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## **FORMER LOCAL NEWS PILOT JERRY FOSTER SIGNS “EARTHBOUND MISFIT” AT THE LIBRARY**

**Glendale, Ariz.** — Former TV news personality and helicopter pilot Jerry Foster will discuss and sign his new book, “Earthbound Misfit,” during the Authors @ the Teague event at 2 p.m., Saturday, March 8 at Velma Teague Branch Library, 7010 N. 58<sup>th</sup> Ave.

The most decorated civilian helicopter pilot in history, Foster spent more than 20 years covering the news for three different Phoenix stations. After starting out reporting traffic conditions, he progressed to breaking stories in the Valley, including many daring rescue and recovery missions. Foster even inadvertently became part of the news a few times during his career. For more information, see his website at [www.sky12.tv](http://www.sky12.tv).

Prior to becoming a news helicopter pilot, Foster trained pilots bound for Vietnam. He is the recipient of the Harmon Trophy, the highest civilian honor in aviation. After retiring, he has continued to fly various aircraft. His book is co-authored by Dee Dees, a personal historian, writer and ghostwriter residing in Gilbert.

The program is free and books will be available for purchase and signing. For more information, call 623-930-3431.

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