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**GLENDALE CIVIC CENTER VOTED #1 BY
RANKING ARIZONA: THE BEST OF ARIZONA BUSINESS!**

GLENDALE, Ariz. – The Glendale Civic Center has been named the number one facility for meeting and convention buildings of its size by *Ranking Arizona: The Best of Arizona Business*. The business opinion poll, conducted by Ranking Arizona, includes more than 160 business, tourism and leisure categories throughout Arizona.

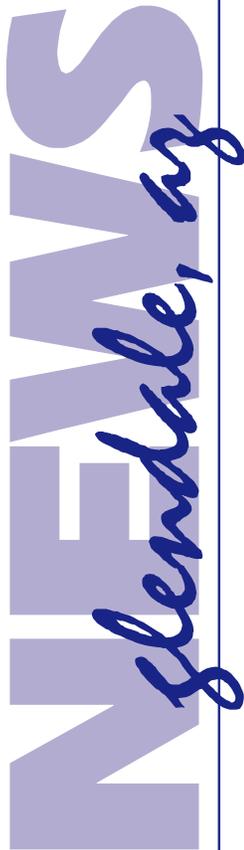
“We are very grateful for this tremendous recognition to be voted as a top facility in the hospitality industry,” said Marty Brown, Glendale Civic Center general manager. “We rely on customer satisfaction for our success and we believe one of the reasons we received this ranking as the best in the state is because of the high level of customer service provided by the Civic Center staff.”

The Glendale Civic Center offers 40,000 square feet of indoor and outdoor meeting space for corporate events, trade shows, weddings and private parties. Arizona Catering, a local business for more than 25 years, is the venue’s official caterer. The facility averages 62,000 guests a year from around the state.

For the past five years, the Glendale Civic Center has ranked in the top five for meeting and convention facilities in the state. For this year’s number one award, business leaders and voters participated in the online opinion poll provided by the official *Ranking Arizona* website.

For more information, call (623) 930-4300. For rates, menus, room layouts, photos and an online video tour, visit www.glendaleciviccenter.com.

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