

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPOINTMENT)
OF HEARING OFFICERS FOR THE) ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE COURTS IN) NO. 2023-026
MARICOPA COUNTY)
_____)

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 22-506, and at the request and recommendation of the Maricopa County Justices of the Peace,

IT IS ORDERED Michael Branham and Maria Garcia are appointed as volunteer Hearing Officers in the Small Claims Division of the Justice Courts of Arizona in Maricopa County, to serve without compensation, unless sooner revoked or withdrawn, from this date through December 31, 2023.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to A.R.S. § 28-1553, that this Court concurs with the appointment of Michael Branham identified in Maricopa County Justice Court's Administrative Order No. 2023-001 to serve as a Hearing Officer to preside over civil traffic violations in the Justice Courts of Arizona in Maricopa County.

Dated this 9th day of February, 2023.

/s/ Joseph C. Welty
Hon. Joseph C. Welty
Presiding Judge

Original: Clerk of the Superior Court

Copies: Maricopa County Justices of the Peace
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