# PRINT AD SPECS FOR

2023 Media Kit





These settings will ensure the proper output of your print ad. Follow these steps before submitting your ad.

### THESE SPECS ARE APPLICABLE FOR

- Az Business Leaders
- PTK: People & Projects to Know

#### **FILE/COLOR SETTINGS**

- PDF files need to be 300 DPI, CMYK, with fonts embedded and transparencies flattened.
- Full page ads need to have bleeds included (.125")
- PDF certification should be set to PDFX-1a.
- .JPG, .PSD and .TIFF files need to be 300 DPI, CMYK and with layers flattened.
- Convert any spot colors (Pantone colors) to process. (CMYK)
- Total ink coverage should not exceed 280%.
- For rich black the following is recommended: C: 40% M: 30% Y: 20% K: 100%

**Note:** All images, text, borders or other design elements placed outside the safe area may be trimmed or will not appear centered.

#### **HOW TO SEND FILES**

- E-mail
- Website (azBIGmedia.com-under 'Advertising' click the "Upload Artwork" link and fill out the information that is requested.)

**Note:** Ads submitted as anything other than a .PDF, .JPG, .PSD, or .TIFF will be returned.

**Note:** Ads created and exported from such programs as Microsoft Excel, Word, etc., will produce unfavorable results in color, image placement, and/or font accuracy. Check to see if the program you are using supports exporting at high quality to a PDF or TIFF format. We recommend using applications that support industry-standard settings.

#### **COLOR PROOFS**

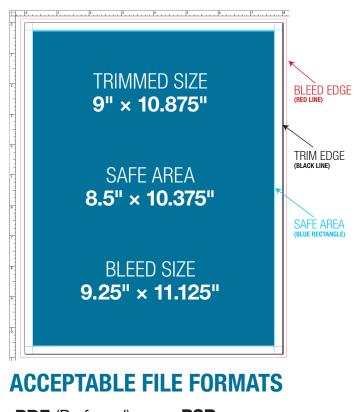
We can not guarantee color, image placement, or font accuracy without a hard copy of your ad.

## **FULL PAGE**

| Trim                        | 9" x 10.875"  |
|-----------------------------|---------------|
| Bleed                       | +.125"        |
| Important info should not   |               |
| extend outside safe area 8. | .5" x 10.375" |

## **2 PAGE SPREAD**

| Trim                      | 18" x 10.875"  |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Bleed                     | +.125"         |
| Important info should not |                |
| extend outside safe area1 | 7.5" x 10.375" |



- .PDF (Preferred) .JPG
- .PSD .TIFF