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#### **WEATHER | MONSOON SEASON MAKES A FLEETING APPEARANCE MONDAY**





Taylor Schwartz-Olson (left) and Brandon Messick (right)/Today's News-Herald

Rainfall over Downtown Lake Havasu City brings cooler weather, as temperatures dip Monday morning into the mid-80s. For the past several weeks, the National Weather Service has declared a severe heat advisory for the Havasu area, with daily high temperatures greater than 110 degrees. Havasu residents can look forward to more of the same Tuesday, as the National Weather Service predicts high temperatures of 99 degrees and a 50% chance of thunderstorms. Temperatures are expected to rise to 101 degrees Wednesday and Thursday, as cloud cover is expected to remain over Havasu throughout the week. Above left: Rotary Park was mostly empty, save for a few people walking around enjoying the slightly cooler weather. Above right: A wet Main Street.

# Lawsuit calls for Arizona to contact owners of unclaimed money, property

By HOWARD FISCHER

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PHOENIX — Arizonans could soon get better notice if the state is holding on to their share of nearly \$2.8 billion in unclaimed property that really belongs

In an unanimous decision Monday,

a three-judge panel of the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals gave the go-ahead for two individuals to sue the state agency for failing to provide them with sufficient notice that it was holding on to money or other property that it listed as 'unclaimed'' or "abandoned.'' The ruling now allows them to sue the agency for violating their due process rights.

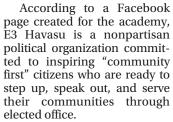
Appellate Judge Danielle Forrest, writing for the court, rejected claims by attorneys for the state that it could not be sued.

"When someone - even the government — possesses property lawfully owned by another without the owner's consent, an invasion of the owner's

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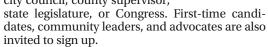
## Havasu elected officials to host 2-day political academy

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The E3 Political Academy, which is being presented by Councilmember Jeni Coke along with Mayor Cal Sheehy and Councilmember Cameron Moses, is a nonpartisan, twoday academy designed for citizens who are ready to serve through elected office.

According to a flyer created for the academy, it is open to anyone interested in making a difference through public office, whether that person wants to run for school board, city council, county supervisor,



Participants will learn about government, building a campaign, fundraising and finance, communications, policy and platform, and leadership development. The academy will take place Sept. 11 and 12 at Nomadic, located at 2119 McCulloch Blvd. The cost is \$50 per person, and those interested in signing up can visit e3havasu.

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