

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE USE OF )  
BODY-WORN CAMERAS IN COURT )  
FACILITIES )

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
NO. 2018-090  
(AMENDING ADMINISTRATIVE  
ORDER NO. 2013-059)

WHEREAS, Administrative Order 2013-059 prohibits the use of cameras to take photographs or video in court buildings without express permission of the court; and

WHEREAS, Supreme Court Administrative Order 2017-079 authorizes the presiding judge to establish court security policies and procedures to provide a safe work environment for judicial employees, litigants and users of the court; and

WHEREAS, Rule 123 of the Arizona Rules of the Supreme Court provides that juror information is protected and therefore jurors are entitled to a certain amount of privacy; and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Maricopa County Sheriff's Office that deputies and detention officers responding to critical incidents activate Body-Worn Cameras to capture the incidents on video;

**THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED** that Administrative Order 2013-059 is amended to permit the use of Body-Worn Cameras by Maricopa County Sheriff's Office deputies and detention officers when responding to critical incidents in court facilities, including courtrooms. Public release of the video will only be permitted after the footage has been successfully edited to mask or otherwise distort the view of any and all persons unrelated to the critical incident including but not limited to judicial officers, staff, jurors, and members of the public.

Dated this 8th day of June, 2018.

/s/ Janet E. Barton

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Janet E. Barton  
Presiding Judge

Original: Clerk of the Superior Court

Copies: Superior Court Judges and Commissioners  
Hon. Chris DeRose, Clerk of the Court  
Sheriff Paul Penzone, Maricopa County Sheriff  
Raymond L. Billotte, Judicial Branch Administrator  
Barbara Broderick, Chief Adult Probation Officer  
Eric Meaux, Chief Juvenile Probation Officer