

OFNA RECOMMENDATIONS LIST

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SERVICE	NAME	CONTACT	RECOMMENDED BY	COMMENTS
Accounting & Taxes (6.20.16)	Don Weymer, CPA	520-303-2150 or email donweymer@thedesertcpa.com	Dan & Katie Wong	We are highly recommending Don Weymer, CPA , for accounting work and tax returns. Mr. Weymer is also the comptroller for Eegees, Tucson's local drink/sandwich hot spot. He helped us straighten out an honest but stressful tax mistake. He is personable, friendly, helpful, accurate, knowledgeable and charges fair and reasonable fees.
Air Conditioning & Heating (6.20.16)	Comfort Zone Joe Klinger, owner	520-760-1000	Jay DeAngeli 690-1107 Denise Coburn	Joe has repaired and serviced a number of systems in our 'hood, including mine. He is very knowledgeable, reasonable and honest. We've used him for several years. He's cheaper than others and just as good.
Air Conditioning & Heating (1.27.16)	J&S Refrigeration Joel Ivester, owner	(520) 519-0653	Christopher Jarrett	Joel is a great guy, does excellent work, is honest as the day is long, and has competitive pricing for air conditioning and heater installations and repair.
Air Conditioning & Heating	Rite Way	5712 E. Speedway Blvd. www.riteWayAC.com 520-745-0660	Crystal Fischer	They did my AC and plumbing.
Auto Detailing (6.20.16)	Scotty's Detail Shop	1121 S Fremont Ave, Tucson, AZ 85719 (520) 620-1602	Clark Arnold	I have had excellent luck in the past with Scotty's detail shop. At one time they did all the detailing for the Volvo agency used car inventory.
Awning Repair (6.21.16)	Tucson Awning & Screen	1065 Miracle Mile 520-623-3984	Allen Williams	It was not easy to find a company to do my simple canvas awning repairs at a realistic price, but I finally found these guys. The job was done quickly and well and at a very, very reasonable price compared to other bigger companies who of course would rather have sold me new awnings. My only complaint was that they never called me back as promised with a better estimate when the shop foreman had looked the job over. However, the job was done bang on the estimate that the counter person gave me, so all was OK.

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Bee Removal (6.20.16)	American Bee Control Greg Denker Live removal & relocation of honey bees from almost any location.	800-211-6683 520-780-1831 www.americanbeecontrol.net	Rebecca Bushner Brooke Sauer	We called American Bee Control and Greg Denker came out yesterday afternoon with his young son. They were very friendly and personable and were extremely knowledgeable about bee behavior. Not only did they capture all the bees safely and without killing any or using pesticides, they did a great job fixing the eaves, preventing future incidents. Bees are placed into new bee boxes and will be relocated to a ranch in Vail. We highly recommend this company and would not hesitate to call again. This is the 3rd company we have contacted in 9 years and they are the best! Greg assured me that they capture the bees alive and take them to their ranch. WagonwheelranchArizona.com He was very nice (3rd generation Tucson family) and accommodating. He prioritized our bee removal and came out within 2 days of my call. I'm still waiting for pictures, but my mom said they did a good job of cleaning up after themselves. He told me the fee would range from \$275-\$525, and we fell about in the middle. They took 150lbs of bees, honey & comb.
Bee Removal (6.26.16)	Wilson Apiaries Jesse Wilson	520-256-2784	Katie Wong	He is knowledgeable, friendly and helpful. We had a hive forming on our mesquite tree and he advised us that they might just be temporary and traveling on their way to new locale. He was right; the bees left the next day. Mr. Wilson also sells local raw honey for a reasonable price.
Computer Consulting & Repair (6.20.16)	Ralph Jewett	293-4259	Barbara Bolton Jay DeAngeli Chip Boatright Danny Wong	Bolton: Ralph has repaired our old PC and then assisted us in buying a new one that was appropriate for our needs. Ralph has 30 years of computer experience at IBM and also Arizona School for Deaf and Blind. He is now retired and is willing to assist those of us that are in need of his expertise. (And Ralph is a neighbor.)
Dentist (6.20.16)	Dr. J. Ray Rokey	537 W. Wetmore (set back from Wetmore) 520-292-0232	Don DeYoung	We have been patients of his for years. So, we can recommend Dr. Rokey and his staff.
Dentist (6.20.16)	Dan Hornsby, D.D.S., Hornsby Dental Excellence	(520) 742-4128 7402 N La Cholla Blvd, Tucson, AZ 85741	Gail Rabb	He is a very caring, gentle and conscientious individual whose dentistry is always excellent.
Drain Clean Out	AAA Royal Flush Drain Service	Calvin Kelly 520-260-0906 aaaroyalflush@gmail.com RoyalFlushDrainService.com	Jay DeAngeli	Calvin Kelly is a pro at what he does. He unplugged a washer drain in my home at a very fair cost of \$75. He can do most plumbing jobs, i.e.: under sink water shutoffs, leaks, disposals, toilet repairs, faucet repair & replacement, etc. He arrives with most all necessary parts.

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Drain Clean Out (6.20.16)	Royal Flush Drain Service Owner, Calvin Kelly	260-0906	Delann DeBenedetti	We had a blocked shower drain, called our usual plumber who is way behind fixing broken pipes. He recommended Calvin Kelly, owner of Royal Flush Drain Service. I called last night, and he was at our home at 8:30 this morning. He had that drain unblocked and, our kitchen sink as well, in about a half hour. He was an extremely respectful and nice young man and his cost was reasonable. It was a pleasure having him come! We highly recommend him for drain problems.
Electrician (6.20.16)	Rick Salazar	400-9762	Susan Berger	Rick is very reliable and very knowledgeable. We had to rewire most of the house. He does beautiful work and is very attentive to details. Again, he is a totally pleasant person to work with. 1/11 - Rick continues to do jobs for us as the need arises. Everyone we've referred him to loves him. He's fast, knowledgeable and dependable.
Electrician (6.20.16)	Jim Floyd	440-9602	Leo Roop Allen Williams	He is quick to respond. Does a great job and is quite reasonable. I used Jim Floyd and he was fantastic!
Food Cart & Catering (4.27.18)	BBQ Shorty Boys Ronald Robinson	Oracle & Rudasill	Tom Scarborough	I was disappointed when the Angela's Mexican Food truck left the spot at Oracle and Rudasill in front of the yoga studio. But I noticed that a small food cart has moved in, serving barbecue. Being a sucker for BBQ, I had to give it a try. It is terrific! "BBQ Shorty Boys" I've tried the St Louis style ribs and his hot links (he makes his own sausage). Today when I was there he said he had some fried chicken and gave me a drumstick as a sample. It was delicious as well. The owner's name is Ronald Robinson, and he's a really nice guy. He also does catering.
General Contractor (6.20.16)	Russell Schweitzer	229-7489	Susan Berger	We did a complete remodel of our house. Russell did a fabulous job. He did the tile work and carpentry himself and hired subcontractors for the other work. We were able to participate all along the way, which meant everything was done as we wanted it and helped reduce costs. 1/11 – Russell did another project for us last year. He refined our design into something more pleasing. The cost was what he estimated, and he finished ahead of schedule. He is such an ethical, pleasant person to work with. We'd never call anyone else.
Glass & Screen (1.16.16)	Coronado Glass & Screen	520-444-1440 Armando http://www.emergencyboardupintucsonaz.com/	Mark Laniak	I called two different companies at 2:30am to board up the patio door. Coronado was the only one to answer. The owner was at the house 40 minutes later. He charged me \$280. He is coming back today to replace the patio door and fix the side light. The first company I contacted called me back at 9MST and said they could get there to do the board up between 4 and 5 this afternoon and it would cost \$535. I can't tell you how much of a relief it was to find someone willing to come out right away when I am 2500 miles away. So a shout out should go to Armando from Coronado Glass , 520-444-1440
Glass & Screen (7.2.16)	Penn Glass Enterprises Freddie Scarduzio	520-909-1063	Denise Coburn	He replaced a very difficult arched window that was inset directly into the Adobe brick and was very reasonable and had a good sense of humor.

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<p>Handyman (6.20.16)</p> <p>(6.14.14)</p> <p>(7.2.16)</p>	<p>Scott Bryan</p>	<p>520-247-6955</p>	<p>Dan Boone</p> <p>Mary Ellen Reynolds</p> <p>Elizabeth Sherwood</p>	<p>Scott has been a great handyman for us over the years. He is good at roofing, roof repairs, carpentry, minor plumbing, painting, etc. Scott is a most personable man and charges for his jobs most fairly.</p> <p>Mary Ellen would like to add that Scott is very reliable, and he was caring enough to go help a neighbor whose vehicle had run off the road, this on a hot day after he had been working all morning for Mary Ellen.</p> <p>Scott Bryan did excellent work for me, on two very difficult and challenging jobs. I worried for months before calling him because I wasn't sure there was a do-able way to accomplish them, despite my years of home improvement experience. When he saw what I wanted, he quickly understood my dilemma and his ideas for resolving them made sense to me. I had thought it would be impossible to stop rain leaks through the light-saving, plastic roof over an outside storage area attached to the house. The roof was too light to bear the weight of an adult getting on the roof to caulk over the original putty around the screws. Scott devised a way that required him to be either a gymnast or a monkey, which allowed him to reach and caulk every screw. I was amazed and very pleased. It hasn't leaked since! He also completely replaced the rotting wood surrounding my new garage door, supplied pre-treated wood, and painted the extra-large area so it matched the door. While some of this sounds potentially clear and easy, in fact both jobs had some aggravating challenges. Scott resolved them in a clever way that removed the worry I'd had about them for many months. I can recommend Scott and his fine work for any kind of home repair or remodeling work. He's a very personable and friendly guy too!</p>

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<p>Handyman (6.20.16) See also Masonry and Landscape</p> <p>(7.2.16)</p>	<p>Dana Canfield</p>	<p>520-979-2392</p>	<p>Mike Duncan</p> <p>Mary Clare Jacobs</p> <p>Elizabeth Sherwood</p>	<p>If any of you have any work to do around your home, may I suggest that you consider using Dana Canfield. Dana has worked full time for me for over 10 yrs and has proven himself to be totally honest, reliable, and capable. He is always a gentleman and I have never heard him utter a profanity. Dana is fully capable of performing almost any type of work that you would need done around your home, from a simple landscape project, to a full remodel of your home, including electrical, plumbing, gas, masonry, septic, interior and exterior walls, tile, wood floors, kitchen remodel, etc. Dana also has a backhoe and dump truck available for excavation work. He charges \$30 per hr and is worth every penny. If you would like to see examples of his work, feel free to stop by and take a look at my house located at 5353 N. Genematas (also a second driveway at 87 W. Yvon.). Dana is responsible for all the retaining walls, my huge garage, and many, many other things. After 10 years I can recommend Dana without reservation.</p> <p>We endorse the recommendation for handy man, (remodeler), Dana Canfield. Dana did repairs on our Foothills Condo. Dana was on time, brought the appropriate equipment, kept us informed and his pricing was more than fair. He is competent, reliable, knowledgeable, experienced and professional. We will use his services again.</p> <p>Mike Duncan, an OFNA neighbor, recommended Dana Canfield as someone who had done superior work for him for many years. I had Dana do multiple house repair jobs for me, and he did every job, large or small, with the same meticulous attention to detail. A small example: after he finished removing all iron window bars on the house, and sanded, painted, and re-installed them, we were talking about his work and as we talked, he noticed a small problem totally unrelated to the job he had done. As we talked, he got a tool out and repaired the problem, saying "That really needed doing." His attitude was like my son's when he visits: if he saw a little problem, he quietly just fixed it! I also had Dana sand, putty, & repair the facial board on the entire back of my house. He can do any home-related work and do it exceptionally well. His prices are reasonable (\$30/hour). He did quite a few other things for me several months ago with careful craftsmanship at all times. I can recommend Dana Canfield's excellent work for any kind of home repair or remodeling work. He's also easy to talk to and quick to grasp what's needed.</p>

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Handyman (6.20.16)	Ted Graydon	520-468-8011	Clark & Ardith Arnold	Ardith and I have just had a very good experience with Handyman Ted Graydon. He installed a vent in our garage which will hopefully reduce the temperature there next summer. Work was skillfully and quickly done, and the finished product was excellent in every way. We heartily recommend Ted.
Hot Tub Repair (6.20.16)	Dana Canfield	520-979-2392	Mike Duncan	
Housekeeper (8.25.18)	Carolina Alvarez	520-304-9526	Linda & Randall Smith	Carolina and her mother Lupita have taken care of our and my nephew and niece-in-law's homes for the past three years combined. They have a few openings for more homes. When her schedule permits, Carolina also offers house sitting services. They are fast-efficient-thorough, and my house has never looked better. They like and are comfortable with pets. Interested parties can call Carolina for a free estimate.
Housekeeper (6.29.16)	Janice Abbey	780-3001	Hal Fritts Margie McConnell	Hal: Does general housekeeping at \$20 per hour. She is really a hard and fast worker and friendly besides. She is completely trustworthy and of course speaks English, so there is no problem explaining what you want. She lives near and has her own car.
Housekeeper (7.2.16)	Mayra Vazquez	vazroj@yahoo.com	Leo Roop	I have found a real treasure for house cleaning and would like to recommend her to the rest of the neighborhood. In the downturn she was laid off from the flooring place where she and her husband worked. They have two young kids and she is a delightful person, totally reliable, excellent communicator, and a great worker. I highly recommend her.
Irrigation (6.22.16)	Horticulture Unlimited	321-4678 3237 N. Richey Blvd.	Clark Arnold	We had some work done on our drip irrigation system. We have now had excellent experience with Horticulture Unlimited on three occasions and can recommend them highly for irrigation work.
Knife Sharpening (12/3/16)	Blade Runner	907 W. Prince Rd. 520-293-8023	Karen Shattuck	For \$4, owner Eric will sharpen or re-edge. Very quick turnaround, and knives were returned sharper than new.
Landscape & Yard Maintenance (6.20.16)	Sunrise Hills Landscape John Carreon	520-561-0024	Carolyn Schavietello	I also wanted to mention an excellent landscaper - he was punctual, does very good work and is not as expensive as some. He worked hard, was pleasant and very reasonable. His card reads, "yard maintenance, irrigation, flagstone." We were very happy with his work.
Landscape & Yard Maintenance (10.12.17)	Luzanilla Landscaping	Isabel 520-499-0592	Veronica Duncan	Veronica Duncan recommends her landscaper who has worked for them for 2 years, and she says he's amazing and a very hard worker! Luzanilla Landscaping - Professional Quality Landscaping and Tree Services. Affordable Landscaping and Maintenance. Services include: Complete Irrigation, Hedge Sculpting, Leaf Cleaning, Pruning, Tree Trimming, Landscape Planning, Citrus Tree Harvesting, Fertilizing, Gardening, Weed Control.

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Landscape – Hardscape (6.20.16)	Made for Shade by Terra Cotta LLC Mike Clark	904-3700 http://www.made4azshade.com/	Don & Karen DeYoung	Mike has done several jobs for us and we plan on having him do more work. We first met him at his booth at a SAHBA Home Show. Mike's crew works quickly and clean-up after themselves, they are capable of many tasks. They have built a ramada for us, laid brick pavers, and even got us started on rainwater harvesting.
Landscape-Hardscape (6.20.16) See also, Handyman & Masonry	Dana Canfield	520-979-2392	Mike Duncan	If any of you have any work to do around your home, may I suggest that you consider using Dana Canfield. Dana has worked full time for me for over 10 yrs and has proven himself to be totally honest, reliable, and capable. He is always a gentleman and I have never heard him utter a profanity. Dana is fully capable of performing almost any type of work that you would need done around your home, from a simple landscape project, to a full remodel of your home, including electrical, plumbing, gas, masonry, septic, interior and exterior walls, tile, wood floors, kitchen remodel, etc. Dana also has a backhoe and dump truck available for excavation work. He charges \$30 per hr and is worth every penny. If you would like to see examples of his work feel free to stop by and take a look at my house located at 5353 N. Genematas (also a second driveway at 87 W. Yvon.). Dana is responsible for all the retaining walls, my huge garage, and many, many other things. After 10 years I can recommend Dana without reservation.

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Masonry (6.25.16)	Old Pueblo Masonry Steve Carlson	520-749-0506 www.oldpueblomasonry.com	Diana Ossana Mark Sauer	<p>THE BEST: I decided to replace my backyard cyclone fence with an adobe brick wall. I called five different masonry companies here in Tucson, met in person with each of their representatives, reviewed photos of their work, and obtained five very different estimates from each one. Of all five companies, Old Pueblo Masonry's Steve Carlson was the ONLY person who showed up with all the information necessary to draft an accurate estimate: he had already researched the permits and zoning requirements and actually had a copy of my property plat with him when he arrived. His estimate was, by far, the most reasonable and detailed of the five I received, and included the cost of gates and cleanup. Steve worked with me on the wall design, the gate choices and came up with one idea that saved me over \$2,000. His employees were always on time, respectful, and thorough. The wall was completed within the exact time frame given to me, and not one penny over the estimate--and it's beautiful. I highly recommend Steve, his crew, and his company for every kind of masonry wall work you might need or want. (Steve is building a wall at my sister's home in Oro Valley, and she and her family are thrilled with the progress and the results.)</p> <p>I found Steve and Old Pueblo Masonry on the recommendations list and compared him to three other contractors. His proposal wasn't the highest or lowest cost, but ultimately his work and our experience working with him and his team made cost a secondary consideration. The results are top quality, his guys were hard working and professional, he made commitments and kept them, and he communicated regularly throughout the process. Old Pueblo Masonry is genuine, trustworthy, and fair. I recommend them without hesitation.</p>

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Organizer (6.26.16)	Constance Meade	520.954.4444 or zotaheya@yahoo.com	Katie Wong	An EXCELLENT ORGANIZER. She has helped us de-clutter and organize. She is honest, helpful, friendly and efficient. Her hints and suggestions are sensible, and they work! Most importantly, she is NOT a tyrannical organizer. She'll help you through a decision but will ultimately let you decide what you want to do with your stuff! 😊 Her current rate is \$20/hr., and she requires a 4-hr. minimum because she has to travel into town. She is multi-talented and also trains dogs although I have never used her expertise in this capacity.
Painter (6.26.16)	Constance Meade	520.954.4444 or zotaheya@yahoo.com	Katie Wong	I have a recommendation for a painter, but I think she paints only interior. She is Constance Meade, whom I recommended as an organizer. She painted our old house at Maria Drive and did an excellent job. She's a one-woman painter but she's efficient and careful. We were happy with her work and price.
Painter (1.25.16)	Alfredo Lugo	520-304-9994	Clark Arnold	Ardith and I can recommend our painting contractor, Mr. Alfredo Lugo. He has done excellent work on a number of occasions for us as well as friends and has always been reliable, reasonably priced and very easy to work with. Alfredo is a Spanish speaker and most business is arranged through his wife or daughter, both of whom speak excellent English. We recommend him very highly.
Painter	Sebastian Painting LLC Dave Sebastian, owner	520-904-3027 dave@sebastianpainting.net	Marilyn Lindell	My husband and I have an excellent painting company to recommend!!! They've done 3 different projects for us and we can't recommend them highly enough. The company is Sebastian Painting LLC owned by Dave Sebastian. They do both commercial and residential. The pricing and quality are EXCELLENT!

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Painter	Steven Henrickson	520-449-3606	Debra Henrickson	My husband, Steven Henrickson, has been doing interior and exterior painting for over 25 years. He has worked with designers for high profile projects such as Street of Dreams. He does clean and meticulous work, is great at helping with color choices, and is professional and friendly. We live here in the neighborhood on Nina Drive.
Pest Control (6.20.16)	Northwest Exterminators	733-4165 Connie	Carolyn Schaviatello	She has been doing our property for about 15 years now and she's great.
Plumber (6.20.16)	Ted Sather	520-869-9886	Jay DeAngeli Bill Broyles	Ted is a licensed plumber who lives in our neighborhood on Yvon Dr. He has just replaced the 250' leaky water service line to my home. He is a very professional craftsman with reasonable pricing. Ted is a hands-on pro with his own backhoe and the latest tooling. I could not offer a stronger recommendation. Thanks for the tip on Ted Sather. We had a pipe freeze in a tight spot, but Ted got it fixed in less than an hour. A real pro. I had seen his truck many times on my walks, but never knew who. Fun to watch someone so capable, and who loves plumbing!
Plumber (7.2.16)	Expert Plumbing	520 326-5151	Liz Sherwood	I can recommend them highly. Donnie came out day after I called and spent several hours resolving my unexpected & sudden problems, with skill and resourcefulness and for a very reasonable price. Last winter when I headed for the bathroom in the dark of night, I realized my feet were getting wet. OH NO! I spent the rest of that night mopping up 2 to 3 inches of water from toilet, covering entire bathroom floor, and half my nearby bedroom's floor. After using most of my towels and buckets and almost 2 hours, I went into kitchen and found the toilet in bathroom at other end of house had also flooded. Repeated mop up! A year earlier someone recommended another plumbing group in our neighborhood that handles septic tank problems like mine, but their price was 5 times higher than EXPERT charged. (FYI: Donnie did say that the other group charges higher prices because they have the necessary heavy equipment for jobs that require lots of digging and/or rebuilding of septic tanks. He said he calls them in when jobs require equipment he doesn't have, and they're a good business that does very good work.) Donnie is an ex-Marine and his father owns the business. He's very personable, competent, and easy to talk to!
Plumber (7.2.16)	Curtis Plumbing	(520) 323-7697 http://www.curtisplumbing.net/	Denise Coburn	We have used Curtis Plumbing on several occasions and have always been pleased. You can sometimes get coupons on their website.

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Pool Installation (7.4.16)	Pools by Design	520-355-4891 http://www.poolsbydesignaz.com/	Rich and Jane Haug	<p>Pools by Design installed our salt water pool earlier this year. We couldn't be happier. We broke ground in the middle of January and everything was completed by the first week of March. All the workers were very polite, arrived when they were scheduled, sometimes a bit earlier, and worked very hard and efficiently until each part of the process was complete.</p> <p>I would choose Pools by Design again if I ever needed another pool installed. They explained everything thoroughly and stuck to a logical plan from beginning to end. They worked very well with the block wall installation company also.</p> <p>Pools by Design is a Tucson family owned business. It is very important to us that our money stays in Tucson when we have work done on our home. Earlier this year we were very disappointed when we used a company from the recommendations list and after receiving the bill discovered the payment went to a company in Connecticut.</p>
Roofer (4.11.15)	Lee Hoffman Roofing	745-5602	Jacki Elder	<p>We just undertook a HUGE project of re-roofing our original Terra Cotta roof on our house and we couldn't be happier with Lee Hoffman Roofing. I interviewed roofing companies for 2 months. These guys have been in business 36 years and Scott the estimator was great. They brought us over tile, birdstops, wood and facing to see and make choices. They took off the old tile, put down all new plywood, put down the felt paper and then put on all new tile, vents, replaced dry rot, did new metal valleys and facing. They were true craftsmen-no nail guns! The guys were professional roofers, not day laborers. It took them 3 weeks-about a week longer than they thought-we had some rain days. They kept the price quoted and did a great job on clean up every day. They give a 5% off coupon on Angies List for new jobs and I think these guys are worth every penny.</p>
Rug Cleaning (6.20.16)	Airloom Oriental Rug Washing Co. Paul Moskal, owner	520-571-1703 140 S. Camino Seco, #425 www.airloomrugs.com	Carole DeAngeli	<p>We had 4 rugs washed by Airloom - 2 Oriental and 2 flokati. We were very happy with their technique and results. The prices were fair, and the turnaround time was excellent. He will pick up and deliver for free.</p>
Seamstress (6.20.16)	Jeannine Jewett	293-4259	Carole DeAngeli	<p>I would like to recommend Jeannine Jewett for any of your sewing or alteration needs. Jeannine specializes in weddings but is adept at any type of sewing project. Jeannine lives in the neighborhood on Maria Drive, so she is very convenient. Her work is high quality, speedy and reasonably priced.</p>
Security Bars (6.25.16)	Appleby's Ornamental Iron Ed Appleby	www.applebysornamentaliron.com (520)749-5200	Diana Ossana	<p>He's German, very meticulous, and I've used him on my mother's home and my little sister's home as well. I'm sure there are other excellent security people in town—just make sure your bars are solid metal and not hollow bars.</p>

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Security Doors (6.20.16)	Ron Hill	235-4992	Cliff & Delann DeBenedetti	He makes custom iron doors. He made 2 for us last spring and then repainted the others to match. He has also made doors for one of our sons and also for a friend. All of us are very satisfied with the work and feel that his price is very reasonable.
Security Systems (6.20.16)	Advanced ProTECHtion Systems Eric, Owner	296-9200	Jay DeAngeli 690-1107	APS has provided our alarm service and monitoring for over 13 years. Over this time, they have upgraded our system twice to keep pace with the latest technology – most recently with the addition of microwave motion sensors which are not heat-sensitive. They are very responsive; their work is professional and their prices are quite fair. APS is a long-time local company that has installed several systems in our neighborhood. Feel free to call me for more information.
Security Systems (7.2.16)	ADT	(520) 293-4488	Liz Sherwood	We have had ADT for a number of years and are very happy with their service. They call promptly to ask for our password when we accidentally trigger the alarm. We also had an outside alarm installed that goes off if our inside alarm isn't deactivated quickly when it's triggered.
Solar Systems (5.24.18)	Solar Solution AZ	Robert Watson 520-471-1866	Rich and Jane Haug	We interviewed several solar power companies before choosing Solar Solution AZ and had our solar panels installed at the end of 2014. We chose Solar Solution AZ because they were local, very knowledgeable and competitively priced. Recently we had an issue with one of our panels and Solar Solution AZ came out the same day we called and worked until the issue was identified and resolved. Their customer service skills are the best. Our house is 100% electric and our bills are the minimum amount to stay connected to TEP, \$14.00 a month. We actually make more power than we are using. Also note, we got about a 30% federal rebate on our system and this federal program is set to expire in 2016.

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Solar Systems (5.24.18)	Titan Solar	520-229-7335	Devin Orr	We went through Titan Solar. We started the process in November. Toughest part for us was just wading through the permit approval since we live down in the wash. Installation went fairly smoothly; however, it is completed in three steps. Step 1 was development of the system for your needs; step 2 was permits & installation; & step 3 is coordination between Titan Solar, TEP, & the city for final inspection & turning the system on. We are on the last step which begins Monday, which is basically final inspection from TEP & turning the system on. We also had the main electrical panel upgraded & replaced. That was another delay in turning it on. The system is covered under warranty for 30 years. Dan, our contact, was excellent, answered all questions, very professional, & explained everything in detail. He kept us in the loop frequently throughout the whole process.
Surveyor	Bob Jedinak Jedinak, Inc.	520-906-2206	Cliff & Delann DeBenedetti	We recommend Bob Jedinak, as a surveyor. He recently conducted a survey of our property and provided us with a written description of our property lines. It was necessary for him to use GPS ability to correctly define the lines due to lots of overgrown vegetation in two areas of our property. We had a couple other estimates and Bob's estimate was not only the least costly, but he was also available to do the survey in a timely manner. He is an experienced surveyor and a personable guy.
Tree Removal & Trimming	Jeff Weger	weger@netzero.com 293.6259	Mary Stiner	I just wanted to send along a thumbs-up for the tree trimming work that Jeff Weger has been doing for us. He has worked for us in the past and so I was delighted to learn that he was back in town and wanting more tree work. I understand that he and his wife will be moving to another part of Tucson this month, but he wants to continue working in our neighborhood as needed. He does a very nice job with the trees for a reasonable price. He works according to his own schedule, which may mean that the job is not finished within a day or two, but he is very neat and makes good on his commitment to trim, pile and remove the trimmings, which he takes to a recycling place that transforms the trimmings to mulch and compost.

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Tree Service (9.12.16)	Tree Removal Tucson	520-401-3184 http://www.treeremovalservicetucson.com/	Carole & Jay DeAngeli	We had Tree Removal Service Tucson remove our very large eucalyptus tree. Their bid was approximately 1/3 the price of the other bid we got. They are licensed, bonded, & insured. They don't bring a chipper but haul all the wood and debris to their lot where they chip the small branches and leaves. We did not have them grind the stump as it was not in a location that was in our way, but they would have done that. Instead they cut the stump very close to the ground. Additionally, they trimmed two large limbs and a few smaller ones from another eucalyptus tree. They started a little after 5:30am and were completely gone by 2pm. We were very happy with their price and service.
Tree Service (7.2.16)	AZ Tree Service	790-1505	George Grimm	They trimmed two palms for us last week. The trees were in a difficult position to reach, but from beginning to end dealing with the company was a pleasure. The office staff and estimator/scheduler were knowledgeable and helpful - easy to work with. The actual trimming was done as scheduled, and the clean-up crew actually cleaned up the debris. Wow! All at a very fair price. How about that?"
Tree Services (12.5.16) (7.6.16)	Bartlett Tree Experts	http://www.bartlett.com/index.cfm	Virginia Johns Kim Braun	I have used Bartlett Tree and arborist Greg for at least 5 years. They do an annual check-up on all our trees: trimming, shaping, but more importantly spotting insect pests and other diseases. Greg knows more about the health of my trees than I do and spots potential problems in advance. They just removed our gigantic eucalyptus and did a tremendous job. The price included grinding the stump to below grade, cutting some of the tree into fireplace-sized pieces and stacking it for me, and taking out a small hackberry. It was a huge production with a crane, mulcher, grinder and a crew of 5 guys.
Tire & Auto Care	Jack Furrier's Tire & Auto Care	297-0013	Franny Furrier	Right here in the neighborhood!
Upholstery (6.20.16)	Victor's	2729 North Stone Ave. (520) 623-7900 http://www.victorsupholstering.com/	Susan Berger Jacki Elder	Susan: Victors has reupholstered a chair and made several cushions for us. They are fast, do beautiful work, and offer an amazing choice of fabrics.
Vacation Watering	Please contact Carole DeAngeli for a list, or check the OFNA Classified Ads page	caroledeangeli@gmail.com 690-1107 http://www.ofna.org/classifiedads.html		

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Window Washer (6.20.16)	Mark Tucker	207-5671	Carolyn Schavietello Dan Boone	He's very honest, punctual, pleasant, very reasonably priced and he does a great job. We had the best window wash we've ever had and at a very good price.
Yard Maintenance (6.20.16)	J.E.H. Yard Service Jeff Hapner, Owner	747-3482, cell 730-5780	Randall Smith	Smith: For clean-up, hauling, rock work, tree trimming, irrigation systems and general yard work I can recommend J.E.H. Yard Service.
Yard Maintenance (7.2.16)	GreenFire Dennis Pepe	429-7306	Denise Coburn	Wanted to recommend Dennis Pepe for landscape, yardwork and also for house watching while people are away. Dennis did some trimming and fertilizing of shrubs for us. Used to live on Nina Drive and is honest and reasonable. He also does water audits and irrigation work .
Yard Maintenance (7/2/16)	Marc Sewell	954-9322	Liz Sherwood	He and a crew of two others did a great job on some things I needed done in my yard. Because I have so many outside things to get done, I'll use him again next month too. I liked that I took him around and showed him about a dozen things I wanted done in his 4 hours and he passed that info on to his helpers. They did every single thing just the way I wanted it done and even added on some other clean ups when they got finished a bit early. His card says he does yard work; trash pickup; lot clearing rock terracing; landscaping; trees trimmed and removed; and light hauling. I got his name from Angelo, who also uses his services.