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Public Asked for Input on Candidates for Division One of the Arizona Court of Appeals

The Commission on Appellate Court Appointments is asking for public comment on eight candidates for an opening on Division One of the Arizona Court of Appeals.

The candidates are:

- Michael S. Catlett
- Alice M. Jones
- Angela Kebric Paton
- Daniel J. Kiley
- Joseph P. Mikitish
- Adele G. Ponce
- Joshua D. Rogers
- Patricia A. Starr

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

The Commission will meet to interview the candidates on August 9, 2021. The meeting will be held in room 101 of the Arizona State Courts Building, 1501 W. Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007, starting at 8:30 a.m. The interview agenda will be posted on the Commission's website at least 7 days prior to the meeting.

Citizens may address the Commission on the day of the meeting or send written comments to jnc@courts.az.gov or to 1501 W. Washington, Suite 221, Phoenix, AZ 85007. It is not necessary to submit multiple copies of written comments, and email is preferred. Comments must be received no later than August 4, 2021 to be considered. Anonymous comments cannot be considered.

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