
Maricopa County
Commission
on Trial Court
Appointments

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**PUBLIC COMMENT SOUGHT
ON SUPERIOR COURT APPLICANTS**

The public is invited to comment on 39 applicants for an opening on the Superior Court in Maricopa County, created when Judge John Gaylord passed away on April 6, 2007.

The applicants are Aimee L. Anderson, Trace A. Bartlett, Edward W. Bassett, Dawn M. Bergin, James T. Blomo, Susan M. Brnovich, Roger E. Brodman, Bruce D. Brown, Theodore Campagnolo, Michael K. Carroll, Katherine M. Cooper, Christopher A. Coury, David O. Cunanan, Dean M. Fink, Colleen L. French, Hugh E. Hegyi, David B. Higgins, Steven K. Holding, Kirby D. Kongable, Joseph C. Kreamer, Bernard P. Lopez, Steven P. Lynch, Norma B. Martens, Daniel G. Martin, Carolyn R. Matthews, M. Scott McCoy, C. Steven McMurry, Samuel J. Myers, Julie P. Newell, Benjamin R. Norris, Richard L. Nothwehr, David J. Palmer, Carolyn K. Passamonte, Wesley E. Peterson, Craig W. Soland, Peter S. Spaw, Laurence G. Tinsley, Jr., Benjamin E. Vatz and Randall H. Warner.

The Maricopa County Commission on Trial Court Appointments will review the applications and take public testimony at a meeting on May 21. The meeting will be held at the Arizona State Courts Building in Phoenix, 1501 West Washington, Room 345, starting at 9:00 a.m. Citizens may address the commission at that time or send written comments to 1501 W. Washington, Suite 227, Phoenix, AZ, 85007 or to jnc@courts.az.gov. Written comments must arrive by May 17 to be considered. Anonymous comments cannot be considered.

At the May 21 meeting, the commission will choose the applicants to be interviewed. The selected applicants will be interviewed on June 4. After the interviews, the commission will recommend at least three nominees for the vacancy to Governor Janet Napolitano, who will appoint the new judge.

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