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EXTREME WEATHER

When a record deluge turned deadly

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When the rain finally stopped a week into September 1970, when authorities believed there were no more missing campers to find and no more bodies to be recovered, state and federal investigators spread out on a landscape no one recognized.

Before Labor Day, cabins and campsites hid among the soaring pine trees 20 or so miles north of Payson. Bridges carried motorists across creeks that someone on foot could probably ford most days. Hiking trails crisscrossed the hills and ridges.

After the rain, trails were gone, erased by mud and rocks. Trees and boulders that might have steered hikers had been ripped away, gouged out by floodwaters like a knife through peanut butter. Bridges lay in ruins if they were visible at all.

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Coming Sunday: Lake Havasu City was the site of Arizona's hottest day ever.

Video online: Shaun McKinnon explains Arizona's weather extremes at bestreads.azcentral.com.

Dozens die in terror attacks on 3 continents

Acts of terror claimed lives in Africa, the Middle East and Europe on Friday, leaving nearly 70 dead and scores injured. Officials did not immediately know if the attacks at a beach in Tunisia, a mosque in Kuwait and a U.S.-owned gas factory in France were related.

USA TODAY

Nation & World: The Islamic State lays claim to twin massacres. **3B**

AT THE SUPREME COURT

Supreme victory for gay marriage



MARK WILSON/GETTY IMAGES

The White House is lit in a rainbow of colors Friday to mark the Supreme Court's 5-4 ruling that all states must grant same-sex couples the right to marry.

High-court ruling won't end Ariz. fight, both sides say

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The U.S. Supreme Court has ruled that all states must grant same-sex couples the right to marry. But the 5-4 ruling won't end the debate over the rights of same-sex couples.

In Arizona, where same-sex unions have been legal since late last year, the battle has turned to more than a thousand state statutes that still define marriage as between a man and a woman, from adoption to taxes to property rights. It's also expected to spur a fight over Arizona's lack of discrimination protection for individuals based on gender identity and sexual orientation, as well as a push from the other side to boost protections for individuals and businesses with religious objections.

"We want to leverage this ruling to bring full equal-

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Summer Schaudt and her son, River Schaudt-Waller, celebrate the Supreme Court's ruling on same-sex marriage Friday at CityScape in downtown Phoenix.

Justices' decision on execution drug coming Monday

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On Monday, a U.S. Supreme Court decision will establish whether Arizona and other states can continue to use a drug that has resulted in seriously flawed executions by lethal injection in Arizona, Oklahoma and Ohio.

The case is *Glossip vs. Gross*, named for an Oklahoma death-row prisoner facing imminent execution. His death was put off temporarily as the high court

pondered whether the execution drug midazolam violates the Eighth Amendment prohibition of cruel and unusual punishment.

Midazolam, a drug similar to Valium, was used in an April 2014 execution in Oklahoma in which the condemned prisoner writhed in apparent pain for 45 minutes before dying of a heart attack. It was used in an Arizona execution last July in which the prisoner

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COURT ENTERS HOME STRETCH

As the U.S. Supreme Court's term draws to a close, justices have yet to decide cases with strong implications for Arizona. In addition to considering the legality of Arizona's lethal-injection procedure, the court will rule on two cases involving Arizona political boundaries, which could overturn the state's congressional map. Visit azcentral.com just after 7 a.m. Monday for news on the court's decisions. And follow these *Republic* reporters on Twitter: @alirau, @maryjpitzl, @michaelbkiefer and @RebekahLSanders.

USA TODAY

Nation & World: More than a decade ago, Justice Anthony Kennedy cracked the door for same-sex marriage. Friday, he flung it open. **Section B**

Political reactions: Top officials from Arizona share their thoughts on the court's historic ruling. **10A**

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On the night of the NHL draft, the Coyotes unveil new jerseys that retain their iconic logo, and the team drafts Dylan Strome with the third overall pick. **Stories, 1C, 8C**

ALSO

Board asks judge to dismiss Douglas suit: An attorney for the state Education Board has asked a judge to dismiss a lawsuit by Superintendent of Public Instruction Diane Douglas over who has the power to hire and fire board staff. **4A**

Unsung sports heroes: With an 80-16 record since 2011 and five championships since joining the Arena Football League, the Arizona Rattlers are creating an under-the-radar dynasty. **1F**

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