



# Superior Court of Arizona for Maricopa County

## Commissioner Judicial Performance Review Scores

### 2024

**Commissioner:** Barbara L. SPENCER

**Current Assignment:** Criminal

Results of more than 10 surveys received from Litigants

<b>Judgment Area/Duty</b>	<b>Litigants Responses</b>
Basic fairness and impartiality directed to all individuals regardless of demographic or social-economic standing	<b>58%</b>
Explained reasons for delays	<b>75%</b>
Used language that enabled you to understand what was going on in the courtroom	<b>100%</b>
Conduct promoted confidence in the court and commissioner's ability	<b>100%</b>
Courtesy and respectfulness to all individuals	<b>92%</b>
Punctual in courtroom proceedings	<b>91%</b>
Appeared prepared for the proceeding	<b>91%</b>

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**Current Assignment:** Criminal

Results of more than 10 surveys received from Attorneys

<u>Judgment Area/Duty</u>	<u>Attorney Responses</u>
<b>Section I: Legal Ability</b>	
Knowledge of substantive law.	<b>88%</b>
Knowledge of rules of evidence.	<b>90%</b>
Knowledge of rules of procedure.	<b>88%</b>
<b>Section II: Integrity</b>	
Integrity as unbiased and impartial with individuals regardless of demographic or social-economic standing?	<b>90%</b>
<b>Section III: Communication Skills</b>	
Clear and logical oral communications.	<b>88%</b>
Clear and logical written decisions.	<b>87%</b>
<b>Section IV: Judicial Temperament</b>	
Conduct that promotes public confidence in the court and commissioner's ability.	<b>88%</b>
Respectful to all individuals.	<b>94%</b>
<b>Section V: Administrative Performance</b>	
Maintaining proper control of courtroom.	<b>92%</b>
Appeared prepared for the proceeding.	<b>90%</b>
Efficient management of the calendar.	<b>82%</b>

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Results of 10 or fewer surveys received from Staff

<u>Judgment Area/Duty</u>	<u>Staff Responses</u>
<b>Section I: Legal Ability</b>	
Knowledge of substantive law.	<b>100%</b>
Knowledge of rules of evidence.	<b>100%</b>
Knowledge of rules of procedure.	<b>100%</b>
<b>Section II: Integrity</b>	
Integrity as unbiased and impartial with individuals regardless of demographic or social-economic standing?	<b>100%</b>
<b>Section III: Communication Skills</b>	
Abilities to provide clear and logical communications?	<b>100%</b>
<b>Section IV: Judicial Temperament</b>	
Conduct that promotes public confidence in the court and commissioner's ability.	<b>100%</b>
Respectful to all individuals.	<b>100%</b>
<b>Section V: Administrative Performance</b>	
Cooperation with court staff.	<b>100%</b>
Maintained proper control of courtroom.	<b>100%</b>
Efficient management of calendar.	<b>100%</b>
Does a fair share of work.	<b>100%</b>

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