

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA  
MARICOPA COUNTY

CV 2023-051480

06/26/2023

HONORABLE JOHN R. HANNAH JR

CLERK OF THE COURT  
A. Walker  
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KARI LAKE

BRYAN JAMES BLEHM

v.

STEPHEN RICHER, et al.

JOSEPH EUGENE LA RUE

JACK O'CONNOR III  
JUDGE HANNAH  
DOCKET CV TX

MINUTE ENTRY

East Court Building – Courtroom 811

1:33 p.m. This is the time set for Oral Argument regarding Maricopa County Defendants [*sic*] Motion to Dismiss Plaintiffs [*sic*] Verified Complaint for Statutory Sepcial [*sic*] Action to Secure Access to Public Recorders [*sic*] from Defendants, filed May 15, 2023. Plaintiff, Kari Lake, is represented by counsel, Bryan J. Blehm. Defendants, Stephen Richer, in his official capacity as the Maricopa County Recorder; Maricopa County Recorder's Office; Rey Valenzuela, in his official capacity as the Maricopa County Director of Elections for Election Services and Early Voting; Scott Jarrett, in his official capacity as the Maricopa County Director of Elections for Election Day and Emergency Voting; Bill Gates, in his individual and official capacity as a Member of the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors; Clint Hickman, in his individual and official capacity as a Member of the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors; Jack Sellers, in his individual and official capacity as a Member of the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors; Thomas Galvin, in his individual and official capacity as a Member of the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors; Steve Gallardo, in his individual and official capacity as a Member of the Maricopa

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County Board of Supervisors; and the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors Elections Division, are represented by counsel, Joseph E. La Rue and Jack O'Connor.

A record of the proceedings is made digitally in lieu of a court reporter.

Argument is presented.

For the reasons as stated on the record,

**IT IS ORDERED** Maricopa County Defendants [*sic*] Motion to Dismiss Plaintiffs [*sic*] Verified Complaint for Statutory Sepcial [*sic*] Action to Secure Access to Public Recorders [*sic*] from Defendants is granted as to all defendants other than Stephen Richer. The motion is otherwise denied.

Discussion is held regarding case status and future proceedings.

2:43 p.m. Matter concludes.