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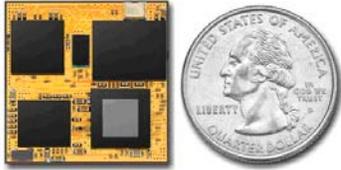
WEEKLY UPDATE

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\$50M + NEW FREESCALE CLEAN ROOM DEDICATED



On Wednesday, Economic Development attended the unveiling of the new class 10,000 manufacturing clean room located at the **Tempe Freescale Semiconductor** facility on East Elliot Road. Senior Freescale executives commented, "This was the first project Freescale was able to complete from conception to build out in less than 1 year." Staff worked with the Freescale R&D and Operations team during the past year to assist with the project – much credit goes to our **Development Services Department** who delivered all permits to Freescale in 51 days. Freescale announced the invention of Redistributed Chip Packaging [RCP] technology, a revolutionary proprietary technology which eliminates wire bonds, package substrates and flip chip bumps. This simplifies assembly, lowers costs and offers advantages in speed, power, and manufacturability that help enable manufacturers to create small, sleek multifunction devices. Freescale is the first company in the world to implement this technology and the expansion represents a 50 million dollar capital investment in the community by the **Freescale Research Division**.

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OPEN, OPEN, OPEN...



Tempe Marketplace opened its first store Wednesday, **Cost Plus World Market**. VIPs were treated to overloaded shelves of new merchandise, tasty samples and music by **JT Island Steel**. More stores will open throughout the summer leading to the September 28 grand opening event. These include **Harkins Theatres at Tempe Marketplace 16** featuring the **Ciné Capri** on June 29, **Target** on July 27 and **Pier 1** on July 13. Tempe Marketplace at McClintock and Rio Salado Parkway will offer more than 1.3 million sq. ft of retail, entertainment, restaurants and destination stores.

"World Market is excited to bring goods from around the world to the residents of Tempe," said **Mike Allen**, World Market's Executive Vice President of Store Operations. "Customers come to World Market to experience an adventurous approach to home décor and discover food and wine selections that span the globe. World Market better enables residents to celebrate family gatherings with unique and festive home entertaining items and furnishings."

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The second generation of the **Development Trends** webpages at www.tempe.gov/business is underway. Developers are encouraged to contact **Kris Baxter** and **Durrant Williams** with renderings, video, contact information and 100-word descriptions of their projects. The state-of-the-art pages should be up in August, providing accurate, enticing information about development and business in Tempe.

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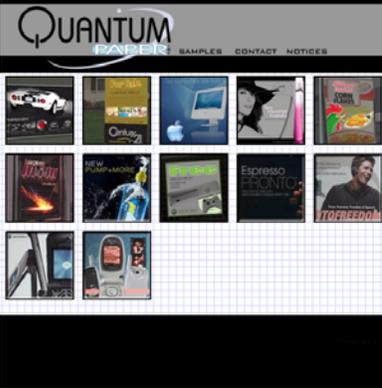


The Rio Salado Project Manager has calculated the annual number of visitors to **Tempe Town Lake** for the **Arizona Department of Tourism** to be approximately 2.775 million. This number includes those who attended at water and land events, boating classes, park users such as joggers and bicyclists, anglers, residents and businesses, among other users. For a complete list of categories, contact **Nancy Ryan**.

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"You want to be living in a space of **good solutions**, so when the problem changes, you're still there."

— Bruce Sawhill, DayJet



TEMPE WELCOMES QUANTUM PAPER

Quantum Paper chose a 53,000 square-foot building in Tempe [1320 West Auto Drive] to house research and production facilities as well as their corporate headquarters. The company is a technology start-up working to commercialize technology based on conductive inks printed on paper. Quantum Paper's first products will be self-illuminating displays. Total capital investment will exceed 20 million dollars and generate over 100 new high-tech jobs within the next two years. Senior executives of the Michigan-based firm did a search in Nevada, New Mexico and Arizona for headquarter and research locations. In the end, the work of **Mayor Hallman** and **Councilmember Shekerjian** to highlight Tempe's community assets, schools and workforce helped Tempe win the day.

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FALL MUSIC SERIES

Mosaic will sponsor the Fall 2007 **Music at the Marina** series along with **Get Out Magazine** and the **East Valley Tribune**. An \$8,000 invoice will be sent to Mosaic to pay for the shows. Dates for the fall series will be determined next week, with publicity being sent shortly thereafter.

Staff is working with the **ASU Herberger College of Fine Arts** to produce a unique performance for the Spring series featuring student and faculty music, dancing and other cultural activities. Talks with the **Arizona Outrigger Canoe Club** are also underway to organize rides for each show.

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