



# News Release

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## COMMISSION TO VOTE ON THE PERFORMANCE OF JUSTICES AND JUDGES ON THE 2024 GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

The Arizona Commission on Judicial Performance Review (JPR Commission) will meet to vote on whether justices and judges scheduled to be on the 2024 general election ballot “Meet” or “Do Not Meet” judicial performance standards. Members of the public may attend the meeting in person or online via Zoom. Information on how to attend via Zoom will be provided on the meeting agenda, which will be posted on the JPR Commission’s [website](#) at least seven days prior to the meeting.

The meeting will take place on Friday, April 26, at 9:30 a.m. in Room 101 of the Arizona State Courts Building, 1501 W. Washington St., Phoenix.

The JPR Commission surveyed litigants, witnesses, jurors, individuals who represented themselves in court, and attorneys who appeared before Superior Court judges during specific periods of their term. Appellate court justices and judges were surveyed throughout their term. The JPR Commission reviewed the results of more than 14,000 surveys, along with written comments and comments made at a public hearing to decide whether judges meet judicial performance standards.

A report on the judicial performance of each judge standing for retention, including the JPR Commission’s findings, will be published in the Secretary of State’s voter pamphlet and posted on the JPR Commission’s website at [azjudges.info](http://azjudges.info) in July 2024. Voters can review the reports and use the findings of the JPR Commission to make informed decisions on whether to retain each judge or justice at the November 5 general election.

The JPR Commission was established in 1992 by a constitutional amendment passed by voters and is charged with conducting performance reviews of judges. It sets performance standards for judges, decides whether a judge meets those standards, and publishes its findings for voters.

The following justices and judges are scheduled to be listed on the 2024 general election ballot:

### **Arizona Supreme Court**

Hon. Clint Bolick  
Hon. Kathryn H. King

### **Court of Appeals, Division 1**

Hon. Brian Y. Furuya  
Hon. Angela K. Paton

### **Court of Appeals, Division 2**

Hon. Peter J. Eckerstrom  
Hon. Christopher P. Staring

### **Superior Court in Coconino County**

Hon. Stacy L. Krueger

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#### **Superior Court in Maricopa County**

Hon. Jay R. Adleman	Hon. David W. Garbarino	Hon. Scott Minder
Hon. Sara Agne	Hon. Pamela Gates	Hon. Amanda Moncayo Parker
Hon. Glenn A. Allen	Hon. Jo Lynn Gentry	Hon. David J. Palmer
Hon. Stasy D. Avelar	Hon. Michael D. Gordon	Hon. Adele Ponce
Hon. Justin Beresky	Hon. John R. Hannah Jr.	Hon. Andrew J. Russell
Hon. Scott A. Blaney	Hon. Michael W. Kemp	Hon. Timothy J. Ryan
Hon. Lori H. Bustamante	Hon. James Knapp	Hon. Patricia A. Starr
Hon. Rodrick J. Coffey	Hon. Margaret B. LaBianca	Hon. Peter A. Thompson
Hon. Suzanne E. Cohen	Hon. Todd Lang	Hon. Michael F. Valenzuela
Hon. Bruce R. Cohen	Hon. Michael S. Mandell	Hon. Lisa A. Vandenberg
Hon. Christopher A. Coury	Hon. Suzanne S. Marwil	Hon. Ashley Villaverde Halvorson
Hon. Quintin Cushner	Hon. M. Scott McCoy	Hon. Lisa S. Wahlin
Hon. Jim Drake	Hon. David E. McDowell	Hon. Kevin Wein
Hon. Adam D. Driggs	Hon. Joseph P. Mikitish	Hon. Christopher T. Whitten
Hon. Ronda R. Fisk	Hon. Keith J. Miller	

#### **Superior Court in Pima County**

Hon. Lisa I. Abrams	Hon. Kellie L. Johnson
Hon. Renee T. Bennett	Hon. Kenneth Lee
Hon. Kyle A. Bryson	Hon. Scott D. McDonald
Hon. Michael J. Butler	Hon. Casey McGinley
Hon. Gary J. Cohen	Hon. D. Douglas Metcalf
Hon. Danielle J. K. Constant	Hon. D. Greg Sakall
Hon. Richard Gordon	Hon. Joan Wagener
Hon. Brenden J. Griffin	Hon. Wayne E. Yehling
Hon. Kimberly A. Harris Ortiz	

#### **Superior Court in Pinal County**

Hon. Patrick K. Gard  
Hon. Joseph R. Georgini  
Hon. Jason Holmberg  
Hon. Robert C. Olson