

Statement from Governor Stephen Roe Lewis

In response to the recent increase in violent crime in the Gila River Indian Community, I, Governor Stephen R. Lewis, am declaring a public safety emergency and issuing a temporary enhanced curfew for all persons under 18 years of age, starting tonight (February 25, 2025) at 7:00 p.m. The enhanced curfew will be from 7:00 p.m. until 5:00 a.m. each night until Sunday, March 9, 2025. The enhanced curfew does not apply to minors accompanied by their parent or guardian, or when minors are attending work, school and other certain activities. I will always take action whenever necessary to protect the Community's youth, and I encourage all Community members to report any suspicious or criminal activity to the Gila River Police Department.



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