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Judiciary Mourns Death of Retired Maricopa County Justice of the Peace Mike Osterfeld



Judge Osterfeld

January, 23, 2013 - The state judiciary is mourning the death of retired Justice of the Peace G.M. "Mike" Osterfeld, who passed away late Monday evening.

Judge Osterfeld served over 16 years with the Maricopa County Justice Courts as both a Justice of the Peace and a Justice of the Peace Pro Tem.

Judge Osterfeld was a graduate of Arizona State University, the FBI National Academy, and the Arizona Judicial College. He began his criminal justice career with the Phoenix Police Department in 1967.

He was appointed as the Deputy Magistrate for the Avondale City Court in 1992, elected as Justice of the Peace for the Estrella Mountain Justice Court in 1994, and shortly after was appointed by the Town of Buckeye as the City Magistrate.

Services will be held on Saturday, January 26 at a time and location to be determined.

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