

# Volunteer to be a Judge Pro Tempore

The Judicial Branch of Arizona in Maricopa County is seeking qualified applicants for Judges Pro Tempore in Superior Court for the FY 2025 appointment term:

**July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025**

Judge *Pro Tempore* candidates are appointed by Presiding Judge Joseph C. Welty. They are subject to the approval of the Chief Justice of the Arizona Supreme Court & the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors.

- Gain insight into the judicial process
- Explore a career on the bench
- Gain experience with ADR
- Give back to the profession
- Improve your advocacy and negotiation skills
- Observe other attorneys in action

MOST JUDGES PRO TEMPORE ARE PRO BONO VOLUNTEERS WHO SERVE IN VARIOUS COURT DEPARTMENTS AS NEEDED. THE CRIMINAL AND FAMILY DEPARTMENTS RELY ON PAID PRO TEMPORE JUDGES FOR IV-D CASES AND INITIAL APPEARANCE COURT.

TO BE A SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE *PRO TEMPORE*, ONE MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING QUALIFICATIONS:

- MUST BE AT LEAST 30 YEARS OLD
- OF GOOD MORAL CHARACTER
- ADMITTED TO THE PRACTICE OF LAW IN THIS STATE FOR NOT LESS THAN FIVE YEARS



Applications will be accepted from  
February 1st to March 1st, 2024 for FY 2025.

FOR QUESTIONS CONTACT:

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**NOTE: IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY A SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE PRO TEMPORE, YOU NEED TO REAPPLY**