



**City of Goodyear, Arizona  
2020 Federal Legislative Agenda**

116<sup>th</sup> Congress, 2<sup>nd</sup> Session



## Goodyear City Council Membership

National League of Cities



### Councilmember Sheri Lauritano



#### **Vice-Chair, Public Safety and Crime Prevention (PSCP) Advocacy Committee**

*The Public Safety & Crime Prevention Committee is responsible for developing policy positions on issues involving crime prevention, corrections, substance abuse, municipal fire policy, juvenile justice, disaster preparedness and relief, homeland security, domestic terrorism, court systems and gun control.*

### Councilmember Wally Campbell

#### **Chair, Military Communities Council**

*The Military Communities Council is open to local officials from municipalities that host or are near a military installation.*

#### **1st Vice President, Women in Municipal Government (WIMG)**

*Women in Municipal Government (WIMG) constituency group was formed to serve as a forum for communication and networking among women local elected officials and their colleagues.*



#### **Member, Transportation and Infrastructure Services (TIS) Advocacy Committee**

*The Transportation and Infrastructure Services Committee is responsible for leading NLC's policy development and advocacy on transportation connectivity, including federal funding, safety and innovation in all modes of transportation.*

### Councilmember Brannon Hampton



#### **Member, Community and Economic Development (CED) Advocacy Committee**

*The Community and Economic Development Committee is responsible for developing policy positions and leading NLC's advocacy on issues involving housing, community and economic development, land use, recreation and parks, historic preservation, and international competitiveness.*

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### **MISSION**

*“Propelling Opportunity. Powering Connections.”*

### **INTRODUCTION**

The purpose of this document is to define the City of Goodyear’s legislative priorities and core values for the 116<sup>th</sup> Congress. This serves as the leading document to provide direction to Government Relations staff to ensure the City is actively engaging on issues at the United States’ Capitol that reflect the priorities and mission of the Goodyear City Council.

### **CORE VALUES**

#### **Maintain Goodyear’s High Quality of Life**

Protect those attributes that make Goodyear a desirable community for families and businesses alike. These may include: open space; economic prosperity; safe neighborhoods; efficient transportation; public safety; and managed growth.

#### **Protect the Mission of Luke Air Force Base**

Sustain the long-term mission and viability of Luke Air Force Base through local and regional community support as well as any state or federal legislation that strengthens local efforts to protect the base. Specific items may include: protecting military airports, limiting encroachment, and expanding future missions.

#### **Promote Economic Development & Prosperity**

Maintain and enhance the caliber of economic development opportunities available to the City through supporting new and existing tools for private sector growth and revitalization. Support legislative changes that allow growth to pay for itself in order to attract new and reliable development opportunities.

### **Collaborate to Build a Robust Transportation Network**

Engage regional partners and collaborate to ensure Goodyear's residents have reliable and efficient transportation options in and out of their community. Support efforts to extend the voter-approved Proposition 400 sales tax for transportation. Encourage efforts that modernize existing funding sources to ensure viability and maintenance of the transportation network. Support state funding for transportation and infrastructure projects across the state.

This includes working collaboratively with our federal, regional, state and other local delegations to secure grant and federal funding for the region's important infrastructure needs.

### **Protect & Enhance Water Supply**

Collaborate with the Arizona Municipal Water Users Association to support legislation that encourages practical water efficiency and conservation measures. Protect surface water and uphold the principles of the Groundwater Management Act. Ensure the City of Goodyear is able to supply assured, safe and sustainable water to its residents.

### **Phoenix-Goodyear Airport**

Continue to partner with the City of Phoenix (Arizona) to ensure continued operations of the Phoenix-Goodyear Airport. Monitor and be aware of changes to made by the Federal Aviation Administration.