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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PINAL

BY 
DEPUTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE)
REAPPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL MASTERS TO)
CONDUCT INITIAL APPEARANCES)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

2017-00 002

WHEREAS, it is necessary that one or more Special Masters, for the purpose of conducting initial appearances under Criminal Rule 4, may be appointed by the presiding judge of the Superior Court in each county for the purpose of enhancing the ability of the various Pinal County Justice Courts to process cases; now therefore, pursuant to Criminal Rule 1.7,

WHEREAS, compensation of Special Masters under the rule shall be set by the presiding judge; and

WHEREAS, Special Masters appointed under this rule shall have a combination of education and work experience that, in the opinion of the presiding judge, qualifies them to conduct initial appearances; and

WHEREAS, the Presiding Judge finds that the following reappointments are necessary, appropriate and in the best interest of the Judicial Branch of Government in Pinal County:

Danielle Harris	Dennis Lusk	James Hazel	Jess Lorona
Kathleen Gratz	Mark Andersen	Michael Bowman	Phil Rogers
Roger Valdez	Sherri Rollison	Sylvia Lafferty	Kelly Robertson
Megan K. Weagant	Douglas S. Campbell		

NOW, THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, reappointing the aforementioned as Special Masters for Pinal County, *nunc pro tunc*, effective January 1, 2017 for a term ending December 31, 2017. This appointment is at the pleasure and direction of the presiding judge of the superior court and subject to annual reappointment. Such appointment or reappointment may be terminated without cause at any time by the presiding judge.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all Special Masters, named above, are also appointed as Juvenile Hearing Officers to hear juvenile advisory hearings and determine juvenile pretrial detention hearings.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all Special Masters are to be paid at the rate of \$50.00 per hour or a flat fee for each weekend or holiday, as determined by the Presiding Judge. The Special Master is a temporary, part-time employee of the County and compensation is subject to withholding as required by Federal and State law.

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Dated this 4 day of January, 2017.



HONORABLE STEPHEN F. McCARVILLE
PRESIDING JUDGE

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