



Historic preservation is vital to maintaining Glendale's heritage and serves as a strong economic development tool for the city. Revitalization and maintenance of our established neighborhoods and our city's center are important aspects of our long range planning. New progress and development is less valuable if we do not restore and preserve our longstanding areas.

Catlin Court Historic District was first added to the National Register of Historic Places in 1992. On October 20, 2007, the Catlin Court Historic District was approved to expand from seven to twenty-two blocks, adding 134 contributing properties to the National Register. The city of Glendale now has 290 contributing properties listed on the Register. The National Register of Historic Places was created in 1966 as a way of recognizing and protecting significant areas that are worthy of preservation.

The new boundaries of the Catlin Court Historic District are Orangewood Avenue, 55th Avenue, Palmaire Avenue and 59th Avenue. One block bounded by 55th Drive, Glenn Drive, 56th Avenue and Palmaire Avenue and the two lots at the southeast corner of 55th Drive and Palmaire Avenue have also been added to the expanded historic district.

For more information about historic preservation and Catlin Court call Ron Short, FAICP, Historic Preservation Officer at (623) 930-2592 or e-mail Ron at rshort@glendaleaz.com.

Thank you taking the time to read my "Glendale Bulletins". Please contact me at (623) 930-2260 or mayorscruggs@glendaleaz.com, if you have any comments or questions. I strive to provide the most timely information and best possible service to you, the citizens of Glendale. I sincerely appreciate your feedback.
