



**Water Related Incidents and Fatalities Report for
Maricopa & Pinal Counties (Valley of the Sun)
January 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025**

**57 deaths, including 8 peds, 1 child, 0 teens & 48 adults have resulted from
155 Water Related Incidents this year.**

Age Brackets: Peds: 0 to 5 Children: 6 to 12 Teen: 13 to 17 Adults: 18 +

Phoenix Fire Department
Reported by Jennifer Hill

Total Incidents.....50 (28 Peds / 6 Children / 1 Teens / 15 Adults)
Fatalities: Peds...1 Children....0 Teen....0* Adult....12
Total Fatalities....13

Avondale Fire Department
Reported by Chief Aaron Glass

Total Incidents.....3 (2 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teens / 1 Adult)
Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....1
Total Fatalities....1

Buckeye Fire Department
Reported by Tommy Taylor

Total Incidents.....1 (1 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teens / 0 Adults)
Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0
Total Fatalities....0

Chandler Fire Department
Reported by Tommy Sagnella

Total Incidents.....7 (3 Peds / 2 Children / 0 Teen / 2 Adult)
Fatalities: Peds ...2 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....1
Total Fatalities....3

Daisy Mountain Fire Department
Reported by Captain Dave Nielsen

Total Incidents.....0 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 0 Adult)
Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0
Total Fatalities....0

El Mirage Fire Department
Reported by Chris Richardson

Total Incidents.....0 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 0 Adult)
Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0
Total Fatalities...0

Gila Bend Fire Department
Reported by Local Media

Total Incidents.....0 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 0 Adult)
Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0
Total Fatalities....0

Gilbert Fire Department
Reported by Jean Sparke

Total Incidents.....12 (5 Peds / 1 Children / 0 Teens / 6 Adult)
Fatalities: Peds ...1 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....2
Total Fatalities....3

Glendale Fire Department
Reported by Ashley Christman

Total Incidents.....7 (3 Peds / 0 Children / 1 Teen / 3 Adult)
Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult...1
Total Fatalities....1

Goodyear Fire Department
Reported by Tanja Tanner

Total Incidents.....5 (2 Peds / 0 Children / 1 Teen / 2 Adult)
Fatalities: Peds ...1 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....1
Total Fatalities....2

Maricopa Fire Department
Reported by Chief Brad Pitassi

Total Incidents.....1 (1 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teens / 0 Adults)
Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0
Total Fatalities....0

Mesa Fire & Medical Department
Reported by Megan Chute

Total Incidents.....21 (6 Peds / 1 Children / 0 Teen / 14 Adult)
Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....7
Total Fatalities...7

Peoria Fire Department Reported by Joy Dalmolin	Total Incidents.....6 (1 Peds / 1 Children / 1 Teen / 3 Adult) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....1 Teen....0 Adult....1 Total Fatalities....2
Paradise Valley Reported by Media	Total Incidents.....0 (0 Ped / 0 Children / 0 Teens / 0 Adults) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0 Total Fatalities...0
Queen Creek Fire Department Reported by Cesar Urena	Total Incidents.....1 (0 Peds / 1 Children / 0 Teens / 0 Adults) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0 Total Fatalities....0
Rural Metro Fire Department Reported by Mark Cichocki	Total Incidents.....0 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 0 Adult) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0 Total Fatalities....0
Rural Metro F.D. Fountain Hills Reported by Todd Brunin	Total Incidents.....0 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teens / 0 Adults) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0 Total Fatalities....0
Salt River Fire Department Reported by Dustin Zamboni Deputy Fire Marshal	Total Incidents.....0 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teens / 0 Adults) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0 Total Fatalities....0
Scottsdale Fire Department Reported by Lori Schmidt	Total Incidents.....11 (5 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 6 Adult) Fatalities: Peds ...1 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....6 Total Fatalities...7
Sheriff's Department, Maricopa County Reported by Detective Sgt. Jason Gilchrist	Total Incidents.....12 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 12 Adult) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....11 Total Fatalities...11
Sun City Fire Department Reported by John A. Ramsey	Total Incidents.....1 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 1 Adult) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....1 Total Fatalities....1
Superstition Fire & Medical District (AJ) Reported by Tina Gerola Formally known as Apache Junction Fire	Total Incidents.....0 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 0 Adult) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0 Total Fatalities...0
Surprise Fire Department Reported by Jamie Michler	Total Incidents.....9 (4 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 5 Adult) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....4 Total Fatalities....4
Tempe Fire Department Reported by Monique Bonfiglio	Total Incidents.....8 (4 Ped / 0 Children / 0 Teens / 4 Adult) Fatalities: Peds ...2 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult...0 Total Fatalities...2
Tolleson Fire Department Reported by Local Media	Total Incidents.....0 (0 Peds / 0 Children / 0 Teen / 0 Adult) Fatalities: Peds ...0 Children....0 Teen....0 Adult....0 Total Fatalities....0

Total Water Related Incidents
Total Incidents.....155 (65 Peds / 12 Children / 4 Teen / 74 Adults)
Fatalities: Peds ...8 Children...1 Teen....0 Adult....48
Total Fatalities....57