



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

Requested Board Meeting Date: May 7, 2024

Title: Approval of Judge Pro Tempore

Introduction/Background:

Ajo Justice Court requests the appointments of the following as Judge Pro Tempore for the period of July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025: Frederick S. Klein and Juanita L. Escalante.

Discussion:

Conclusion:

To approve the appointment of the Judge Pro Tempore listed above.

Recommendation:

The Court recommends the approval of the appointments put forth by the proposed administrative order attached.

Fiscal Impact:

IF APPROVED: It is necessary for a sufficient number of persons to be appointed each year as Judge Pro Tempore in order to adequately meet the needs of the Court on occasions where additional judicial resources are required.

IF DENIED: Without sufficient judicial resources, the Court would be unable to adequately serve the public.

Board of Supervisor District:

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Deputy County Administrator Signature/Date: _____

County Administrator Signature/Date: _____

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PIMA

IN THE MATTER OF:

APPOINTMENT OF JUSTICE OF THE
PEACE PRO TEMPORE FOR JUSTICE
COURTS OF PIMA COUNTY

)
) ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
) NO. 2024-_____
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It appearing that the following persons meet the requirements of A.R.S. § 22-121, and pursuant to A.R.S. § 22-121,

IT IS ORDERED that the following designated persons be, and the same hereby are, appointed Justice of the Peace Pro Tempore for the Ajo Justice Court from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025. This appointment limits the exercise of the powers granted under A.R.S. § 22-121 to those occasions where the Pro Tempore Justice of the Peace is scheduled on the Ajo Justice Court docket and not for any other purpose or function, whether mandatory or discretionary.

FREDERICK S. KLEIN
JUANITA L. ESCALANTE

DATED this ____ day of June 2024.

JEFFREY T. BERGIN
Presiding Judge

cc: Ron Overholt, Court Administrator, Superior Court - Pima
County
Judge Sara Mae Williams - Ajo Justice Court
Juanita L. Escalante, Administrator, Ajo Justice Court