

**APPLICATION (INCLUDING ATTACHMENTS) FOR  
INDEPENDENT REDISTRICTING COMMISSION**

*Answer all items in print or type. Attach additional sheets as needed to answer completely.*

**Full Name** \_\_ William Sandry

**Spouse's Name (if applicable)** \_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_\_\_

**City** Apache Junction    **Zip** 85120 \_\_\_\_\_

**County of Residence** Pinal \_\_\_\_\_ **Resident of Arizona Since 1989** \_

**Employer** Special Counsel \_\_\_\_\_ **Title** Document Reviewer \_\_\_\_\_

**Office Address** 777 E. Missouri Ave Ste 310 **Office Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** Phoenix    **State** Arizona \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** 85014 \_\_\_\_\_

**Education:** Include name(s) of institution(s) and year diploma(s) or degree(s) received.

George Washington High School 1966 – High School Diploma

University of Iowa @ 1981 - Bachelor's degrees in in Political Science and Modern British History

Hamline University School of Law @ 1985 – Juris Doctorate Degree

List **all** political activities for **at least** the past ten years. Include dates of service and indicate **all** offices held in any organization. (Use attachment if necessary.)

For approximately 25 years I went to the capitol to speak with legislators and testify in committee hearings about issues that concerned me. I did this as an independent and was not affiliated with any political party, or organized group. I was instrumental in getting bills sponsored and a few bills passed. I have not been engaged in this activity for at least the last 5 years.

I am not, and never have been, an officer of any organized political Group. Although I have attended Tea Party meetings while they were active.

I served on the legislatively created board PERB (the Private Enterprise Review Board) until it was not renewed under its sunset clause.

List **all** professional and occupational memberships for **at least** the past ten years. Include dates

of service and indicate **all** offices held in any organization. Please include honors, awards and other forms of recognition. (Use attachment if necessary.)

Member of the Minnesota Bar Association in good standing from approximately 1985 to the present.

List **all** civic and community service activities for **at least** the past ten years. Include dates of service and indicate **all** offices held in any organization. Please include honors, awards and other forms of recognition. (Use attachment if necessary.)

None other than those activities previously listed, if they qualify, and coaching youth football for 25 years. I retired from coaching seven or eight years ago.

ATTACH A **STATEMENT OF INTEREST** explaining why you are interested in serving on the independent redistricting commission.

See attached.

ATTACH A **RESUME** OR **BIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT**.

*Applications that do not include the required resume or biographical statement, and a statement of interest, will be considered incomplete and will NOT be considered for nomination.*

See attached.

**COMPLETELY ANSWER ALL OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:**

1. Are you committed to applying the provisions of the Arizona Constitution, Article IV, Part 2, Section 1 in an honest, independent and impartial fashion, and to upholding public confidence in the integrity of the redistricting process? Yes ( X ) No ( )
2. Will your employment and/or personal circumstances permit you to attend meetings of the Independent Redistricting Commission in their entirety? Yes ( X ) No ( )
3. Are you a registered Arizona voter? Yes ( X ) No ( )
4. Have you been continuously registered for at least the past three years with the same political party or as unaffiliated with a political party? Yes ( X ) No ( ) If no, attach explanation.

Indicate political registration for the past three years:

“Independent” or “Not Affiliated.” I have never been a member of any political party.

5. During the past three years, have you:
  - a. been appointed to, elected to, or a candidate for any other public office, including precinct committeeman or committeewoman, but not including school board member or officer? Yes ( ) No ( X )
  - b. served as an officer of a political party or as an officer of a candidate’s campaign committee? Yes ( ) No ( X )
  - c. served as a registered paid lobbyist? Yes ( ) No ( X )

If your answer to any part of this question is “Yes,” attach an explanation.

6. Is there any possible conflict of interest or other matter that would create problems or prevent you from fairly and impartially discharging your duties as an appointee to the Independent Redistricting Commission? Yes ( ) No ( X ) If your answer is “Yes,” attach an explanation.
7. Are you now an officer, director, or majority stockholder, or otherwise engaged in the management, of any business enterprise? Yes ( ) No ( X )  
  
If your answer is “Yes,” give details by attachment, including the name of the enterprise, the nature of the business, the title and description of your position, the nature of your duties, and the term of your service.
8. Have you filed your state or federal income tax returns for all years you were legally required to file them? Yes ( X ) No ( ) If your answer is “No,” explain by attachment.
9. Have you paid all state, federal and local taxes when due? Yes ( ) No ( X ) If your

answer is "No," explain by attachment.

I'll explain here: When we moved to Arizona in December of 1988 (I was married at the time) we had timely filed our taxes but owed several hundred dollars in taxes and I paid them within a few months.

10. Have you ever violated a court order including but not limited to an order for payment of child or spousal support? Yes (  ) No (  ) If your answer is "Yes," explain by attachment.
11. Have you ever been expelled, terminated, or suspended from any employment or school or course of learning on account of plagiarism, cheating, or any other "cause" that might reflect in any way on your integrity? Yes (  ) No (  ) If your answer is "Yes," explain by attachment.
12. Are you, in any jurisdiction, currently charged with or have you ever been arrested for, convicted of, or pleaded guilty to any felony, misdemeanor (excluding civil traffic violations), or violation of the Uniform Code of Military Justice? Yes (  ) No (  ) If your answer is "Yes," explain by attachment.
13. If you performed military service, please indicate the date and type of discharge. If other than honorable discharge, explain by attachment.

See Attached DD214.

14. List and describe by attachment any litigation involving an allegation of fraud in which you are or were a defendant.

None

15. In the past year, have you ever been reprimanded, demoted, disciplined, placed on probation, suspended, or terminated by an employer as a result of your alleged consumption of alcohol, prescription drugs, or use of illegal drugs? Yes (  ) No (  ) If your answer is "Yes," explain by attachment the circumstances under which such action was taken, the name(s) of any persons who took such action, and the background and resolution of such action.
16. Have you failed to vote in any general election held during the past eight years? Yes (  ) No (  ) If your answer is "Yes," explain by attachment.
17. Have you ever refused to submit to a test to determine whether you had consumed and/or were under the influence of alcohol or drugs? Yes (  ) No (  ) If your answer is "Yes," state the date you were requested to submit to such a test, type of test requested, the name of the entity requesting that you submit to the test, the outcome of your refusal and the reason you refused to submit to such a test.
18. Within the last five years, have you ever been formally reprimanded, demoted, disciplined, placed on probation, suspended or terminated by an employer? Yes (  ) No (  ) If your answer is "Yes," state the circumstances under which such action was taken, the date(s) such action was taken, the name(s) of any persons who took such action, and the background and resolution of such action.
19. Has a judgment or finding that you failed to comply with the substantive requirements of any business or contractual arrangement, including but not limited to bankruptcy

proceedings, ever been entered against you? Yes ( ) No ( X ) If your answer is "Yes," explain by attachment.

20. List by attachment all elected or appointed offices that you have held and/or for which you have been a candidate, and the dates.

None

21. Provide any additional information relative to your application or qualifications you would like to bring to our attention at this time.

**BY SIGNATURE OF THIS APPLICATION:**

If appointed to the Independent Redistricting Commission I understand I will be ineligible for Arizona public office or for registration as a paid lobbyist during my term on the Independent Redistricting Commission and for three years thereafter, pursuant to the Arizona Constitution, Article IV, Part 2, Section 1.

I have reviewed the constitutional requirements governing the Independent Redistricting Commission and attest that I meet those requirements.

I authorize investigation of all of my responses to this application and further authorize the references listed in the confidential section of this Application to give you any and all information concerning my qualifications they may have, personal or otherwise, and release all parties from all liability for any damages that may result from furnishing information to you.

I understand that the Commission which reviews my application may or may not conduct an interview, and may make its decision based on my responses to this Application and any due diligence.

The statements contained in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

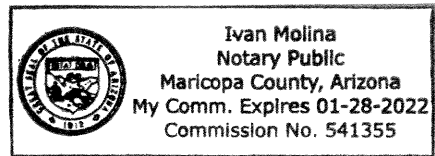
SIGNATURE William Sundry DATE 8/17/2020

State of Arizona )  
County of Maricopa ) ss.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2020, by  
William Allen Sundry

[Signature]  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:  
01/28/2022



**OPTIONAL SECTION**

*The Commission on Appellate Court Appointments strives for diversity in its appointments. Therefore, in this optional section, we ask you to consider providing us with information that will help us evaluate our progress in achieving this goal.*

RACE/ETHNICITY: ( X ) WHITE (Not Hispanic) ( X ) NATIVE AMERICAN  
( ) HISPANIC ( X ) ASIAN/PACIFIC ISLANDER  
( ) BLACK ( ) Other: \_\_\_\_\_

GENDER: ( X ) MALE ( ) FEMALE

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Statement of Interest

By William Sandry August 17, 2020

The United States Constitution is based on the principle of a citizen government. We the people are responsible for running our own government to preserve our liberty. To preserve that liberty, it is our responsibility to actively participate in our government by voting and, when possible, to serve in another capacity. The opportunity to serve on the Independent Redistricting Commission is one such opportunity and I appreciate the opportunity to fulfill my responsibility by applying to serve on the Commission.

It is critical for the law (the state and federal Constitution and election law in this case) be followed and to prevail in order to provide fairness and develop public trust in our election system. I hope to have the opportunity to do our best to achieve these goals.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Bill".

William Sandry

**William Sandry**  
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## **Summary of Qualifications**

*30 plus years' experience .....*

As an Independent contractor and licensed attorney, I provide contract and document review, drafting and analysis services remotely from my home office for law firms and corporations in preparation for arbitration or litigation on a project contract basis.

Examples of recent client services are: Document Review for Special Counsel, Contract analysis for AT&T contracts for cell tower site locations that covered real estate, zoning, local regulatory compliance, terms of payment, and construction; Providing research, pleadings and discovery documents for civil cases; I've also provided review of transcript testimony for FINRA arbitration.

## **Experience**

**2019 – 2020**

Document Review Attorney for Special Counsel.

**1996 – 2018, Private Law Practice and Consulting, Mesa, AZ  
Attorney**

Private law practice representing and consulting for small businesses in corporate activities including contract drafting, analysis and critique of transcript testimony.

**1990-1996, General Counsel - Anderson Reclamation Const. Company and Revegetation Services, Inc. Tempe, AZ**

Responsible for regulatory compliance and negotiating government contract claims (alleged violations and payment claims) with State and Federal agencies and drafting contracts.

**1989-1990, Associate Counsel - Kern & Wooley Law Firm, Mesa, AZ**

This insurance defense and personal injury law firm specialized in umbrella/secondary comprehensive insurance coverage and aeronautical insurance. I provided litigation support as well as investigating accidents, claims, legal research, preparing memoranda and pleadings and aeronautical compliance (or failure of compliance) of aircraft involved in accidents.

**1988 -1989, Associate Counsel - Arizona Public Service Co, Phoenix, AZ**

Served in the contract department negotiating and drafting contracts including Master Agreements and a \$12m contract for a Singer nuclear power plant operator simulator

**1982-1988, Solo practice in Minnesota**

Focused on forming and advising small businesses, taking two public by reverse acquisition. I drafted the first retail contract with Disney for "Mickey Mouse" games on "floppy" disks.

## **Education:**

Juris Doctor - Hamline University School of Law

BA in Political Science and Modern British History University of Iowa

USN Veteran