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## Public Asked for Input on Candidates for Superior Court Vacancy

The Maricopa County Commission on Trial Court Appointments is seeking public input on 17 candidates for an opening on the Superior Court in Maricopa County.

The candidates are:

- Glenn A. Allen
- Monica N. Bellapralu Edelstein
- Stasy D. Click
- Francisca J. Cota
- Max-Henri Covil
- Rusty D. Crandell
- Joshua S. Davidson
- Paula R. Eaton
- David W. Garbarino
- Ann R. Hobart
- Julie A. LaFave
- Julie A. Mata
- David E. McDowell
- Sigmund G. Popko
- Andrew J. Russell
- Aryeh D. Schwartz
- Ashley Villaverde Halvorson

Their applications can be viewed online at the Commission's website, <http://azcourts.gov/jnc>.

To comply with current guidelines related to the public health emergency, the Commission voted to reschedule the interview meeting previously set for May 11, 2020. The Commission will now interview the above-named candidates on **June 1, 2020 at 8:30 a.m.** Information on how the public can access this meeting will be provided on the public meeting notice and on the meeting agenda. The notice and agenda will be posted on the Commission's website at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Public comment is accepted, however, citizens who wish to address the Commission are strongly encouraged to submit all comments to [jnc@courts.az.gov](mailto:jnc@courts.az.gov) or to 1501 W. Washington, Suite 221, Phoenix, AZ 85007. All comments must be received no later than May 27, 2020 to be considered. Anonymous comments cannot be considered. If you chose to speak at this meeting, you must send your information and the subject of your comments to Blanca Moreno, at [bmoreno@courts.az.gov](mailto:bmoreno@courts.az.gov) by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, May 29, 2020.

After the interviews, the Commission will recommend at least three nominees for the opening to Governor Doug Ducey, who will appoint the new judge.