Public Radio Raffle Rules

**GENERAL:** By participating in the Public Radio Raffle (Raffle), entrants agree to be bound by these Official Rules and by the decisions of the Friends of Public Radio Arizona, which shall be binding and final as to all matters related to the Raffle. The Raffle is subject to all applicable federal, state and local laws and is void where prohibited.

**NET PROCEEDS:** All net proceeds of the Raffle will benefit KJZZ & KBACH public radio.

**ELIGIBILITY:** The Raffle is open to anyone age twenty-one (21) and older and subject to these Official Rules. Purchaser must be present in the state of Arizona at the time of entry purchase. It is not necessary to be a resident of the state of Arizona, but one must be physically present in Arizona at the time of entry purchase.

Division of Public Service KJZZ/KBACH employees and Friends of Public Radio Arizona board members and their immediate family members are not eligible to purchase raffle tickets or enter any contest sponsored by the Friends of Public Radio Arizona.

**PURCHASING RAFFLE TICKETS:** All Raffle tickets may be purchased via the internet on the Public Radio Raffle webpage between November 16, 2020 and 11:59 PM on December 21, 2020.

*Ticket Price:* One ticket for $25. All Raffle ticket purchases shall be final, and no refunds or replacements will be issued.

**PRIZES:** One raffle ticket will be drawn for each raffle prize listed on the website.

**TAXES AND IRS RULES:** The IRS has taken the position that amounts paid for, chances to participate in raffles, lotteries, or similar programs are not gifts and, therefore, the price of the entry does not qualify as a deductible charitable contribution.

All winners shall be responsible for any and all federal, state and local income or excise taxes, fees, assessments and like charges associated with the prizes.

Once a prize has been issued, it cannot be returned for the purpose of avoiding tax liability.

**SELECTION OF WINNER:** The purchase of Raffle tickets ends at 11:59 PM on December 21, 2020.

The Division of Public Service KJZZ/KBACH will conduct a random drawing of the winners beginning Tuesday, December 22, 2020. The drawing will be under the supervision of the Division of Public Service KJZZ/KBACH.

**NOTIFICATION OF WINNER:** The winner will be notified via phone or email by a Division of Public Service KJZZ/KBACH employee of the requisite procedure to claim the prize. Winner of a prize is required to claim their prize within thirty (30) calendar days of the drawing. The winning number and first name of prize winner will be available on the website. If a selected winner is unable to be contacted or located using the
information provided with the entry prior to the deadline for claiming the prize, that prize will revert to the Friends of Public Radio Arizona.

For prizes valued over $500, a signed W-9 form is required from all winners in order to redeem a prize. In the event a signed W-9 form is not received by the Friends of Public Radio Arizona within thirty (30) days of a winner accepting a prize, the winner will forfeit the prize. Friends of Public Radio Arizona reserves the right at any time to award the prize to another eligible entrant, drawn at random. When prizes include air travel or hotel stays, winners will be required to make arrangements directly with sponsors.

Prizes are not transferable, assignable or redeemable for cash.

If a contest winner fails to accept the prize for any reason, Friends of Public Radio Arizona will not award a make-good prize or provide replacements for a forfeited prize.

**ODDS:** The odds of winning the Raffle depend on the number of Raffle tickets purchased for each category drawing.

**JUDGES:** The Raffle will be conducted and supervised by the Division of Public Service KJZZ/KBACH; whose decisions are final. The Friends of Public Radio Arizona reserves the right to modify these Official Rules at any time. The Friends of Public Radio Arizona reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel or suspend the Raffle should unauthorized human intervention or other causes corrupt the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper operation of the Raffle.

**RELEASE OF LIABILITY:** By entering, participants agree to release, discharge and hold harmless KJZZ and KBACH public radio which is owned and licensed by the Maricopa Community College District and the Friends of Public Radio Arizona a 501c3 not for profit organization, including all officers, directors, employees, volunteers and sponsors from all liability, loss, damage or injury resulting from participation in the Public Radio Raffle. The Division of Public Service, KJZZ/KBACH staff has sole discretion, to disqualify any person for tampering with the entry process or the operation of the Public Radio Raffle website as well as any person in violation of the rules. Failure to utilize prizes, including trips, does not negate winners from tax obligations for prizes valued at $500 or more.

**PUBLICITY RELEASE:** Each winner, by accepting a prize, grants the Division of Public Service KJZZ/KBACH and its designees and affiliates full permission, except where legally prohibited, to use such winner's name, address (city and state only), photograph, voice and/or other likeness, and prize information for advertising, trade and promotional purposes without further compensation and without notice, review or approval, in all media now known or hereafter discovered, worldwide and in perpetuity. Each winner shall execute all documents that the Division of Public Service KJZZ/KBACH staff may require to be signed in connection with this release.

**GOVERNING LAW.** The Raffle and these Official Rules shall be subject to and governed by the laws of the State of Arizona. If a court of competent jurisdiction finds that any provision of these Official Rules, or their application to a particular persons or circumstances, is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, then the remainder of these Official Rules shall remain enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law. The venue for any cause of action arising out of the Raffle or these Official Rules shall be located in
Maricopa County, Arizona. All federal, state and local laws and regulations apply. The Raffle is void where prohibited.

For questions regarding the Public Radio Raffle, please contact Events Coordinator, Rich Ripley at ripey@rioradio.org or by calling 480-774-8468.