

# SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD

Law Enforcement

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Sex Offender Registration and Tracking



# TOTAL S.O.'S ON REGISTRY

- March 2026 –
  - Arizona Total – **16,769**
    - Level 3 – 3,743
    - Level 2 – 5,505
    - Level 1 – 5,604
    - \*L&M – 1,691
    - No Risk assigned - 226
- December 2025 –
  - On supervision – **6,252**
    - On Probation – 4,872
    - On parole - 1,364
  - **37%**

# TOTAL S.O.'S BY COUNTY

- Maricopa County – 9333
- Pima – 2455
- Pinal – 970
- Mohave – 888
- Yavapai - 630
- Coconino – 386
- Yuma – 337
- Cochise – 334
- Navajo - 271
- Apache – 251
- Gila – 160
- Graham – 155
- La Paz – 90
- Santa Cruz – 54
- Greenlee - 45
- Total 16,359

# OUT OF STATE VS IN STATE CONVICTIONS

- Arizona - 16,359
  - In state convictions – 11,016
  - Out of state – 5,343
  
- Pinal County - 970
  - In state convictions – 580
  - Out of state convictions - 390

# ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES

13-3821 –  
Persons required  
to register



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## WHO MUST REGISTER? ARS 13-3821

- A person must register if:
  - Convicted of a designated sex offense in Arizona or
  - Convicted in another jurisdiction that would qualify in Arizona or
  - Required to register in convicting jurisdiction
  - Judge determined Sexual motivation ARS 13-118
    - Lives, works or attends school in Arizona
- Qualifying offenses
  - Of note – 13-3822 or 13-3824

# REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

- Initial registration
  - County Sheriff is responsible for registrations
  - Agency of jurisdiction assumes responsibilities
  - DPS maintains database (NCIC) and responsible for Website

# REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

- Registration information
  - Maintained by Department of Public Safety
  - Each county retains their original records
- System called Offenderwatch
  - Based in Louisiana used by 36 states
  - Comes with add on's
    - Express system used by Pinal County \$\$\$

## REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS **ARS 13-3821**

- Within 10 days of conviction
- Within seventy-two hours, excluding weekends and legal holidays, after entering and remaining for at least seventy-two hours in any county of this state
- Lifetime Registration
- Juvenile registration terminates at 25 years of age
  - As long as there are no further sex offenses committed\*\*

# JUVENILE REQUIREMENTS **ARS 13-3821**

- D. The court may require a person who has been **adjudicated delinquent** .....to register pursuant to this section. Any duty to register under this subsection **terminates** when the person reaches **twenty-five years** of age.
- G. The court **may** order the termination of any duty to register under this section on **successful completion of probation** if the person was **under eighteen years of age** when the offense for which the person was **convicted or adjudicated guilty** except insane **was committed**.

# REQUIRED INFORMATION **ARS 13-3821**

- I. Annually confirm registration requirements as required by DPS director:
  - All names
  - Online identifiers
  - Websites or internet comm. Service
  - Owns, possess, reg. operates a Motor veh
  - Legal custody of child\*, what school
  - Location of residence

## REQUIRED INFORMATION **ARS 13-3821**

- J. Annually confirm all required information in person during the month of the person's birth.
- Obtain and possess a valid ID or Driver's License
- Class 6 Felony

# DEFINITIONS ARS 13-3821

- Definitions
  - Legal custody: “means the right to have physical possession of a child”
  - Residence: (b) If the person is transient and does not spend at least three nights in any location or place within a thirty-day period, the geographic areas of the county where the person spends the nights

# DEFINITIONS

- 13-3821
- "Required online identifier" means any electronic email address information or instant message, chat, social networking or other similar internet communication name but does not include a social security number, date of birth or pin number.
- 13-3827
- "Required online identifier" (a) Means:
  - (i) Any email address information, instant message or chat information.
  - (ii) A social networking platform account name or identifier.
  - (iii) Any identifier used for communicating on a mobile application or internet website.
  - (iv) A mobile telephone number.
  - (v) Any mobile device identification information.
  - (vi) Any other similar internet communication name.
- (b) Does not include a social security number, date of birth, personal password or pin number.

# ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES

13-3822 – Notice of Moving, electronic information,  
vehicle information



## REQUIRED INFORMATION **ARS 13-3822**

- A. Report a change of address in person and in writing within 72 hours. Notification is moving to or from a residence.
  - Must report in person

## SHERIFF RESPONSIBILITY **ARS 13-3822**

- Notification must be made to the jurisdiction in which the person is moving
  - Use of the SORNA website
- If the person does not register, charging lies with (any agency within) the county of last registration.



## ARS 13-3822

- Transient must register not less than every 90 days
- If more than one residence must register not less than every 90 days – Winter visitors

## REQUIRED INFORMATION **ARS 13-3822**

- C. Must report online identifiers within 72 hours and before their use.
- D. 72 hours to register a change in vehicle status
- E. 72 hours to report a change in the status of children
- C4F

## RESIDENCY RESTRICTIONS - ARS 13-3727

- A. It is unlawful for a person who has been convicted of a dangerous crime against children as defined in section 13-705, or who has been convicted of an offense committed in another jurisdiction that if committed in this state would be a dangerous crime against children as defined in section 13-705, and who is required to register pursuant to section 13-3821 to:
  - 1. If the person is classified as a level three offender pursuant to section 13-3825, reside within one thousand feet of the real property comprising any of the following: (Schools)
    - There are exceptions

# ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES

13-3826 Petition to terminate



# PETITION TO TERMINATE REGISTRATION

- A defendant who has successfully **completed a term of probation** may petition the court to terminate registration if all of the following are met:
  - At least 35, under 22 at the time of the offense
  - The victim was at least 15,
  - If the conviction was Sexual conduct with a minor, Consensual
  - Did not violate S.O. terms of probation
  - No felonies in the previous 10 years
  - No probable cause for sexually violent person status
  - Did not involve more than one victim

# CONTINUED

- **Not sentenced to prison** for the offense requiring registration.
- Not convicted of:
  - 13-1406 – Sexual Assault
  - 13-1410 – Molestation of a child
  - 13-1417 – Continuous Sexual abuse of a child
  - 13-1423 – Violent sexual abuse
  - 13-3206 – Taking a child for the purpose of prostitution
  - 13-3212 – Child sex trafficking
  - 13-3553 – Sexual exploitation of a minor



## PETITION TO TERMINATE

- C. The court shall deny the petition if the court finds that any factor listed in subsection A of this section is not met.

# ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES

13-3827 Internet sex offender website



# SEX OFFENDER WEBSITE

- The internet website shall include the following offenders:
  - Offender whose risk is level 2 or 3
  - Offender who at the time of conviction was 18 and convicted of one of the following offenses whether completed or preparatory.
    - 13-1406 – Sexual Assault
    - 13-1404 – Sexual abuse
    - 13-1410 – Molestation of a child
    - 13-1405 – Sexual conduct with a minor
    - 13-3212\* - Child sex trafficking
    - 13-3206 – Taking a child for purpose of prostitution
    - 13-3554 – Luring a minor for sexual exploitation
    - 13-3560 – Agg. Luring
    - 13-1417 – Continuous sexual abuse of a child
    - For all - If either victim was **under 12** or **ARS 13-705 & 21+ at the time of commission**



QUESTIONS?