

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPOINTMENT  
OF JUVENILE HEARING OFFICERS

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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
No. 2025-017

**WHEREAS**, A.R.S. § 8-323 authorizes the presiding judge of the juvenile court to appoint juvenile hearing officers,

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that Peggy Tinsley, Stanley Carbett, Mark Warras, Derek Stephens, and Vernon Powell are hereby appointed as juvenile hearing officers effective this date until retirement, resignation, or termination to handle certain citations as designated by the presiding judge of the juvenile court.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Peggy Tinsley, Stanley Carbett, Mark Warras, Derek Stephens, and Vernon Powell are limited to ordering the appropriate monetary assessment or penalty, suspending a juvenile's driver license or privilege to drive for a period not to exceed 180 days, or directing the department of transportation to refuse to issue, renew or restore the juvenile's driver license or privilege to drive for a period of not to exceed 180 days. As juvenile hearing officers, Peggy Tinsley, Stanley Carbett, Mark Warras, Derek Stephens, and Vernon Powell may determine community service is appropriate and may initially order the payment of the monetary assessment or penalty, but later vacate the monetary assessment or penalty upon proof of completion of a program of work that does not conflict with the juvenile's regular schooling and employment, repair the victim's property or community restitution. If the juvenile fails to appear pursuant to a citation or an order to appear properly issued under A.R.S. § 8-323 or if on disposition fails to comply with any court order, these juvenile hearing officers are also authorized to order the department of transportation to suspend the juvenile's driver license or privilege to drive or shall direct the department of transportation to refuse to issue, renew or restore the juvenile's driver license or privilege to drive until the juvenile reaches eighteen years of age or appears in court as directed or complies with the court's order.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Peggy Tinsley shall be compensated at a rate of \$25.00 per hour up to 8 hours per week, unless otherwise approved by the presiding judge of the juvenile court. As employees of the Juvenile Probation Department, Stanley Carbett, Mark Warras, Derek Stephens, and Vernon Powell shall receive no additional compensation or benefit, fiscal or otherwise, for performing this duty other than the compensation and benefits received as a result of their status as employees of the Juvenile Probation Department.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** terminating Administrative Order No. 2021-042 effective this date.

Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2025.

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

Original: Clerk of the Superior Court

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