

Sun City Festival Hiking Club
HIKE DESCRIPTION FORM

Hike Name: Downtown Phoenix Urban Hike

Location: Downtown Phoenix

Hike Description: This is a 32 block hike through downtown Phoenix. While hiking, Arizona and Phoenix history are discussed, and there are visits to parks, museums (free), and historical buildings. Limit of 15 hikers! Contact Jim Monachino to reserve a space on the hike. 623-853-3287 or jjmonachino@yahoo.com

Rating: Easy to Moderate 32 block walk through downtown Phoenix. Rating is due to length walking on concrete sidewalks.

Type: Loop hike, walking tour of downtown Phoenix.

Trail Names: None

Length – Miles and Time: 3 to 4 miles, 3 to 3.5 hours with several stop and breaks along the way for narratives.

Start and End:

Start at US Airways Arena on East Jefferson Avenue & South 1st St., Phoenix.

End at Chase Field on East Jefferson Avenue & South 5th Street, Phoenix.

Travel Directions: Drive east on the Sun Valley Parkway to Highway 303 South. Drive south on Highway 303 to I-10 East. Drive east on I-10 to exit 142A, which is 7th Avenue not 7th Street. Drive south on 7th Avenue to Jefferson Avenue and travel east on Jefferson Avenue to South 1st Street. Parking lot is on right side (south) of E. Jefferson Avenue off of South 1st St. (Talking Stick Resort Arena).

Travel Time: 60 – 75 minutes

Parking: Yes - paid

Rest Rooms: Yes at various building along the way of the walk.

Water: Yes at various buildings along the way of the walk