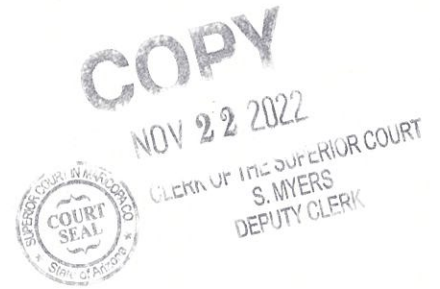




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**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ARIZONA  
 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA**

ABRAHAM HAMADEH, *et al.*,  
 Plaintiffs/Contestants,

v.

KRIS MAYES,  
 Defendant/Contestee,

and

KATIE HOBBS, *et al.*,  
 Defendants.

No. CV 2022--015455

**APPLICATION FOR ORDER TO  
 SHOW CAUSE**

Pursuant to Arizona Rule of Civil Procedure 7.3, Plaintiffs/Contestants respectfully apply for an order to show cause why the relief requested in the Statement of Election Contest should not be granted.

1 Arizona law prescribes a highly compressed timetable for the resolution of election  
2 contests, mandating expedited deadlines for responding to the statement of contest and for  
3 the adjudication of the parties' claims and defenses. *See* A.R.S. §§ 16-675 (setting five day  
4 period to respond to statement of contest), 16-676(A) (requiring hearing within 10 days after  
5 initiation of contest).

6 Because the statewide canvass of the returns of the November 8, 2022 general  
7 election has not yet occurred, the time pressures that attend election contests are alleviated  
8 slightly in this case. Nevertheless, in the interests of facilitating an efficient and expeditious  
9 resolution of these proceedings, Plaintiffs/Contestants respectfully request that the Court set  
10 an Order to Show Cause hearing to address case management and other procedural matters  
11 at the earliest available date on or after November 28, 2022.

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13 DATED this 22nd day of November, 2022.

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