

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
MARICOPA COUNTY

CV 2016-014907

06/15/2017

HONORABLE DOUGLAS GERLACH

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Deputy

THE TERRACES AT TIBURON
CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION INC

LAUREN A VIE

v.

MARIA A DE SANNA, et al.

JONATHAN A DESSAULES

DOCKET-CIVIL-CCC

JUDGMENT

Pending in this matter is Plaintiff's Application for Attorney's Fees and Costs that was filed on behalf of plaintiff The Terraces at Tiburon Condominium Association, Inc.

By no reasonable standard is the amount of attorney's fees that the Application would have the court award anything other than disproportionate to the effort that was needed to obtain the result that was achieved. See e.g., Response to Application for Attorneys' Fees (5/30/17) at 2-3¹; see also *Baum v. Baum*, 120 Ariz. 140, 146, 584 P.2d 604, 610 (App. 1978) (affirming trial court's award of attorney's fees: when "determining what is a reasonable fee, the trial judge can draw upon his knowledge of the case and upon his own experience"). The award of costs that the Application requests is unsupported with any receipts or other evidence documenting the expenses said to be incurred (and at least some of them may not be recovered even if supporting

¹ Plaintiff's reply (at 2 & n.1) urges incorrectly that the objections to the requested fees are not stated with sufficient specificity.

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documentation exists²). Accordingly, with respect to taxable costs, the court will take judicial notice of the initial filing fee, but nothing more.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Judgment is awarded in favor of plaintiff The Terrace at Tiburon Condominium Association, Inc. and against defendant Maria A. De Sanna in the amount of \$5,535.90 (\$5,175.00 as reasonable attorney's fees and \$360.90 as taxable costs).

2. Interest will accrue on the unpaid amount of the judgment at the legal rate of five percent annually (not compounded) beginning on the date that this judgment is entered.

3. No matters remain pending in this case. This is a final judgment under Ariz. R. Civ. P. 54(c).

Date: June 15, 2017

/ s / HONORABLE DOUGLAS GERLACH

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

² For example, service of process fees may not be recovered absent a showing that a defendant refused a request to waive service of the summons. Ariz. R. Civ. P. 4.1(c)(1(D)), 2). That showing does not accompany plaintiff's statement of costs.