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## Welcome to Apache Junction, Arizona

County: Maricopa  
Population: 39,954  
Founded: 1950  
Square Miles: 35  
Distance from  
Sky Harbor Airport: 29 Miles  
Approx Drive Time: 31 Minutes  
City Sales Tax: 2.4%  
State Sales Tax: 5.6%  
Average Sales Price: \$198,700



Apache Junction, Superstition Mountains

Apache Junction is located on the eastern rim of the Phoenix metropolitan area, near the foot of the scenic Superstition Mountains, at the junction of U.S. Highways 60 and 89 and state Highway 88. The community is easily accessible by U.S. 60, the Superstition Freeway. Its climate and proximity to outstanding recreational and historical areas draws over 40,000 winter visitors and retirees annually. More than 800 retail and service businesses currently operate within the city. A variety of life styles are offered in Apache Junction, including western rural acreage, urban single-family residential neighborhoods, adult- only retirement clusters and mixed age-group living areas.

Apache Junction's main scenic attractions are the Superstition Mountains, which are reputed to be the site of the Lost Dutchman Mine. Many people are still challenged by the thought of discovering the Lost Mine and search the mountains for its location. The name of the mountains, of which Superstition Peak at 5,057 feet is the highest, can be attributed to the legends and stories of the nearby Pima Indians. The Apache Trail, which winds north from Apache Junction, is an exceptionally scenic mountain drive to recreation areas such as Canyon, Apache and Roosevelt lakes, all located in the Salt River Canyon. U.S. 60, to the east, leads to the active mining towns of Globe, Miami and Superior.

## Apache Junction, AZ History

The city of Apache Junction, located near the Superstition Mountains at the junction of historic Apache Trail and the U.S. 60, was incorporated on November 24, 1978. The city is rich in history, reflecting our state's Western heritage.

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