

T-Coil,

Did you know that several of our venues have the T-Coil capability for those with hearing loss? They are the DesertView Performing Arts Center, Catalina room at the Mesquite, Ballroom and Sonoran room at the MountainView Clubhouse. The housemen can ensure the system is turned on if needed.

What is a t-Coil? A t-coil is a small copper wire built into a hearing aid. This wire works as a receiver that picks up signals from a loop system. When the telecoil in the hearing aid is activated, it turns incoming signals into sound. The great thing about a telecoil is that it turns only the signals coming in from the loop system into sound; leaving out the background noise or other unnecessary conversations.

The rooms mentioned above have a t-coil loop installed. A hearing loop system means the room or venue is surrounded by its own copper wire, which sends a signal to any active telecoils. All you need to do to take advantage of a loop system is turn on the telecoil in your hearing device — no special equipment needed.

