

“Consumer Credit and Debt” and “Representing Yourself in Court” Legal Research Guides Overview

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The Maricopa County Superior Court Law Library Research Guide Series is designed with the self-represented litigant or layperson in mind. These guides are intended to direct such patrons to pertinent laws and resources regarding every day legal questions that are asked frequently in our library. The patron will be referred to a particular research guide, available in print and online, during a reference interview depending on the patron’s needs. With the current economic climate, our library has found an increasing need to refer patrons to the “Consumer Credit and Debt” and “Representing Yourself in Court” research guides. While the guides are Arizona-specific, many of the print self-help resources listed within are publications readily available at most urban public libraries and major bookstores, and, as a result, the guides can easily be adapted for broader application or for application to a different state.

Consumer Credit Research Guide:

<http://www.superiorcourt.maricopa.gov/LawLibrary/Docs/PDF/Guides/CreditDebt.pdf>

Representing Yourself In Court Might Have Some Broader Application Too?

<http://www.superiorcourt.maricopa.gov/LawLibrary/Docs/PDF/Guides/RepresentSelf.pdf>