



# DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AIR POLLUTION WATCH



## ***Possible Elevated Ozone, Blowing Dust, Wildfire Haze***

The following Air Pollution Watch is based on information and forecasts from the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) and Pinal County:

Due in part to the excessive heat and sunshine this week, the ADEQ and Pinal County have both forecast elevated ozone levels Tuesday – Friday; however, weather patterns and the effects of the Telegraph Fire, located just south of Globe, may help prevent some ozone formation.

According to ADEQ, smoke from the Telegraph Fire is expected to rise above ground level and disperse toward the west throughout the day. Smoke will continue to move over the Phoenix area giving a hazy appearance to the atmosphere, but overall impacts at ground level are expected to be light.

Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons there is a possibility that dry thunderstorms in the higher elevations could create windy conditions and short periods of blowing dust or smoke in the eastern portion of the Community.

For current weather and air quality conditions on the Community, please visit our website at [www.gricdeq.org/air-monitoring](http://www.gricdeq.org/air-monitoring) or scan the QR code.

For smoke forecast updates from ADEQ, please [click here](#)

