

City of Phoenix Public Defender's Office

**Population:**

1,673,164 (No. 5)

Govt Employees:

14,000

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Phoenix Public Defender's
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**Site:**

<https://www.phoenix.gov/administration/departments/publicdefender.html>

Mission:

The Office of the Public Defender for the City of Phoenix is dedicated to protecting and defending the constitutional rights of our indigent clients.

We are located on the fourth floor of the Valdemar A. Cordova Municipal Court Building. We have 72 contracted attorneys fulfilling 105 contracts as well as 16 full-time public employees who are passionate about defending their clients.

About Us

Our mission: to provide the highest level of professional representation for all clients assigned to the Office of the Public Defender in an uncompromised and unapologetic manner.

Contacts and Stakeholders Information:

David E. Ward - Public Defender

Ted J. Crews - Assistant Public Defender

Actsoft Workforce Manager for Gov:

- DHS signed the Authority to Operate (ATO) on Sept 12, 2024
- FPS completed their internal ATO in June 2025
- WFM for Gov passed three (3) Third Party Assessor Organizations (3PAO) Audits, the Initial Audit and two Annual Audits
- WFM for Gov is GovRAMP Authorized