

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

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

**Full Name** - Susan Marie Gieseler

**Spouse's Name (if applicable)** - Not Applicable

**City** - Tucson **Zip** - 85715

**County of Residence** - Pima **Resident of Arizona Since** - 1949

**Employer** - Retired **Title** – Not Applicable

**Office Address** - Not applicable **Office Phone** - Not applicable

**City** - Not Applicable **State** Not Applicable **Zip** - Not Applicable

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

Tucson High School - 1966

University of Arizona - 1970

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.)

Republican National Committee Phone Bank Volunteer – July 2020 to present

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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.)

Society For Human Resources Management – member from 2001 to 2010

Work Place Excellence Finalist

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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.)

Holy Cross Lutheran Women’s Ministry Volunteer – 2015 to present

The School Yard Home Owners Association Architectural Committee Volunteer

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

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.*

**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: Republican

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 ( X ) No ( ) If your answer is "No," explain by attachment.

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. Not Applicable
14. List and describe by attachment any litigation involving an allegation of fraud in which you are or were a defendant. Not Applicable
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 (  ) 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. Not Applicable
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 Susan Marie Grieseler DATE 8/20/20

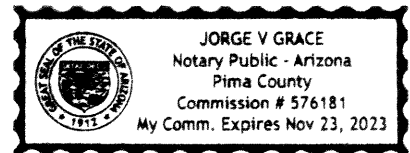
State of Arizona )  
County of Pima ) ss.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2020, by Susan Marie Grieseler.

[Signature]  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

November 23, 2023



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

GENDER:                                     MALE     FEMALE

## STATEMENT OF INTEREST

Serving on the independent redistricting commission is of great interest as part of my “giving back” to the state of Arizona and the United States. Being a motivated self-starter, a team player, paying close attention to details and giving nothing less than my best at all times, I will make sure all the requirements are met and accurate data is used. Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to speaking with you about this exciting opportunity.

## BIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT

Susan Marie Gieseler – native Tucsonan, life-long Republican, willing to cross party lines to work with all people. After graduating from college, I worked all of my life mostly in human resources. Making sure all applicants were hired based on the qualifications of the job, assisting employees with the benefits offered and making sure all requirements and laws were met was essential in my job. Taking on challenges and working long hours got the job done with excellence. As my husband’s health declined, I first took a less time consuming job and then retired to be a full-time caregiver for the past five years. Since Richard passed away, I can use my experience and skills for the redistricting process.