

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 19-290

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

November 27, 2019

The Complainant alleged a pro tem superior court judge made erroneous rulings in a civil matter and was part of a corrupt “good old boys” network.

The role of the Commission on Judicial Conduct is to impartially determine whether a judicial officer has engaged in conduct that violates the Arizona Code of Judicial Conduct or Article 6.1 of the Arizona Constitution. There must be clear and convincing evidence of such a violation in order for the Commission to take disciplinary action against a judicial officer.

The Commission does not have jurisdiction to overturn, amend, or remand a judicial officer’s legal rulings. The Commission reviewed all relevant available information and concluded there was not clear and convincing evidence of ethical misconduct in this matter. The complaint is therefore dismissed pursuant to Commission Rules 16(a) and 23(a).

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on November 27, 2019.

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2019-290

COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

Name: _____ Judge's Name: _____

Instructions: Use this form or plain paper of the same size to file a complaint. Describe in your own words what you believe the judge did that constitutes judicial misconduct. Be specific and list all of the names, dates, times, and places that will help the commission understand your concerns. Additional pages may be attached along with copies (not originals) of relevant court documents. Please complete one side of the paper only, and keep a copy of the complaint for your records.

In I got sued by (it is my understanding that the county cannot sue anyone, it must be a person, not an entity) over the legal use of my The county decided that they can violate state law and limit my (pls see) I started out with as an attorney, and at one point in the proceedings, due to non response, I fired him. I notified the court immediately, that I had let my attorney go, and that I was in the process of hiring a new attorney. I did not know that the judge was on vacation at the time of that notification. Judge did not see the paperwork until before the next hearing, and refused to postpone the hearing, so I showed up in court, and against my objections, he forced me to be my own attorney.(odd as granted a continuance so the could go on vacation) As a result, I was fined, and my shut down. The judge also refused to look at state law, and sided with the county's stance that I was in violation of my even though the law is crystal clear, that the county CANNOT limit my The state office even went as far as to put in writing that if the county issued an illegal order, and they could get a judge to uphold that illegal order, and I violated that order, even though my license permitted the violation, that the state would fine me as well. Judge simply failed to uphold the 14th ammendment and title 4 of az state law, as has the state. I have maintained my winery but after realizing that this whole situation was rigged, and after spending over trying to defend my legal right to do business, I had no choice but to agree to a settlement that included That was not enough for the county, I was drug back into court over supposed building code violations, and other issues that were simply dreamed up. Judge did find me in violation of nothing, but refused to allow me to recover my attorney's fees. So he is allowing the county to drag me into court for any reason they choose, and cost me money, and even when found groundless, I still have to pay to defend myself. stated, "

Judge also allowed The county atty's office to put an illegal lein against my property for a fine issued to someone not on my deed of trust. This hindered my ability to sell my property, as no one wants to buy a piece of property with a lein against it. When brought to his attention Judge stated "

This is obviously a " " network. In a recorded conversation with (lead on the county) she stated to me that " . As a I find this statement nauseating. I took an oath to uphold the constitution, and if necessary to give my life in the process. I find the actions of the The county and especially Judge reprehensible. I understand that there is nothing that can most likely be done about my final situation, But the and the court are doing the same thing to other in the area, and doing everything they can to stop them from selling the they make. Regardless sof state law. They must be stopped! could see that is in the pocked of the Please contact at to discover what this Judge and the are doing to him to prevent the use of his series His number is is also representing Mr. and has the documents on that case as well.

I have friends at They conducted an investigation into this with intend of reporting and holding the county accountable. When they " in this matter, they backed down and refused to report in the matter

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The space provided does not allow for the _____ of pages of documents that are involved with this matter. My attorney can be contacted and can furnish you with documents needed to review for this complaint. His phone number in _____ His secretary is _____. There are literally _____ of pages.