



! National Police Accountability Project Seeks Pro Counsel to Intervene in Case Against Phoenix PD

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Project Title

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Scope of Work

NPAP seeks a firm to co-counsel with them in representing a community group as an intervenor in DOJ's expected case against the City of Phoenix. This litigation opportunity is not as time or resource intensive as NPAP's usual civil rights trial work.

Timing

Please contact Guerby Noel (guerby@lawfirmantiracismalliance.org) by Friday, September 27 if you are interested in learning more about this matter.

Jurisdiction

Federal, AZ

Contact Information

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Description


National Police Accountability Projects has been approached by a community group to represent them as intervenors in the DOJ's expected patterns and practice lawsuit against the City of Phoenix.

The DOJ has **found** that the Phoenix Police Department ("PPD") maintains a number of unconstitutional practices and policies. Because the City has indicated it is unwilling to agree to a consent decree, the DOJ will likely file suit prior to the election, pursuant to its authority under 42 U.S.C. § 14141 and Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Community groups, like our prospective client, will have the opportunity to intervene in the lawsuit. Intervening in the case will give community members a meaningful seat at the table in the effort to reform the PPD.

Unlike traditional Section 1983 pattern and practice lawsuits, the case would not involve a lengthy discovery period.

Subtasks (0)

Reminders(1)

 1 day(s) before