

Welcome To The Office Of  
**THE CLERK OF THE  
SUPERIOR COURT**  
MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA



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**NEWSFLASH**

***Clerk of Court's website selected as one of the 10 best court websites in the world***

The “www” in the Clerk of the Court’s website address stands for “World Wide Web,” but it could also stand for “World Wide Winner.” That is because it was recognized as one of the **top 10 court websites in the world** by *Justice Served*. *Justice Served*, an alliance of court management and justice experts, reviewed nearly 4,000 court websites throughout the world and selected the Clerk’s website as one of the 10 finest.

This is the 9th year that *Justice Served* has presented this award. This is the second time the Clerk’s Office received a “Top 10” website award. The first time was in 1999, which was the first year of the “Top 10 Court Websites” award program. Since that time, the award program has greatly expanded to reviewing thousands of court websites around the world. According to *Justice Served*, the current winners are “the ultimate models of court online services in the world.”

The following is what the website judges said about the Clerk’s website: “According to our judging criteria, your website contains top notch features and electronic access that is truly best of class.”

The categories of the criteria used to determine the Top 10 website winners were: **Court Tasks, Forms, Self Help, Financial Transaction, Indexing, Web Functionality, Links, Aesthetics, Navigation, Finding the Site, Extras, High Impact, Recent Updates, and Feedback.**

The following is the list of the 2007 Top 10 Court websites in the order they were ranked by *Justice Served*:

- 1) The Subordinate Courts of Singapore - [www.subcourts.gov.sg](http://www.subcourts.gov.sg)
- 2) Courts and Tribunals in Victoria - Australia - [www.courts.vic.gov.au](http://www.courts.vic.gov.au)
- 3) The First Judicial District of Pennsylvania - <http://courts.phila.gov/>
- 4) Clark County Courts (NV) - [www.clarkcountycourts.us](http://www.clarkcountycourts.us)
- 5) Northern Ireland Court Service - [www.courtsni.gov.uk](http://www.courtsni.gov.uk)
- 6) Clerk of the Circuit Court, Hillsborough County (FL) - [www.hillsclerk.com](http://www.hillsclerk.com)



- 7) North Carolina Business Court - [www.ncbusinesscourt.net](http://www.ncbusinesscourt.net)
- 8) Queensland (Australia) E-Court - [www.ecourts.courts.qld.gov.au](http://www.ecourts.courts.qld.gov.au)
- 9) Clerk of the Superior Court, Maricopa County (AZ) - [www.clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov](http://www.clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov)
- 10) Self Help Support - [www.selfhelpsupport.org](http://www.selfhelpsupport.org)

To learn more about the top websites and the award, you may visit the *Justice Served* website at [www.justiceserved.com](http://www.justiceserved.com)

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