



## Karen Wohlgemuth Explains New Arizona Spousal Maintenance Guidelines in Maricopa Lawyer

The Maricopa County Bar Association published an article by [Karen Wohlgemuth](#) in the latest issue of its official publication, the *Maricopa Lawyer*.

The article, *Family Law Update: New Spousal Maintenance Guidelines and Calculator*, is an expansion of her firm blog [post](#). In both pieces, Karen outlines updates Arizona has made to spousal maintenance awards.

“The new spousal maintenance guidelines will hopefully promote settlements and provide guidance for the parties by having a greater understanding of the potential award.” Karen said. “In addition, we hope to see greater consistency from the bench and adequate awards that a claiming party can rely on to become self-sufficient.”

At Spencer Fane, Karen’s family law practice includes matters related to divorce, premarital agreements, child support, spousal maintenance, grandparent visitation, and post-decree modifications handled through trial, mediation, arbitrations, and other manners of alternative dispute resolution. She also brings experience in civil and commercial litigation.

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