

City of Phoenix

*Meeting Location:
City Council Chambers
200 W. Jefferson St.
Phoenix, Arizona 85003*



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Agenda

Tuesday, May 12, 2026

12:30 PM

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City Council Special Meeting

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OPTIONS TO ACCESS THIS MEETING

Virtual Request to speak at a meeting:

- Register online by visiting the City Council Meetings page on phoenix.gov at least 2 hours prior to the start of this meeting. Then, click on this link at the time of the meeting and join the Webex to speak:

<https://phoenixcitycouncil.webex.com/phoenixcitycouncil/j.php?MTID=made0e0c2e1d85fc3b0b03acd1d622041>

- Register via telephone at 602-262-6001 at least 2 hours prior to the start of this meeting, noting the item number. Then, use the Call-in phone number and Meeting ID listed below at the time of the meeting to call-in and speak.

In-Person Requests to speak at a meeting:

- Register in person at a kiosk located at the City Council Chambers, 200 W. Jefferson St., Phoenix, Arizona, 85003. Arrive 1 hour prior to the start of this meeting. Depending on seating availability, residents will attend and speak from the Upper Chambers, Lower Chambers or City Hall location.

- Individuals should arrive early, 1 hour prior to the start of the meeting to submit an in-person request to speak before the item is called. After the item is called, requests to speak for that item will not be accepted.

At the time of the meeting:

- Watch the meeting live streamed on phoenix.gov or Phoenix Channel 11 on Cox Cable, or using the Webex link provided above.

- Call-in to listen to the meeting. Dial 602-666-0783 and Enter Meeting ID 2554 349 3157# (for English) or 2554 883 1665# (for Spanish). Press # again when prompted for attendee ID.

- Watch the meeting in-person from the Upper Chambers, Lower Chambers or City Hall depending on seating availability.

- Members of the public may attend this meeting in person. Physical access to the meeting location will be available starting 1 hour prior to the meeting.

Para nuestros residentes de habla hispana:

- Para registrarse para hablar en español, llame al 602-262-6001 al menos 2 horas antes del inicio de esta reunión e indique el número del tema. El día de la reunión, llame al 602-666-0783 e ingrese el número de identificación de la reunión 2554 883 1665#. El intérprete le indicará cuando sea su turno de hablar.

- Para solamente escuchar la reunión en español, llame a este mismo número el día de la reunión (602-666-0783; ingrese el número de identificación de la reunión 2554 883 1665#). Se proporciona interpretación simultánea para nuestros residentes durante todas las reuniones.

- Para asistir a la reunión en persona, vaya a las Cámaras del Concejo Municipal de Phoenix ubicadas en 200 W. Jefferson Street, Phoenix, AZ 85003. Llegue 1 hora antes del comienzo de la reunión. Si desea hablar, regístrese electrónicamente en uno de los quioscos, antes de que comience el tema. Una vez que se comience a discutir el tema, no se aceptarán nuevas solicitudes para hablar. Dependiendo de cuantos asientos haya disponibles, usted podría ser sentado en la parte superior de las cámaras, en el piso de abajo de las cámaras, o en el edificio municipal.

- Miembros del público pueden asistir a esta reunión en persona. El acceso físico al lugar de la reunión estará disponible comenzando una hora antes de la reunión.

The City Council may vote to convene in executive session, which will not be open to the public, for the purpose of discussing this item pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes Sections 38-431.03(A)1 and 3.

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION (ITEM 1)

- 1 **Chief Presiding Judge Interviews, Possible Appointment and Setting of Salary** Page 5

Request City Council interview and appoint the Chief Presiding Judge.

THIS ITEM IS FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION.

Responsible Department

This item is submitted by Deputy City Manager Amber Williamson and the City Council Office.

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Summary

On February 4, 2026, the City Council approved the appointment of the Interim Chief Presiding Judge for a term beginning on Friday, February 6, 2026, until a recruitment process could be completed to appoint the regular Chief Presiding Judge.

The City received eight applicants for the position that were referred to the Judicial Selection Advisory Board (JSAB). JSAB met on April 2, 2026, and interviewed all eight candidates, recommending three candidates for further consideration by the Phoenix City Council.

The three candidates are to be interviewed by the City Council in a special public meeting on May 12, 2026, in alphabetical order:

- **Wilbur Hudson:** Judge Wilbur Hudson has served as a City of Phoenix Municipal Court Judge since 2014. Before joining the City, he worked as an Attorney. Judge Hudson received his Juris Doctorate from Arizona State University, College of Law in Tempe, Arizona.
- **Michelle Lue Sang:** Judge Michelle Lue Sang has served as a Chandler Municipal Court City Magistrate since 2021. Before joining the City of Chandler, she served as the Interim Presiding Judge and associate judge at Apache Junction Municipal Court. Judge Lue Sang received her Juris Doctorate from Arizona State University, College of Law in Tempe, Arizona.
- **Tina Solomon:** Judge Tina Solomon has served as a City of Phoenix Municipal Court Judge since 2018. Before then, she served as the Assistant City Prosecutor at the City of Phoenix. Judge Solomon received her Juris Doctorate from Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa.

The candidate applications are available online for review at the following link:

<https://www.phoenix.gov/administration/departments/court/judicial-recruitment.html>

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