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Pima County opens portal for arguments on RTA propositions

PIMA COUNTY, Nov. 14, 2025 — Pima County residents have an opportunity to share their arguments for or against the proposed Regional Transportation Authority's (RTA) 20-

Year Regional Transportation Plan, known as [RTA Next](#), through an [online portal](#) launched today by the [Pima County Elections Department](#).

The portal is designed to make it easier for residents to submit written arguments that will appear in the official publicity pamphlet for the March 10, 2026, all-mail election.

The full text of Proposition 418 (the RTA plan) and Proposition 419 (the RTA sales tax) is available on the [Ballot Measure Argument webpage](#).

Submitting an argument

All arguments that meet the statutory requirements and are filed by 5 p.m. on Dec. 10, 2025, will be published in the RTA publicity pamphlet mailed to every voter household before ballots are mailed to voters. The pamphlet will include full details of the \$2.67 billion regional transportation plan.

Those interested in submitting an argument should note the following requirements:

- Arguments are limited to 300 words.
- Arguments will be **published in the publicity pamphlet EXACTLY as submitted**. The Elections Department will not make any edits or corrections.
- A **\$25 fee** will be assessed for all argument submissions.
- If the argument is sponsored by one or more individuals, the argument must be signed by each sponsoring individual. Up to 25 people can sign each argument.
- If the argument is sponsored by one or more organizations, the argument must be signed by two executive officers of each organization.
- If the argument is sponsored by one or more political committees, the argument must be signed by each committee's chairperson or treasurer.
- The names of signers and sponsoring organizations will appear with the argument in the pamphlet.

The preferred method of submission is through the online portal, but arguments may also be filed in person at the Elections Department, 6550 S. Country Club Road, Tucson, AZ 85756.

In-person submissions may be paid for with cash or check. **All submissions — whether online or in person — must include payment at the time of filing.**

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For questions regarding submitting an argument, please contact the Elections Department at 520-724-6830 or by email at elections@pima.gov.

For questions regarding the ballot measure, please contact the Regional Transportation Authority at 520-792-1093 or by email at info@RTAmobility.com.