



IMAGINE MESA ADVISORY COMMITTEE

October 5, 2017

The Imagine Mesa Advisory Committee of the City of Mesa met in the Mesa City Plaza, sixth floor conference room, 20 East Main Street, on October 5, 2017 at 5:31 p.m.

COMMITTEE PRESENT

Terry Benelli, Co-Chair
Levi Leyba, Co-Chair
Greg Arnett
Jake Brown
Patrick Kee
Winnie Kho Kaplan
Matt Law
Jo Martin
Linda Moeser
Justin Murdock
Jenni Richardson
Kelly Smith
Deanna Villanueva-Saucedo

COMMITTEE ABSENT

Frank Mizner
Gina Rodriguez

STAFF PRESENT

Tom Ellsworth
Melissa Randazzo
Jeffrey Robbins
Jamie Salentine
Julia Thompson
Janet Woolum

1. Call to Order.

Co-Chairperson Benelli called the meeting to order.

2. Review the idea spreadsheet and determine which ideas will be reviewed.

(This item was not discussed by the Committee.)

3. Begin evaluation of ideas.

(This item was not discussed by the Committee.)

4. Identify information needed for the next sub-committee meeting.

Principal Planner Tom Ellsworth explained that the Co-Chairs assigned Committeemembers to the four sub-committees, notified them via email, and provided an agenda, sample evaluation worksheet, and an updated Imagine Mesa ideas list.

Mr. Ellsworth confirmed that the Google drive has been setup and noted that all members need a gmail account in order to have access and that the evaluation worksheet and Imagine Mesa idea lists will be placed on the Google drive.

Mr. Ellsworth stated that staff has assigned each sub-committee a staff liaison and facilitator to assist with questions and to keep the sub-committee on task.

Mr. Ellsworth explained the evaluation worksheet, which is to assist in determining the success factors for the Imagine Mesa ideas and the high-low impact and high-low effort matrix (**See Attachment 1**). He displayed the Imagine Mesa ideas lists (**See Attachment 2**) for each sub-committee and pointed out that the green highlights indicate new Imagine Mesa ideas that were added since the last Imagine Mesa Advisory Committee meeting and pointed out that the Google drive will have the most recent Imagine Mesa idea lists.

Mr. Ellsworth stated that Imagine Mesa will conduct an outreach at three events in October:

- Celebrate Mesa
- Mesa Latino Town Hall
- Dia de los Muertos Festival

In response to a question posed by Committeemember Kee, Mr. Ellsworth reported that staff placed the Imagine Mesa ideas into the four groups and that if any of the sub-committees decides that an idea should be moved to another sub-committee to let him know and he will adjust as needed.

Mr. Ellsworth reviewed the process which includes, identifying the Imagine Mesa ideas, determine success criteria using the evaluation worksheet and matrix, and the final step is a recommendation to Council.

In response to a question posed by Co-Chairperson Benelli, Mr. Ellsworth stated that the notes section on the evaluation worksheet would indicate if the sub-committee would like a presentation by staff, or information from the original submitter, and to notify the staff liaison.

In response to a question from Committeemember Kee, Mr. Ellsworth confirmed that staff can reach the original Imagine Mesa idea submitter and that presentations will be limited to ten minutes.

5. Scheduling of Meetings and General Information.

Mr. Ellsworth stated that the schedule of meetings is as follows:

Thursday, October 19, 2017, 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 2, 2017, 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 9, 2017, 5:30 p.m.

6. Adjournment.

Without objection, the Imagine Mesa Advisory Committee meeting adjourned at 5:54 p.m.

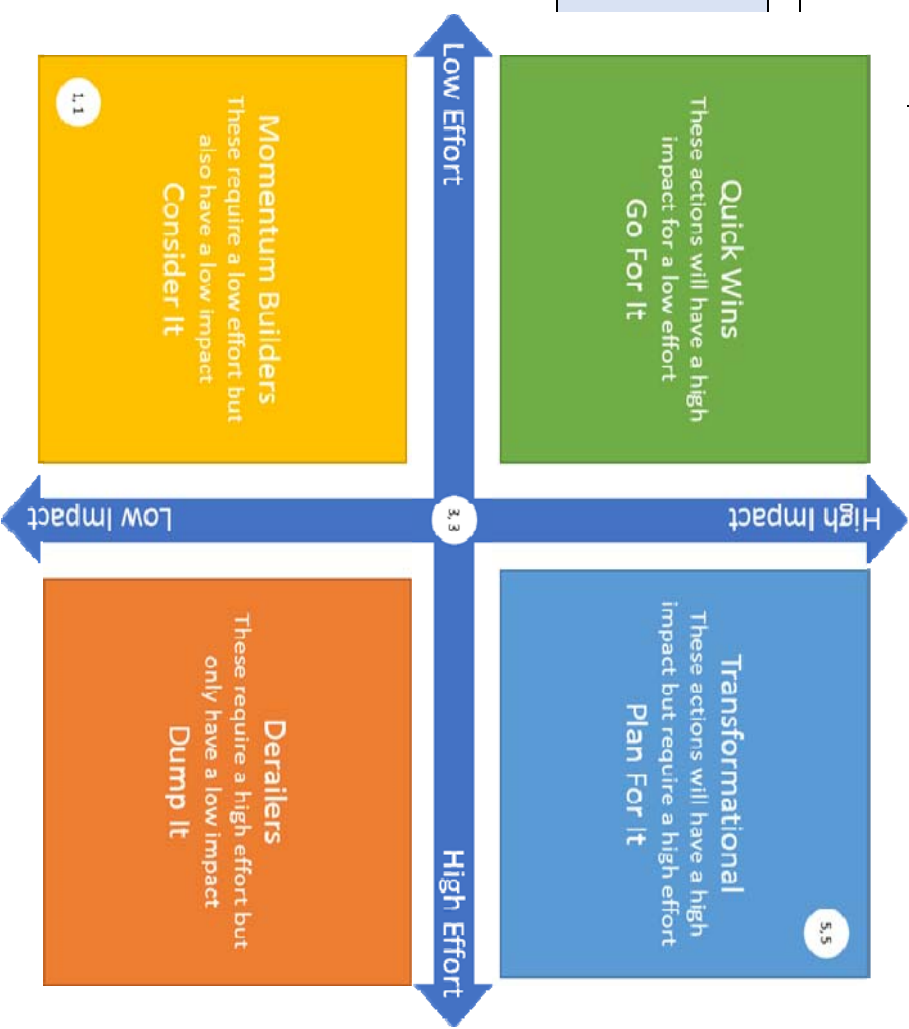
I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Imagine Mesa Advisory Committee meeting of the City of Mesa, Arizona, held on the 5th day of October, 2017. I further certify that the meeting was duly called and held and that a quorum was present.

DEE ANN MICKELSEN, CITY CLERK

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(Attachments – 2)

Imagine Mesa Sub-Committee:

Idea:		OPPORTUNITIES	CHALLENGES	NOTES
SUCCESS FACTOR				
Already a City Program/Plan?				
Public Support				
"Me Too's" and Comments				
Impact				
Regional, Citywide, Neighborhood				
Implementation Timetable				
1-2 Years, 3-5 Years, 5+ Years				
One-Time Cost				
Infrastructure, construction costs, equipment?				
Ongoing Cost				
Staff? Maintenance? Materials?				
Potential Revenue				
Fees? Tax? Grant? Etc..				
Property				
What locations could meet the need? Does the city own the property? If not, is there a willing seller?				
Similar Facilities/Services				
Partnerships				
Are there willing partners? Is a partner required to be successful?				
Other				
Sub-Committee Recommendation:				Impact/Effort Matrix:



PLAY IDEAS

Originating forum

XX idea themes; votes and ideas as of Oct. 3 - DRAFT

Me Toos

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1 A multi-purpose, multi-field youth and amateur sports complex		405
Play	a multi-purpose, multi-field youth and amateur sports complex	353 Stephen L. We https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-multi-purpose-multi-fi-stephenwest
Play	b Multi-Purpose, Multi-Field Youth/Amateur Sports Complex WITH Indoor Sports and Recreation Space	19 Marc Garcia https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-multi-purpose-multi-fiel
Play	c multi-field, multi-purpose complex for youth and amateur sports facility very much needed	13 Tom Rhodes https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-softball-and-baseball-fie
Play	d softball and baseball fields around the area of Horne and Baseline. Needed	3 Linda https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-large-multi-use-soccer
Play	e a large multi-use soccer complex in east Mesa. There is land next to Ref Mtn soccer complex	3 Lisa L https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-sports-complex
Play	f a sports complex	3 Brad Cernat https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-indoor-sports-complex-and
Play	g Indoor Sports Complex volleyball, basketball, soccer, swimming/diving events and club tournaments	3 Roberta Palme https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-indoor-sports-complex-and
Play	i more athletic fields with lights	2 Tina Dollhouse https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-athletic-fields-with
Play	j a big indoor soccer training facility	1 ash https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-big-indoor-soccer-facil
Play	k more soccer fields and multi-purpose fields	1 Brian Bailey https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-soccer-fields-and-mu
Play	l an ammeter sports / family Recreation park in East Mesa	1 Erka B https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-an-ammeter-sports-famil
Play	m Little League Baseball Complexes in Northeast and Southeast Mesa similar to Fiesta Park	1 TK https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-little-league-baseball-co
Play	n the Multi-purpose multi-field youth and amateur sports complex	1 Matthew Huss https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-multi-purpose-multi-f
Play	o something similar to Victory Lane in Glendale	1 Courtney Davi https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-something-similar-to-vic

2 Site 17 (University & Mesa Drive) to be AMAZING		339
Play	a Site 17 (University & Mesa Drive) to be AMAZING	338 Tim Boyle https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-site-17-university-mes
Play	b Coliseum Grande On site 17 to include four complexes. Where can we post drawings and details	1 jimmyB https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-coliseum-grande-on-site-17

3 More bike and pedestrian paths that keep riders separated from street traffic		293
Play	a more bike and pedestrian paths that keep riders separated from street traffic	218 City of Mesa, f https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-bike-and-pedestrian
Play	b designated roads, sidewalks, trails, for runners, cyclists, and pedestrians	38 Nycolie Leyba https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-designated-roads-sidewal
Green Future	c a more extensive bike and pedestrian trail system	9 Tina Dollhouse https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-more-extensive-bike-and
Home	d Solid-green bike lanes	8 Elien Granillo https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-solid-green-bike-lanes
Play	e bike "sharrow" markings on Main St in downtown Mesa to be more prominent	3 Renate Elm https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-bike-sharrow-markings-o
Play	f more engaging cycling events, especially at Desert Trails,	3 Rick White https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-engaging-cycling-eve
Home	g better access to facilities via bike using off-street routes	3 Ashley https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-better-access-to-faciliti
Home	h safer areas like trails and multiuse paths to ride bikes and walk	3 Ashley https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-safer-areas-like-trails-a
Play	i family safe bike paths that run through Mesa's hidden gems and connect to Downtown Mesa	3 Luis Garcia https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-family-safe-bike-paths-th
Green Future	j To Have a Wider Bike Lane Running on Country Club Drive	1 T Moon https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-have-a-wider-bike-lane
Green Future	k on Installation of a Canal Crossing at Horne and Inca Streets	1 T Moon https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-an-installation-of-a-canal
Play	l uninterrupted bike path through Mesa away from traffic...a huge MESA sign (liketheyhoveinMexico	1 Kathy Williams https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-uninterrupted-bike-path-t
Home	m pretty pathways to walk and bike	1 Ashley https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-pretty-pathways-to-walk-a
Play	n more activities and events that promote being outside, riding bikes, walking, and hiking	1 Ashley https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-activities-and-event

4 More covered parks and splash pads		289
Play	a more covered parks and splash pads	280 Bree Branch https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-covered-parks-and-sp
Innovation	b Splash pads	4 Stephanie Berl https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-splash-pads
Play	c shades on all playgrounds	1 Nelly Escamille https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-shades-on-all-playgrounds
Play	d More splash pads and parks for summer fun	1 Rayna Forry C https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-splash-pads-and-park
Play	e a splash pad, covered park, shade trees, picnic areas, and parking garage at site 17,	1 Emily https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-splash-pad-covered-par
Play	f shaded, water, or indoor play areas for children	1 Jasmine Dowli https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-shaded-water-or-indoor
Play	g More shade and seating closer to play equipment at parks	1 Sara Harrop https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-shade-and-seating-cl

5 Downtown activation		229
Play	a to activate and enhance downtown alleys	61 Jess Jenkins https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-activate-and-enhance-d-lessjenkins
Play	b Downtown Mesa to have better night life	56 Kathy Barrios https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-downtown-mesa-to-have-bet
Play	c a permanent pedestrian park / centralized outdoor event space in Downtown Mesa	48 Amy Osowski https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-permanent-pedestrian-pa
Play	d more art downtown	18 Laurent Teichr https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-art-downtown
Home	e newer housing developments in downtown and west Mesa	16 Rebecca Potter https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-newer-housing-development
Innovation	f More Bars and night clubs in downtown Mesa	11 Pdawg https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-bars-and-night-clubs
Play	g more restaurants on Main Street (ie, like Gilbert) also open on Sundays	8 Joanne campo https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-restaurants-on-main
Home	h downtown Main street to be a hotspot for nightlife	3 K Gibson https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-downtown-main-street-to-b
Home	i more community gathering spaces downtown	2 Erica Snyder https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-community-gathering

Play	j	<i>an active downtown with restaurants and brewerys</i>
Play	k	<i>Costa Visa downtown</i>
Play	l	<i>a field house downtown near the convention center to draw tournaments and conferences downtown</i>
Work	m	<i>an updated, exciting convention center at University and Center to draw visitors downtown</i>
Work	n	<i>Rube- Goldberg machine installation in Downtown</i>
Play	o	<i>more cultural celebrations and festivals with music, food, markets and games in Downtown Mesa</i>

6 The Landing At Lehi Falls

7 More indoor recreation space for kids and adults to gather year-round to exercise and play		
Play	a	<i>more indoor recreation space for kids and adults to gather year-round to exercise and play</i>
Play	b	<i>an awesome recreation center like the one in Provo, UT</i>
Play	c	<i>More recreational centers where affordable classes are offered</i>
Play	d	<i>indoor public parks</i>
Play	e	<i>Recreation Center for families</i>
Play	f	<i>a movie theatre, affordable family friendly restaurants, and shopping in downtown</i>
Innovation	g	<i>to see more parks and recreation centers for boys and girls baseball leagues for the city of mesa</i>
Play	h	<i>a lot of basketball courts</i>
Play	i	<i>Red Mountain Center to have a pool facility</i>
Play	j	<i>more places like Red Mountain Recreation Center throughout the City</i>

8 Park features

Play	a	<i>Sand Volleyball Courts</i>
Play	b	<i>More green areas besides our neighborhood school</i>
Play	c	<i>a Liquid Fireworks Water Show attraction at the front of Pioneer Park on Main Street</i>
Home	d	<i>more cover park benches</i>
Play	e	<i>more parks that are desert-scaped for people to walk, run, bicycle, etc</i>
Play	f	<i>a traffic garden playground</i>
Play	g	<i>restrooms at Desert Arroyo Park</i>
Play	h	<i>lighted Pickleball courts added to our city parks</i>
Innovation	i	<i>I would like to make a rock crawler course/track at red mountain park</i>
Innovation	j	<i>Allow rc boats in park lakes or at least designated areas or lakes even just electric and sailboats</i>
Play	k	<i>Schools to have woodchips at there playgrounds not sand</i>
Play	l	<i>More playgrounds in basins</i>
Play	m	<i>Have free water slides at every Mesa park so that you don't burn your legs</i>
Play	n	<i>Plane and train at Pioneer Park</i>
Play	o	<i>public pickle ball courts</i>
Play	p	<i>to see more large and extra large ramadas in parks that are being renovated or new parks</i>
Play	q	<i>Add a playground to Holmes Park (1450 S. Greenfield Rd)</i>
Home	r	<i>a safety town. A dedicated area to teach kids to learn crossing streets etc. See Naperville, IL</i>
Play	s	<i>more open space and natural beauty</i>
Play	t	<i>a playground like Tumbleweed</i>
Play	u	<i>more lit park fields (like Countryside), not just large complexes</i>

9 To see the old Fiesta Mall become home to the Coyotes hockey team & ASU's sports management programs

10 Events		
Play	a	<i>continued community support for AZ Celebration of Freedom(July 4th) and Merry Main Street Festivals</i>
Play	b	<i>to have more family friendly and inexpensive events</i>
Play	c	<i>to see more concerts and such in the cubs stadium like at talking stick</i>
Play	d	<i>Have more events like the Pokemon party of 2016, it was so much fun to explore Downtown, Mesa</i>
Innovation	e	<i>more events (concerts) at Mesa Amphitheater</i>
Home	f	<i>a televised Christmas concert</i>
Play	g	<i>More low cost events for lower income families</i>
Play	h	<i>More free/low cost festivals, events, movie nights, etc. Remove barriers to community involvement</i>
Play	u	<i>Full Moon Bike Ride</i>
Innovation	j	<i>Golf tournaments designed to bring people together and network</i>
Innovation	k	<i>better communication between City departments and the events and activities they hold</i>
Play	l	<i>more kid friendly events and educational opportunities</i>

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1	Escape Games	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-costa-visa-downtown
1	AzMom	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-field-house-downtown-ne
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1	Arizona Celebr	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-rube-goldberg-machine-in
1	Ann	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-cultural-celebration

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7	Kelly Smith	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-an-awesome-recreation-cen
4	Rebecca Potter	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-indoor-recreational-centers
2	Abigail	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-indoor-public-parks
2	JenIM	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-recreation-center-for-fam
2	Darlene sitzler	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-movie-theatre-affordab
1	Christina	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-more-parks-and-rec
1	Arizona Celebr	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-lot-of-basketball-court
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7	Jeffrey Umford	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-liquid-fireworks-water
3	Arizona Celebr	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-cover-park-benches
3	Robert S	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-parks-that-are-deser
3	Ashley	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-traffic-garden-playgrou
2	bigbob	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-restrooms-at-desert-arroy
2	Pam Abbott	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-lighted-pickleball-courts
1	Bryan	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-roller-track-tournaments
1	Bryan	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-allow-rc-boats-in-park-la
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1	Arizona Celebr	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-plane-and-train-at-pioneer
1	Eric Swanson	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-public-pickle-ball-courts
1	Linda	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-more-large-and-ext
1	bigbob	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-add-a-playground-to-holme
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7	Sstaps	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-more-concerts-and
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1	Marlei Klein	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-free-low-cost-festiv
1	Sarah Gregory	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-full-moon-bike-ride
1	David Barney	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-golf-tournaments-designed
1	Ashley	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-better-communication-be
1	Ashley	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-kid-friendly-events

Play	m	Mesa to bring back the Mesa Days miniature parade and festival
Play	n	to bring back "Mesa Days"
Play	o	Free music concerts, everyone brings instrument and share your talent
Work	p	a website for events
Work	q	more convenient parking spaces for events and vendors
Play	r	to relish in literary festivals and celebrations of books and stories
Play	s	Movie nights in the park
Play	t	ultimate frisbee weekly
Play	u	More Parent activities

- 1 Paula Farris <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-bring-back-the-me>
- 1 Lauren Delaix <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-bring-back-mesa-days>
- 1 Arizona Celebr <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-free-music-concerts-ever>
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- 1 Arizona Celebr <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-parent-activities>

11 Dog parks

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Green Future	a	dog parks and community gardens side-by-side
Play	b	Mesa to be a dog friendly city. We have countless retentions that can be converted to dog parks
Play	c	a nice park in east Mesa with dog park, lake, trees, etc
Play	d	a dog park included at the City of Mesa park located in the Eastmark community
Play	e	more dog parks - or add more fenced off-leash areas within the current park system
Play	f	an indoor dog park so we can continue walking our dogs during summer time
Play	g	a huge, off-leash dog trail park
Play	h	a dog park downtown

- 18 Christopher Br <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-dog-parks-and-community-g>
- 14 Josh Smith <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-be-a-dog-friendly>
- 7 Lisa <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-nice-park-in-east-mesa>
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- 3 Athena <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-dog-parks-or-add-m>
- 3 Autumn Hintz <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-an-indoor-dog-park-so-we>
- 2 Ashley <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-huge-of-leash-dog-tra>
- 1 Margaret <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-dog-park-downtown>

12 Riverview mall to hv free concerts, splash pad, cozy seating, gd restaurants

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Play	13	Connect our entire city with canal projects that provide a world renowned quality of life
Play	a	LOTS more water fountains along the canal path, especially water fountains with low spouts for dogs
Play	b	connect our entire city with canal projects that provide a world renowned quality of life
Play	c	the canal heading North from Horne and Brown paved into a multi-use trail ending at Thomas Road
Play	d	Inviting canal walking/biking paths with places to stop, sit and enjoy
Play	e	to see the Eastern Canal Trail paved for bike riding
Play	f	Walking and biking trails along eastern canals

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- 9 Amanda Roger <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-lots-more-water-fountains>
- 7 Jeremy R. Whi <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-connect-our-entire-city-w>
- 8 Bob Longmire <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-canal-heading-north-f>
- 5 Jocelyn Condo <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-inviting-canal-walking-bi>
- 1 Karin Gardner <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-the-eastern-canal>
- 1 David Luna <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-walking-and-biking-trails>

14 New parks

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Play	14	New parks
Play	a	a park/playground between the i.d.e.a. Museum and the Arizona Museum of Natural History
Play	b	Something like riverview park in North Mesa, sports area, waterpark, less chain stores and restauran
Play	c	there to be a park added to the old cox parking lot
Play	d	Better parks for Val Vista & Main (Similar to Dobson Ranch)
Play	e	the Elliott basins to be official sports fields with lights and restrooms
Play	f	the vacant land at Thomas and Recker to be developed into an amazing place like Riverview Park
Play	g	Southern/Alma School decade closed businesses to become family activity areas
Play	h	the Valley's greatest urban park to be located in the Fiesta District
Play	i	Turn old spook hill into an actual hiking and biking park
Work	j	parks
Play	k	Signal Butte/Elliott park finished
Play	l	Monterey Park finished
Play	m	you to develop the southwest corner of Mountain and Adobe into a neighborhood park
Play	n	Purchase land at Ellsworth and Brown (Spookhill/Microwave Tower), upgrade the outdoor hiking area
Play	o	the vacant lots west of Gilbert btwn Adobe & University to be parks like they are in east Mesa

- 7 Carmen Guerr <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-park-playground-between>
- 4 Skyla Majorcz <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-something-like-riverview>
- 2 Andrea <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-there-to-be-a-park-added>
- 2 Arizona Celebr <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-better-parks-for-val-vist>
- 2 Tina Dollhouse <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-elliott-basins-to-be>
- 2 Athena <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-vacant-land-at-thomas>
- 2 Erin Collins <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-southern-alma-school-deca>
- 2 Adam Gundert <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-valley-s-greatest-urb>
- 1 Alicia <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-turn-old-spook-hill-into>
- 1 Jeremy Rudd <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-parks>
- 1 Athena <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-signal-butte-elliott-park>
- 1 Athena <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-monterey-park-finished>
- 1 hannigirl <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-you-to-develop-the-southw>
- 1 bigbob <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-purchase-land-at-ellswort>
- 1 Michael <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-vacant-lots-west-of-g>

15 A skateboard park, water park, and obstacle course

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Play	15	A skateboard park, water park, and obstacle course
Play	a	a skateboard park, water park, and obstacle course
Play	b	a water park designed for children w/disabilities (wheelchair access is a must)
Play	c	to see a free open water park like that of Tempe with lots of trees or shade
Play	d	a skate park
Play	e	Shaded skate parks with separate areas for scooters, skateboards, roller skaters & bikers

- 21 Patricia Moral <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-skateboard-park-water>
- 5 Arizona Celebr <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-water-park-designed-for>
- 1 Nancy K. Reed <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-free-open-water-park-like-that-of-tempe-with-lots-of-trees-or-shade>
- 1 Demetrio Herr <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-skate-park>
- 1 Robin Simmon <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-shaded-skate-parks-with-s>

16 Pools

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Play	16	Pools
Play	a	Public pools
Play	b	a better Fremont Pool, or expand and improve Shepherd pool
Play	c	ALL City public pools open 7 days a week through Labor Day, it's too hot for them to be closed

- 14 Dana <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-public-pools>
- 4 Tina Dollhouse <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-better-fremont-pool-or>
- 4 hannigirl <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-all-city-public-pools-ope>

Play	d	Red Mountain/Fremont needs an athletic complex similar to Skyline and Kino, use the bond proceeds	2	David	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-need-around-air-fremont-need
Play	e	a new pool for Red Mountain High and for year round programs like swim lessons	2	Aspin Huntley	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-new-pool-for-red-mountain
Play	f	southeast Mesa to have an aquatic center	1	Tina Dollhouse	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-southeast-mesa-to-have-an
Play	g	a similar center to the Mesquite Groves Aquatics Center on NE Mesa	1	Amber	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-similar-center-to-the-m

17 Park operations					
Play	a	Mesa to have sufficient vacant land for future park development as the City grows	3	TK	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-have-sufficient-v
Play	b	Public-Private Partnerships for Park Spaces	1	Lucas	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-public-private-partnershi
Play	c	I would like for the parks to be available for use after 10:00 pm in the summer hours	1	Denise Cordier	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-i-would-like-for-the-park
Play	d	more Mesa Parks & Rec activities and classes	1	Justin Schultz	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-mesa-parks-rec-act
Play	e	Dobson Ranch Golf Course to be invested in & remodeled. New clubhouse, cart paths, bunkers & greens	1	Athena	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-dobson-ranch-golf-course

18 Velodrome					
Play	a	to see an outdoor velodrome in one of the upcoming new parks. #bikersheaven	3	Gail and Holly	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-an-outdoor-velodro
Play	b	Velodrome	3	Chris Q	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-velodrome

Play	19	A zoo, I want to see a cheetah	5	Arizona C	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-zoo-i-want-to-see-a-ch
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20 Trails					
Play	a	hiking trails	2	Amanda Willis	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-hiking-trails
Play	b	horse back trails and events	1	Arizona Celebr	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-horse-back-trails-and-eve
Play	c	more hiking trails	1	Rita	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-hiking-trails

21 Cultural heritage					
Play	a	a Union Civil War Monument	1	Jaime Leverng	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-union-civil-war-monumen
Play	b	Black history museum	1	Arizona Celebr	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-black-history-museum
Play	c	some sort of building that the hispanic people of Arizona can come and appreciate their culture	1	Arizona Celebr	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-some-sort-of-building-tha

Play	22	Something like Thanksgiving Point	2	Jami Park	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-something-like-thanksgivi
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Play	23	Motor sports park	2	Arizona C	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-motor-sports-park
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Play	24	A table tennis club	2	Kb	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-table-tennis-club
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Play	25	Dedicated land or partnership with County for safe flying of remote aircraft	2	TK	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-athletic-fields-with
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Play	26	Access to kickboxing (with heavy bags). Very limited in East Mesa	1	BK Jacksc	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-access-to-kickboxing-wit
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Play	27	A ninja gym and a better variety of concerts	1	Bonnie	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-ninja-gym-and-a-better
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Play	28	Mesa to have an outdoor entertainment venue that is provides live music, concerts, special events	1	Laurie	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-have-an-outdoor-e
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Play	29	More active community fun groups like #MesasGilbertRocks	1	Courtney	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-active-community-fun
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Play	30	Mesa to have a Created Lake just like Tempe Town Lake down at Riverview and Watch the Growth	1	Chris Hes	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-have-a-created-la
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Play	31	More education classes on bike and ped safety	1	Ashley	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-education-classes-on
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Play	32	A pond or a section of a pond set up for racing remote controlled motor and/or sail boats	1	caleb car	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-pond-or-a-section-of-a
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Play	33	Have free violin and other musical instruments	1	Arizona C	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-have-free-violin-and-othe
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Play	34	More Park Rangers to keep our parks family friendly and safe	1	hannigirl	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-park-rangers-to-keep
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Play 35 A shade cover over the Amphitheater so the summer concerts aren't so hot

1 Linda <https://neighborland.com/ideas/ mesa-az-a-shade-cover-over-the-am>

Play 36 An amusement park in the Valley of the Sun or

1 Lori Jo Sn <https://neighborland.com/ideas/ mesa-az-an-amusement-park-in-the>

Play 37 More bicycle parks

1 Hansen <https://neighborland.com/ideas/ mesa-az-more-bicycle-parks>

Play a planetarium perhaps even an east side science center

1 L Mayr <https://neighborland.com/ideas/ mesa-az-a-planetarium-perhaps-eve>

Play more indoor adult volleyball leagues on the East side

1 Emryn Ta <https://neighborland.com/ideas/ mesa-az-more-indoor-adult-volleyb>

Play more things for free for seniors

1 Alice Wal <https://neighborland.com/ideas/ mesa-az-more-things-for-free-for>

HOME IDEAS

Originating forum

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1 New fire stations

Home	a	a new fire station in Eastmark
Home	b	Mesa Fire Department to build a Fire Station at 32nd Street & McDowell Rd

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184	Samantha Sn	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-new-fire-station-in-eas
43	Mateo Cruz	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-fire-department-to-b

2 Get rid of ugly signs to make a beautiful city

93 Tim Boy <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-get-rid-of-ugly-signs-to>

3 The Broadway Road corridor to look nicer to attract more businesses

74 Bobby B <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-broadway-road-corrido>

4 Social services

Work	a	a shelter, human services, and job placement center for the Homeless population
Home	b	more affordable housing in East Mesa
Work	c	city government initiatives encouraging businesses to hire adults with intellectual disabilities
Work	d	We would like to see Mesa put a Freeze on all new assisted living facilities and section 8 housing
Home	e	to see the welcoming of homeless people in our town. There should be housing provided through tax \$
Work	f	Mesa to address the homeless situation. To many people here without a way to improve their lives

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36	Chris	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-shelter-human-services
16	Tim Boyle	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-affordable-housing-i
16	Arielle King	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-city-government-initiativ
3	Mike	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-we-would-like-to-see-mesa
1	Jull Runberg	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-freeze-on-new-assisted-living-facilities
1	Lisa Gann Mc	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-address-the-homel

5 Shade trees

Innovation	a	more shade providing trees in off street parking lots for cooler cars, cooler lots, & cleaner air
Play	b	to see tall, green shady trees on downtown main street
Home	c	more trees in the medians in neighborhoods to promote shade and to slow down traffic
Green Future	d	desert pine trees
Green Future	e	More shade trees for reducing the heat island effect for a better living environment
Green Future	f	green is great but city doesnt need to maintain trees or shrubery on city streets
Green Future	g	more native desert landscaping for reduced water usage & support the natural environment & ecosystem
Green Future	h	more shade trees
Green Future	i	Professional pruning of trees in public area of Mesa, not the hacking that is done
Play	j	us to retain the beauty of the desert

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29	Janet	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-shade-providing-tree
15	april	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-tall-green-shady
7	Shani Tapia	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-trees-in-the-medians
2	Jordan Heme	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-desert-pine-trees
1	Jacob	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-shade-trees-for-redu
1	leroy a. more	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-green-is-great-but-city-d
1	Bonni Beaver	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-native-desert-landsc
1	Karen Payne	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-shade-trees
1	Sue Hakala	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-professional-pruning-of-t
1	Roberts S	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-us-to-retain-the-beauty-o

6 Libraries

Innovation	a	Southeast Mesa to have a 21st century library
Home	b	a Library in Eastmark
Work	c	the downtown branch of the Mesa Public Library to be open 24/7
Home	d	a library in North Mesa
Play	e	a public library as awesome as Scottsdale's Civic Center (lots of play stations)
Play	f	the public library in Mesa to be just as fun for kids as the Apache Junction Library.

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49	Kayla C.	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-southeast-mesa-to-have-a
2	Joe	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-library-in-eastmark
1	Aaron M. Will	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-downtown-branch-of-th
1	Jill Kieter	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-library-in-north-mesa
1	Marissa Fry	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-public-library-as-aweso
1	Briselda	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-public-library-in-mes

7 Public safety

Home	a	faster response times from the police department
Home	b	more firefighters and police
Home	c	better trained police and a more professional approach to the community focused on customer service
Home	d	more law enforcement to stop loitering and panhandling outside of grocery and convenient stores
Home	e	to feel safer
Home	f	police dress like civilians & have lunch in the park & interact w/ the people in the City casually
Home	g	get bad people off the street
Home	h	more law enforcement from Mckellips and Stapley to US 60 and Stapley
Home	i	Better public safety with more cops and a city court who is tough on crime

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11	Nancie	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-faster-response-times-fro
6	Arizona Ceiel	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-firefighters-and-pol
5	Azh	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-better-trained-police-and
4	mc	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-law-enforcement-to-s
3	Jennifer	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-feel-safer
2	Arizona Ceiel	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-police-dress-like-civilia
3	Arizona Ceiel	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-get-bad-people-off-the-st
1	Sam Negrete	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-law-enforcement-from
1	Scott	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-better-public-safety-with

8 Code enforcement

Home	a	to see Mesa start enforcing city codes and require property owners to keep their property clean
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34	David land	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-mesa-start-enforci
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Home	b	<i>code enforcement for non HOA neighborhoods</i>
Home	c	<i>Hire more code compliance officers and start enforcing codes already on the books</i>
Home	d	<i>no more code compliance Nazis. HOAs are available for those who want them</i>

3	Arizona Celel	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-code-enforcement-for-non
3	Jim Olsen	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-hire-more-code-compliance
1	Concerned C	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-no-more-code-compliance-n

9 Animal services

Home	a	<i>some control of the feral cat population</i>
Home	b	<i>Required Microchipping of Dogs</i>
Home	c	<i>to redesign our approach to barking dogs</i>

33	B Schomer	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-some-control-of-the-feral
1	Ja Koe	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-required-microchipping-of
1	David Wright	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-redesign-our-approach

10 Specific streets improvements

Home	a	<i>A HAWK pedestrian crosswalk on University Dr to connect the Evergreen Historic District to Downtown</i>
Work	b	<i>more traffic lanes on US 60 to Signal Butte Road</i>
Home	c	<i>to see Stapley Dr. to I-60 cleaned up much like Mesa Drive was cleaned up</i>
Work	d	<i>to connect Meridan Rd to Baseline from Elliott Rd. so that the Route 60 interchange can be used</i>
Home	e	<i>a flashing yellow arrow on Sossaman and US60</i>
Home	f	<i>Pedestrian signal on McKellips and 24th St. canal</i>
Home	g	<i>Flashing yellow left turn lights at Mckelleps. Country Club and the 202. Saving time and fuel</i>
Home	h	<i>to see more blinking left turn lights, so people can turn when there is no oncoming traffic</i>
Home	i	<i>the drainage ditch and road fixed</i>
Home	j	<i>Intersection traffic lights to blink red or amber from 0130 to 0500. Huge energy saver</i>

21	Angelica Gue	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-hawk-pedestrian-crosswa
3	Victoria Caru	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-traffic-lanes-on-us
2	Irene Fklich	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-stapley-dr-to-i-6
2	Mary	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-connect-meridan-rd-to
1	RP	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-flashing-yellow-arrow-o
1	Jocelyn Cond	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-pedestrian-signal-on-mcke
1	Lee Anderson	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-flashing-yellow-left-turn
2	Ellen Badme	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-more-blinking-left
1	Jessica Naple	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-drainage-ditch-and-ro
1	Nor	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-intersection-traffic-ligh

11 Private prisons

Home	a	<i>a future where penal policy does not allow Mesa citizens to be locked up for private company profits</i>
Home	b	<i>to end for-profit jailing services</i>

22	Rambin Ami	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-future-where-penal-poli
2	Michael Mar	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-end-for-profit-jailing

12 Smoother roads and highways

Home	13	<i>Little Free Libraries in neighborhoods</i>
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17	Arizona	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-smoother-roads-and-highwa
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14 Volunteerism

Green Future	a	<i>volunteer clean up events</i>
Work	b	<i>volunteer spots so kids can count these hours for volunteer work at school</i>
Work	c	<i>to have volunteer age to drop to 12 for projects at school. So kids can count these hours</i>

9	4	Arizona Celel https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-volunteer-clean-up-events
4	4	Arizona Celel https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-volunteer-spots-so-kids-c
1	1	Arizona Celel https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-have-volunteer-age-to

15 Connected neighborhoods

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8	Adi	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-connected-neighborhoods
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16 Sidewalk enhancements

Home	a	<i>luminescent sidewalks</i>
Home	b	<i>Corner sidewalk ramps on 2nd Street between Guthrie and Harris Dr</i>
Home	c	<i>to see the pedestrian walk ways and driveways maintained</i>
Home	d	<i>SIDEWALKS TO BE KEPT CLEAR OF OVERGROWN BUSHES AND TREES, AND MORE SIDEWALKS AVAILABLE FOR TRAVEL</i>
Home	e	<i>a legal way to walk across Main St/LRT tracks between Roosevelt and Dobson</i>
Home	f	<i>Rainbow sidewalks</i>

8	2	Arizona Celel https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-luminescent-sidewalks
1	1	Millie https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-corner-sidewalk-ramps-on
1	1	Burgess https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-the-pedestrian-wal
1	1	MARVIN DAL https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-sidewalks-to-be-kept-clea
1	1	Renate Ehm https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-legal-way-to-walk-acros
2	2	Sarah Joe https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-rainbow-sidewalks

17 Schools

Innovation	a	<i>Vetetans discussing their experiences w/ high school students</i>
Play	b	<i>to make school playgrounds accessible to children outside school hours</i>
Play	c	<i>2 warm up lanes at Mesa High Pool</i>
Play	d	<i>to be able to reserve my high school feild for a time to get active with friends</i>
Innovation	e	<i>Better libraries in schools</i>
Home	f	<i>Healthy food in schools! The menu is making kids sick</i>

8	2	Arizona Celel https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-vetetans-discussing-their
2	2	Ellen Badme https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-make-school-playground
1	1	KSR https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-2-warm-up-lanes-at-mesa-h
1	1	d richy https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-be-able-to-reserve-my
1	1	Arizona Celel https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-better-libraries-in-schoo
1	1	Jesse Holt https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-healthy-food-in-schools

18 White roads to decrease the "heat island" effect.

Green Future	18	<i>White roads to decrease the "heat island" effect. https://www.facebook.com/georgetakei/videos/18883</i>
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6	Michelle	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-white-roads-to-decrease-t
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Home	19	To honor military, police, & fire with banners displayed downtown	6	Nycole L	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-honor-military-police
Home	20	Public showers and toilet facilities	6	Janet Fo	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-public-showers-and-toilet
Home	21	Speed bumps and more street lighting at neighborhoods near busy intersections	5	Sara Harrop	
Home	22	Entry signs into Mesa	5		
Home	a	<i>the North entry roads to Mesa cleaned up and fixed with nice "Welcome to Mesa" signs</i>	4	Heike Parks	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-north-entry-roads-to
Home	b	<i>Nicer entries into Mesa</i>	1	J	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-nicer-entries-into-mesa
Innovation	23	For the city of mesa to take care of property such as repainting the gates that surround our yards	1	Lynn Soc	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-for-the-city-of-mesa-to-t
Home	24	District 3 to have an ACTIVE City Council Member. We currently are not being represented	1	Nate	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-district-3-to-have-an-act
Home	25	Mini freeways	1	Ted S	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mini-freeways
Home	26	School crossing signs to have motion detection lights that flash brightly when someone crosses	1	Rob Will	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-school-crossing-signs-to
Green Future	27	Better water quality	1	Ed Schlu	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-better-water-quality
Home	28	Lower utility bills	1	Ed Schlu	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-lower-utility-bills
Home	a	<i>Mesa to stop charging such high utilities deposits</i>	1	Jerry Fergus	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-stop-charging-such
Home	29	To many roads under construction & no passing lanes	1	Arizona	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-many-roads-underconstr
Home	30	Bird guard on street lights	1	Arizona	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-bird-guard-on-street-ligh
Home	31	Misting system for pedestrians	1	Arizona	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-misting-system-for-pedest
Home	32	To remove speed bumps (impeding emergency vehicles from timely arrivals)	1	Arizona	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-remove-speed-bumps-im
Home	33	Neighborhood watch	1	Arizona	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-neighborhood-watch
Home	34	More mass awareness about safe driving practices	1	Ahmed	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-mass-awareness-about
Home	35	Enhance All Neighborhoods (incl. Water basins) outer walls with colorful Arizona murals	1	Ellen Gr	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-enhance-all-neighborhoods
Home	36	To see a way figured out so children can eat breakfast where they sleep	1	Jan B	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-a-way-figured-out
Home	37	Live-Work-Play Zones Identified	1	Lucas	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-live-work-play-zones-iden
Home		a STOP to people putting flyers and such on my door	2	Ja Koe	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-stop-to-people-putting

GREEN FUTURE IDEAS

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1 A food forest, community garden, nursery, community education center, and a farmer's market downtown		520
Green Future	a <i>a food forest, community garden, nursery, community education center, and a farmer's market downtown</i>	297 Dennis McClung https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-food-forest-community
Green Future	b <i>a year-round farmers market</i>	127 Zachary Singh https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-year-round-farmers-market
Green Future	c <i>empty lots to be turned into food forests where residents can pick fruit off trees and pick veggies</i>	64 Simone Rogers https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-empty-lots-to-be-turned-into-food-forests
Green Future	d <i>community vegetable gardening plots, with guidance/workshops by master gardeners</i>	19 Amanda Willis https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-community-vegetable-gardens
Green Future	e <i>a community garden</i>	2 Brian N Erin Wood https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-community-garden
Green Future	f <i>revolutionize our food supply using urban farming accelerators to create local, real food</i>	2 Jeremy R. Whitaker https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-revolutionize-our-food-supply
Green Future	g <i>Edible fruitscaping instead of only native trees, plant fruit trees too. Help the homeless and hungry</i>	2 Kathy Eldridge https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-edible-fruitscaping-instead-of-only-native-trees
Green Future	h <i>to see more veggie gardens. My garden is from November til April. Some begin in April</i>	2 Patty A Sicks Filzen https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-more-veggie-gardens
Green Future	i <i>to start a community garden at Dobson Ranch! La Casita has a perfect space</i>	1 Andrea Mageo https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-start-a-community-garden
Green Future	j <i>to be a part of this process from it's genesis. This can be so good, and the produce awesome</i>	1 Trey Hakom https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-be-a-part-of-this-process
Green Future	k <i>All new developer's to include community gardens and compose areas in new neighborhoods</i>	1 Kay Kay Wollard https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-all-new-developer-s-to-in
Green Future	l <i>Large gardens likr NPR facebookpost on July 12 at 12:00. On the ground & could include tiny houses</i>	1 Nicole Fredrickson https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-large-gardens-likr-npr-fa
Green Future	m <i>Garden Land</i>	1 Eric Russell https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-garden-land

2 Free bulk pick up days		178
Home		Mary Fouk https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-free-bulk-pick-up-days

3 Mass transit		88
Green Future	a <i>light rail to extend to Superstition Springs Mall by 2030</i>	37 Steven Wade https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-light-rail-to-extend-to-s
Work	b <i>more bus routes</i>	15 James Sutherland https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-bus-routes
Home	c <i>expanded light rail</i>	9 Sharon https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-expanded-light-rail
Green Future	d <i>free public transit for youth</i>	9 Tim Boyle https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-free-public-transit-for-y
Green Future	e <i>Water Filling Stations along the lite rail and public areas</i>	9 Jennifer Duff https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-water-filling-stations-al
Green Future	f <i>to install solar powered bus stops to charge devices and other transit oriented development</i>	2 Arizona Celebration o https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-install-solar-powered
Work	g <i>a raffle contest to support businesses affected by light rail construction</i>	2 Kelly Smith https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-affle-contest-to-supp
Play	h <i>youth (ages 6-18) to be able to take Valley Metro public transportation (bus or light rail) for free</i>	1 Annmarie https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-youth-ages-6-18-to-be-a-annmarie2
Home	i <i>bus routes on North/South roads between Gilbert and Power in East Mesa</i>	1 Laurie Annis https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-north-south-bus-routes-be
Work	j <i>more free busses/Shuttles to shopping centers</i>	1 Arizona Celebration o https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-free-busses-shuttles
Work	k <i>North/South bus routes between Gilbert and Power roads</i>	1 Laurie Annis https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-bus-routes-on-north-south
Green Future	l <i>every bus stop to be climate controlled, to play multigenerational music</i>	1 Burgess https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-every-bus-stop-to-be-clim

4 100% renewable energy by 2050 in accordance with The Paris Agreement and the Solutions Project		61
Green Future		Carl Parrish https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-100-renewable-energy-by
5 Green schools		40
Green Future	a <i>Mesa School Districts to implement gardening and sustainability programs in the schools</i>	30 Tania Jane https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-school-districts-to
Green Future	b <i>Evit and the high schools as solar and green centers</i>	10 Azh https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-evit-and-the-high-schools
Green Future	c <i>There to be a general location to find resources so we can find ways we can help each other</i>	1 Reta Yanik https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-there-to-be-a-general-loc

6 More sites / days to drop off household hazardous waste		30
Green Future		Jenna Meache https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-sites-days-to-drop
7 Composting		27
Green Future	a <i>Food Waste Composting Facility</i>	25 Jarred Tyler Hamm https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-food-waste-composting-f
Green Future	b <i>Composting of food and landscaping waste</i>	1 Mary Murphy https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-composting-of-food-and-la
Green Future	c <i>the green landscaping waste to be composted. And the compost made available to the residents</i>	1 Mary Murphy https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-green-landscaping-wa

8 The large metal city clean up bins available to neighborhoods at least 4 times a year		14
Home		Linda Wiley https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-large-metal-city-clea
9 Part of the city budget to be allocated to converting existing public to lights solar powered		11
Innovation		Sam https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-part-of-the-city-budget-t

10 Energy efficient windows for low income neighborhoods		8
Green Future		Ashley L. Cam https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-energy-efficient-windows

Green Future	11	Fees on plastic bags to reduce trash and pollution	8	Kayla	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-fees-on-plastic-bags-to-r
Innovation	12	Covered parking lined with solar panels to generate power in public places	6	Stephanie Bul	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-covered-parking-lined-wit
Green Future	13	A free mulch and free woodchip program for all city residents	5	Joshua Hadley	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-free-mulch-and-free-woo
Green Future	14	To promote growing raised garden beds in front yards over lawns or desert landscape	4	Tania Jane	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-promote-growing-raised
Green Future	15	Electric Car Sharing program in downtown Mesa	3	Jennifer Duff	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-electric-car-sharing-prog
Home	16	The power lines buried and allys sold to willing corresponding neighbors in west mesa	3	Kim Kempton	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-power-lines-buried-an
Innovation	17	Downtown to be serviced with the city chilling system . All the business downtown could subscribe	2	Laurent Teich	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-downtown-to-be-serviced-w
Green Future	18	To see the automatic sprinkler systems conserve water wisely	1	Burgess	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-the-automatic-spri
Home	19	Mesa to work with SRP to replace all tall standing power poles with underground power	1	Ellen Granillo	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-work-with-srp-to
Innovation	20	The first fully powered city energized by solar power	1	Mark Steven	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-first-fully-powered-c
Green Future	21	Neighborhood Energy Efficiency in Mesa	1	Ashley L. Cam	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-neighborhood-energy-effic
Green Future	22	To see the city help residents remove dead trees - equipment/discounted fee	1	Teresa Willian	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-the-city-help-resi
Green Future	23	Ideas for recycling air conditioner condensation water runoff	1	Amy	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-ideas-for-recycling-air-c
Green Future	24	All new homes to be required to have solar panels	1	Kay Kay Wolla	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-all-new-homes-to-be-requi
Green Future	25	To expand recycling	1	Arizona Celeb	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-expand-recycling
Green Future	26	To use less machines that are not green	1	Arizona Celeb	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-use-less-machines-that
Green Future	27	To clean the lakes to help animals	1	Arizona Celeb	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-clean-the-lakes-to-hel
Green Future	28	It to be a requirement for all city property to have 50% edible landscaping	1	Joshua Hadley	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-it-to-be-a-requirement-fo
Green Future	29	Support for home and business rain water harvesting systems	1	David Douthic	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-support-for-home-and-busi
Green Future	30	To show you a Vertical Tower Garden created by NASA that uses over 90% less land and water	1	Linda Fuller	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-show-you-a-vertical-to
Play	31	Turn landfill into lake/waveyard	1	Jason Potter	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-turn-landfill-into-lake-w
Green Future		our green Mesa to have gardens and rooftops to have gardens as well	2	Celista	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-our-green-mesa-to-have-ga
Green Future		neighbors to take of the littering, clean the atmosphere	1	Jonny Morten	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-neighbors-to-take-of-the
Green Future		smart water meters and incentives for reducing water usage	1	Katie M	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-smart-water-meters-and-in

Green Future Hacer convivimos de barrio para mejorar nuestra ciudad ..conocerlos.y actuar

Living together as a neighborhood or probably more so, coming together as a neighborhood to better our city, to get to know or meet each other (the neighbors) and take action.

1 Rayito Valenci <https://neighborland.com/ideas/ mesa-az-hacer-convivimos-de-barri>

Green Future Me gustaria opinar acerca de establecer un centro de artesanias y manualidades con material reciclado

I would like to give my opinion about establishing a center for arts and crafts with recycled materials

1 Armida <https://neighborland.com/ideas/ mesa-az-me-gustaria-opinar-acerca>

WORK & INNOVATION IDEAS

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1 To bring an ASU campus to Downtown Mesa - without a tax increase

378 Sean Hunting <https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-bring-an-asu-campus-to>

2 Business/entrepreneurship development

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Innovation	a	<i>the city to increase innovation by investing in Heatsync Labs</i>	99	Luis Montes	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-city-to-increase-inno
Work	b	<i>to see more opportunities for entrepreneurship development</i>	43	Michael Mason	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-more-opportunities
Innovation	c	<i>a Downtown Mesa Innovation District that incubates creativity and clusters talent</i>	44	Stephanie McCoy	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-downtown-mesa-innovatio
Innovation	d	<i>a coworking space for new businesses and startups</i>	3	Kyle McKay	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-coworking-space-for-new
Innovation	e	<i>to establish a Mesa Incubator group for developing new industry and business</i>	1	Dr. Mel Alexander	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-establish-a-mesa-incub

3 Redevelopment/adaptive reuse

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Work	a	<i>the promotion of great adaptive use projects for aging homes fronting major roadways</i>	55	Brian Sandstrom	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-promotion-of-great-ad
Work	b	<i>to see empty box stores updated, refurbished and repurposed in our neighborhoods</i>	38	KD	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-empty-box-stores-u
Play	c	<i>restaurants/shopping/splash pad instead of Power Square Mall</i>	1	Annie Goldsand	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-restaur-and-shopping-404
Play	d	<i>the City of Mesa to purchase the Buck Horn Baths&restore, turn into an Art/Cultural Haven.</i>	1	S	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-city-of-mesa-to-purch

4 Attracting new business

47

Play	a	<i>Mesa to attract restaurants to invest in the Northeast portion of the city (where we live)</i>	11	Jay Urban	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-attract-restaurant
Work	b	<i>LESS Dollar Stores, Goodwill's and less Fast Food Restaurants</i>	4	Andrew Debratto	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-less-dollar-stores-goodw
Play	c	<i>the vacant lot at Hibbert and Main Street to have a multiplex movie theatre</i>	4	Marry McGuiness	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-vacant-lot-at-hibbert
Innovation	d	<i>More hotels</i>	3	Patti Kordovsky	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-hotels
Work	e	<i>more fast food</i>	3	Arizona Celebration	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-fast-food
Play	f	<i>More starbucks</i>	3	Mark Morales	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-starbucks
Play	g	<i>qualify restaurants in NE Mesa, similar to Old Town Gilbert</i>	3	Colleen	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-quality-restaurants-in-ne
Innovation	h	<i>WOULD BE AWESOME TO HAVE A MALL. MORE MOVIE THEATERS. MORE CHAIN FOODS LIKE CHIPOTLE, TOKYO JOES</i>	2	Mike Keylaws	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-would-be-awesome-to-have
Innovation	i	<i>an International Shopping Market in Mesa and a Library with different languages+Healthy food store</i>	2	Vidhya	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-an-international-shopping
Green Future	j	<i>a repair cafe (where people can bring broken items to learn how to fix them instead of tossing them)</i>	2	Abigail	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-repair-cafe-where-peon
Play	k	<i>Sam's Club</i>	2	Attenacy	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-sam-s-club
Play	l	<i>Better restaurants and shopping in mesa like the recently revived downtown Gilbert</i>	2	Cortny Murdock	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-better-restaurants-and-sh
Play	m	<i>Piano bars, botanical gardens and a drive-in movie theater</i>	1	Cheicie Darling	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-piano-bars-botanical-gar
Work	n	<i>to bring independent coffee makers and coffee houses into Northeast Mesa, nonchain</i>	1	Arizona Celebration	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-bring-independent-coff
Work	o	<i>more restaurants in the East Valley,Shops, more Entertainment for adults and family</i>	1	Mary Altamirano	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-restaurants-in-the-e
Work	p	<i>More stores, gas stations, and restaurants in Mesa by Bella Via</i>	1	Nikki Nava	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-stores-gas-stations
Green Future	q	<i>some healthy/vegetarian restaurants</i>	1	Ja Koe	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-some-healthy-vegetarian-r
Work	r	<i>a new bank</i>	1	Arizona Celebration	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-new-bank

5 Early education opportunities for young learners in Mesa

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Work	a	<i>early education opportunities for young learners in Mesa</i>	15	Deanna	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-early-education-opportuni
Innovation	b	<i>use resources like the IDEA Museum, Parks & Rec, and AzMNH to promote early childhood education</i>	11	Claudia Reeder Walt	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-use-resources-like-the-idea
Play	c	<i>expand and improve the idea Museum to generate excitement and interest in the whole downtown area</i>	10	soccermom	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-expand-and-improve-the-idea
Play	d	<i>a new and expended i.d.e.a. Museum. The new museum will offer more exhibitions, education programs</i>	5	Jeffroy Morris	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-new-and-expanded-idea
Play	e	<i>I would love to see more opportunities all over for homeschoolers during day time hours</i>	3	Monica	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-i-would-love-to-see-more
Innovation	f	<i>more support to Desert Sound Organization, our kids need more Music program for low income families</i>	1	Lillianne Ohep	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-support-to-desert-so
Play	g	<i>play is the "work" of our early childhood population. Partner with MPS to create citywide preschools</i>	1	Kathy Hogan Eustace	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-play-is-the-work-of-our
Play	h	<i>More children activities</i>	1	Arizona Celebration	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-children-activities

6 Workforce issues

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Work	a	<i>more tech and high wage jobs</i>	20	Azh	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-tech-and-high-wage-j
Work	b	<i>more jobs for High School Graduates</i>	3	Arizona Celebration	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-jobs-for-high-school
Work	c	<i>more career opportunities for 18 year olds</i>	1	Arizona Celebration	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-career-opportunities
Work	d	<i>more job opportunities for felons to have a chance in succeeding</i>	1	Arizona Celebration	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-job-opportunities-to
Work	e	<i>more job opportunities</i>	1	Arizona Celebration	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-job-opportunities

7 Tiny houses	
Home	a <i>to see a program implemented to build tiny houses or individual trailers on land</i>
Innovation	b <i>tiny houses</i>

26	23 Kathy Turner https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-a-program-implement
	3 Chacha Olmos https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-tiny-houses

8 The Challenger Space Center for children to be relocated

13	Susan https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-challenger-space-cent
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9 Land use

Work	a <i>to close the work force housing gap</i>
Green Future	b <i>more farmland</i>
Work	c <i>fewer apartments, more commercial zoning</i>
Home	d <i>keep NE Mesa rural</i>
Innovation	e <i>removal of multi-residential zoning (DR-2, etc) in downtown historic neighborhoods</i>
Innovation	f <i>Better economic and zoning decisions to help make the city a destination location</i>
Home	g <i>Mesa to become its own county pick up Queen Creek, Gilbert and Apache Junction</i>
Home	h <i>please remove the nuisance Alamo Club on 1st Ave. Protect the children living on Pasadca</i>

12	5 Carmen Guerrero https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-close-the-work-force-h
	1 Rosa McCaris https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-farmland
	1 Arizona Celebration https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-fewer-apartments-more-co
	1 Arizona Celebration https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-keep-ne-mesa-rural
	1 MesaResidentsSince1 https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-removal-of-multi-resident
	1 Keith T https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-better-economic-and-zonin
	1 Louis Stradling https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-become-its-own-co
	1 Kevin Hackett https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-please-remove-the-nuisanc

10 Free wi-fi

Innovation	a <i>free wi-fi</i>
Play	b <i>free wifi and notifications of arts and music shows</i>

10	7 Robert S https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-free-wi-fi
	3 David https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-free-wifi-and-notificatio

11 The city to be open for business half days on Fridays starting at 8am

8	AzMom https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-city-to-be-open-for-b
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12 Mesa to consider using an urban planner to create a more welcoming and vibrant in which to live

6	Karen https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-mesa-to-consider-using-an
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13 Fiesta Mall

Play	a <i>Fiesta Mall to become a one-of-a-kind multipurpose center</i>
Work	b <i>Reopen fiesta mall</i>

3	2 T.C. https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-fiesta-mall-to-become-a-o
	1 Joaquin https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-reopen-fiesta-mall

14 All restaurant venues to offer heart healthy menu choices for every age group

2	Burgess https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-all-restaurant-venues-to
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15 Fiber internet

Innovation	a <i>fiber optic installed allowing MUCH higher Internet bandwidth and speeds. more but text limited</i>
Home	b <i>to see Google fiber internet</i>

2	1 Norman https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-fiber-optic-installed-all
	1 Louis Stradling https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-google-fiber-inter

16 Transform the ASU Polytechnic campus located in Southeast Mesa into an Independent State University

1	S. R. https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-transform-the-asu-polytec
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17 To see Mesa, AZ maintain the city as it now stands with upgrades in areas of town where appropriate

1	Burgess https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-see-mesa-az-maintain
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18 Medical-marijuana industry own up to pay taxes, so schools can receive the % due them

1	Burgess https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-medical-marijuana-industr
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19 More Innoavation

1	Rita https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-innoavation
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20 Bigger focus on STEM and Cyber Security education K - Community College

1	Tani Moore https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-bigger-focus-on-stem-and
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21 Code Academy adopted in Mesa School district by every school

1	Joe https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-code-academy-adopted-in-m
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22 Citizen economic development focus groups/committees in each district

1	Joe https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-citizen-economic-developom
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Work	23	To decriminalize marijuana as a city (use tax dollars for schools, lower incarceration rates)	1	Arizona Celet	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-to-decriminalize-marijuan
Innovation	24	More help to get into college	1	Arizona Celet	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-help-to-get-into-col
Work	25	The city to explore cognitive computing to improve customer service	1	Jeffrey Robbi	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-the-city-to-explore-cogni
Work	26	Some sort of help for those businesses that get "trapped" in construction zones	1	Louise	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-some-sort-of-help-for-tho
Play	27	Self-Cleaning Public Toilets	1	Ellen Granillo	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-self-cleaning-public-toil
Home	28	A better solution to all the abandoned alleys rather than just a fence	1	Kim Carlston	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-better-solution-to-all
Innovation	29	Nutrition programs	1	Arizona Celet	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-nutrition-programs
Work	30	Cheaper administration for snap/ebt benefit receivers	1	Arizona Celet	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-cheaper-administration-fo
Innovation		an innovative shopping app created for Mesa to bring people to small businesses	1	Lynn Reno	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-an-innovative-shopping-ap
Green Future		more vintage and historical neighborhoods preserved	1	Kara Collum	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-more-vintage-and-historic
Innovation		greatly-reduced taxation	1	DJ	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-greatly-reduced-taxation
Work		test ads	1	Jess Jenkins	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-test-ads
Work		a culinary school in Mesa	1	L Mayr	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-culinary-school-in-mesa
Work		an underground city	1	Katie M	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-an-underground-city
Play		a 4 yr college downtown	2	HaydensGam	https://neighborland.com/ideas/mesa-az-a-4-yr-college-downtown