

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA**

STATE OF ARIZONA

v.

_____,
DEFENDANT

No. CR _____

Judge _____

**JOINT SETTLEMENT
CONFERENCE STATEMENT**

This completed Joint Settlement Conference Statement should be submitted to the judicial officer being asked to conduct the settlement conference. In-custody in-person settlement conferences must be conducted with all social-distancing requirements observed, and with the minimum number of participants physically present. A settlement may be conducted via Jail Tablet Hearing if the Defendant is eligible and the parties agree.

The parties hereby avow to the Court that the following items have occurred in this case (the matter is only eligible for a settlement conference if each item is checked):

- EITHER A plea has been extended and communicated to the defendant OR a plea has been extended by the Defendant if the State has declined to make a plea offer.
- The parties have negotiated in good faith and reached an impasse.
- The prosecutor who attends the settlement conference will have the authority to settle the case, including the authority to make changes to the plea agreement.
- The Court's intervention is needed for some identified, tangible reason(s) (*i.e.*, asking the judge to "explain the ranges" is not sufficient). The reason(s) are as follows:

Prosecutor

Name: s/ _____
Bar Number: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____
Telephone: _____

**Defense Counsel or
Self-Represented Defendant**

Name: s/ _____
Bar Number: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____
Telephone: _____

Date Submitted: _____