

IN THE SUPREME COURT
STATE OF ARIZONA

SUE HECK,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

v.

HERB KAI, et al.;

Defendants-Appellees.

Arizona Supreme Court
No.

Pima County
Superior Court
No.: CV20262700

(Expedited Election Matter)

STATEMENT IDENTIFYING APPEAL AS EXPEDITED ELECTION
AND REQUEST FOR INITIAL TELEPHONIC SCHEDULING
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Pursuant to Rule 10, Ariz. R. Civ. App. P., Plaintiff/Appellant hereby designates this appeal as an Expedited Election Matter and respectfully requests that this Court set an initial telephonic scheduling conference.

Plaintiff Appellant notes that the sole question in this case is identical to one of the two issues in *Hoppe v. Buchli*, CV-26-0114-AP/EL, which is currently being briefed before the Court, the Answering Brief is due on Tuesday, April 21, 2026, at 4:00 p.m. Also, the same attorneys represent the Plaintiff and Candidate in the *Hoppe* case as in this case.

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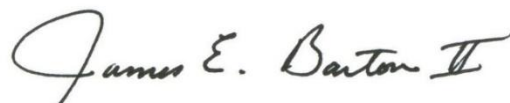
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