and location
	information for railroad and telecommunication property. A.R.S.
	<u>42-14357(A)(1)</u> and <u>42-14404(A)(2)</u> .
December 15	Any property owner who is dissatisfied with the valuation or
(Sunday)	classification of their property as determined by the Department may
	appeal directly to superior court on or before December 15. A.R.S.
	<u>42-16204</u> .

## 2024 Assessment Calendar

# **Section Four**

### **Statutory Requirements with No Established Calendar Dates**

#### Applicable to both Locally Assessed and Centrally Valued Properties

	2024 Arizona Revised Statute Legal Dates
January 1	Building Permit
through December 31	Each city, town, county or other governmental entity that requires that a building permit be issued to construct or add to residential or commercial buildings shall notify the county assessor in writing:
	<ol> <li>Of the parcel number for which the permit is issued at the time the permit is issued.</li> </ol>
	<ol><li>That the improvements are approved for their intended use at the time the building department makes the final inspection of the improvement.</li></ol>
	A.R.S. <u>42-15057 (1) and (2)</u> .
January 1	Change in Ownership, Qualifying Status, or Use
through	Age-Restricted Community Property:
December 31	"The landlord shall notify the director and all tenants in writing of a
	change in use at least sixty days before a change in the age-restricted
	community to an all-age community use" A.R.S. <u>33-1476.05(A)</u> and <u>33-2150(1)</u> .
	"Within one hundred eighty days after the effective date of notification of the change in the age-restricted community's use, the tenant shall
	submit a contract for relocation of the mobile or manufactured home to
	the director for approval and to the landlord." A.R.S. $33-1476.05(D)(1)$ .
	"Within one hundred eighty days after the effective date of notification of the change in the age-restricted community's use, the tenant shall

submit a contract for relocation of the park trailer or park model to the director for approval and to the landlord." A.R.S. <u>33-2150(4)(a)</u>.

#### **Agricultural Property:**

"If the ownership of a property changes, an agricultural use application form must be filed by the new owner within sixty days after the change in ownership to maintain the agricultural use status." A.R.S. 42-12153(B).

"If all or part of the property ceases to qualify as agricultural property, the person who owns the property at the time of change must notify the assessor within sixty days after the change." A.R.S. 42-12156(A).

"If the county assessor determines that there has been a change of use and the property ceases to qualify as agricultural property under this article, the county assessor shall notify the property owner by certified mail of the reason for reclassifying the property and include information for the property owner to appeal the reclassification. A.R.S. <u>42-12156(B)</u>.

**Guest Ranch Property:** "If the property is converted to a different use in violation of the covenant, the owner shall notify the county assessor of the change in use." A.R.S. <u>42-13552(D)</u>.

**Historic Property:** "If all or part of a parcel of property ceases to qualify as historic property under this article, the person who owns the property at the time of the change shall notify the county assessor of the change before the next January 1." A.R.S. <u>42-12106(B)</u>.

Land Lease Community Property: "The landlord shall notify the director and all tenants in writing of a change in use at least one hundred eighty days before the change in use." 33-1476.01(A) and 33-2149(1).

January 1 through December 31	Residential Rental Property: "The owner [of residential rental property] shall update any information required by this section within ten days after a change in the information occurs." A.R.S. <u>33-1902(A)</u> . Court Order On entry of [a] court order, the clerk of the superior court shall file the court order [a redaction order] and a copy of the affidavit required by subsection B of this section with the county assessor and the county treasurer. Not more than ten days after the date on which the county assessor and the county treasurer shall restrict access to ["redact"] the information
	county treasurer shall restrict access to ["redact"] the information as required by subsection F of this section. A.R.S. <u>11-484(H)</u> . The county assessor or the county treasurer shall send by mail one notice to either [the affected "eligible person"] or the employing agency of [the affected "eligible person"] who was granted [a redaction] order pursuant to this section of the order's expiration date at least six months before the expiration date. If the notice is sent to the employing agency, the employing agency shall immediately notify the person who was granted the order of the upcoming expiration date. The county assessor or county
	treasurer may coordinate with the county recorder to prevent multiple notices from being sent to the same person. A.R.S. <u>11-484(J)</u> .
January 1	Department / Assessor Meeting
through December 31	The Director of the Department shall meet with the county assessors at least twice each year for the purpose of considering matters relating to property taxation. A.R.S. <u>42-13002(C)</u> .
January 1	Education, Training, and Certification Advisory Committee
through	Meeting
December 31	An Education, Training, and Certification Advisory Committee (consisting of a member of the State Board of Equalization appointed

	by the Chairman of the State Board, three county assessors or deputy
	county assessors appointed by the Director, and a training coordinator
	in the property tax unit of the Department appointed by the Director)
	shall meet at least semiannually. A.R.S. <u>42-13007(B)</u> .
January 1	Notice of Claim
through	At any time during the current tax year (2024), if a property owner or
December 31	taxpayer believes that the taxpayer's property has been assessed
	improperly as a result of a property tax error for the current tax year, or
	during the immediately preceding three tax years, the taxpayer may file
	a notice of claim with the tax officer (i.e., the Department, county
	assessor, or county treasurer, as appropriate). Within 60 days after
	receiving (i.e., postmark date) a Notice of Claim, the tax officer may file
	a response with the taxpayer to consent to, or to dispute, the error. A
	failure by the tax officer to respond within 60 days constitutes their
	consent to the taxpayer's requested correction. A.R.S. 42-16251 et
	seq.
January 1	Notice of Proposed Correction
through	At any time during the current tax year (2024) if a tax officer (i.e., the
December 31	Department, county assessor, or county treasurer) believes that a
	taxpayer's property has been assessed improperly as a result of a
	property tax error for the current tax year, or during the immediately
	preceding three tax years, the tax officer may file a notice of proposed
	correction with that taxpayer. Within 30 days after receiving (i.e.,
	postmark date) a notice of proposed correction, the taxpayer may file a
	response with the tax officer to consent to, or to dispute, the proposed
	correction. A failure by the taxpayer to respond within 30 days
	constitutes their consent to the tax officer's proposed correction. A.R.S.
	<u>42-16251</u> et seq.

January 1	Property Tax Exemptions
through December 31	<ul> <li>Except with respect to exempt inventory and personal property, a person who claims exemption from property taxation must [n]otify the county assessor in writing if all or part of the property is conveyed to a new owner, the property is no longer used for the purpose that qualifies the property for the exemption or there is any event that otherwise disqualifies the person or property from the exemption.</li> <li>A.R.S. <u>42-11152(A)(3)</u>. See also A.R.S. <u>42-1110(B) (1) and (2)</u>, <u>42-11111(H) (1) to (4)</u>, <u>42-11131(C)</u>, <u>42-11132(C)</u>, <u>42-11132.01(C)</u>, <u>42-11132.02(C)</u>.</li> </ul>
January 1 through	Property Tax Oversight Commission Meeting The Property Tax Oversight Commission shall meet at least annually to
December 31	conduct its affairs and shall render its findings, reports and recommendations, in writing, to the Governor, to the Director of the Department, and to the Legislature. A.R.S. $42-17002(F)$ .
January 1	Sales Affidavit
through December 31	<ul> <li>"For a sale that does not require a change in a parcel's legal description, the assessor shall transmit the property value affidavit to the Department within 30 days of recording". A.A.C. <u>R15-4-118(C)(1)</u>.</li> <li>The Department may modify the validation code assigned to a property value affidavit. The Department shall notify the county assessor in writing of the modification within 30 days after the modification. The county assessor may request the Department to reconsider the modified validation code within 15 days after receiving notice of the Department's modification.</li> <li>A.A.C. <u>R15-4-118(D)</u>.</li> </ul>