

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

IN THE MATTER OF)	
CHRISTINE KELLY SERVING)	ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
AS ACTING CLERK OF THE COURT)	No. 2018-024
_____)	

The Clerk of the Superior Court in Maricopa County, Michael Jeanes, has resigned from the office, effective February 5, 2018.

The Governor of the State of Arizona has not yet appointed a replacement Clerk of Court for Maricopa County. Michael Jeanes has indicated he has appointed his chief deputy, Christine Kelly as Acting Clerk of Court. A.R.S. 38-462 provides that the deputy for a state officer "possesses the powers and may perform the duties prescribed by law for the office of the principal." Because of the importance of the continuation of the business of the Clerk of the Superior Court in Maricopa County,

IT IS ORDERED that Christine Kelly will serve as Acting Clerk of Court with all of the duties, powers and responsibilities of the Clerk of the Court in Maricopa County until such time as the Governor of the State of Arizona shall appoint a replacement Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 2nd day of February, 2018

/s/ Janet E. Barton

Janet E. Barton
Presiding Judge

Original: Clerk of the Superior Court

Copies: Christine Kelly, Acting Clerk of the Court