

Court of Appeals, Division One

Criminal

1 CA-CR 25-0115

STATE v. GORDILLO

Appellate Case Information

Case Filed: 26-Mar-2025

Case Closed:

Dept/Composition

Department C

Hon. Andrew M Jacobs
Hon. Brian Y Furuya
Hon. James B Morse Jr.

Side 1. STATE OF ARIZONA, Appellee

(Litigant Group) STATE OF ARIZONA

- State of Arizona

Attorney for: Appellee

Michael O'Toole, Esq. (AZ Bar No. 19555)

Side 2. NOEL JESUS GORDILLO, Appellant

(Litigant Group) NOEL JESUS GORDILLO

- Noel Jesus Gordillo

Attorney for: Appellant

Amy E Bain, Esq. (AZ Bar No. 15092)

CASE STATUS

May 13, 2026... Decision Rendered

Table with 6 columns: PREDECESSOR CASE(S), Cause/Charge/Class, Judgment/Sentence, Judge, Role <Comments>, Trial, Dispo. Row 1: MAR, CR2023-111151-001, Murder 2nd Deg-Intentional, Class 1, 20 Years, Geoffrey H Fish, Sentencing, JURY.

2 OPEN DUE DATES

Motion for Reconsideration Due

Due By:

Thursday, May 28, 2026

Re: MEMORANDUM DECISION (Affirmed) Hon James B Morse Jr. - Author; Hon Andrew M Jacobs - Concur; Hon Brian Y Furuya - Concur

Petition for Review to ASC Due

Due By:

Friday, June 12, 2026

Re: MEMORANDUM DECISION (Affirmed) Hon James B Morse Jr. - Author; Hon Andrew M Jacobs - Concur; Hon Brian Y Furuya - Concur

CASE DECISION

13-May-2026 MEMORANDUM DECISION

James Morse Jr.....Author
Andrew Jacobs.....Concur
Brian Furuya.....Concur

Filed: 13-May-2026

Mandate:

Decision Disposition

Affirmed

57 PROCEEDING ENTRIES

- 1. 26-Mar-2025 FILED: Notice of Appeal from Maricopa County Superior Court filed 03/21/25 - Notification to Court Reporters dated 3/25/25
2. 26-Mar-2025 FILED: Appellate Clerk Notice (31.2(g))
3. 27-Mar-2025 ORDERED: Appointing the Maricopa County Public Defender as counsel for appellant. FURTHER ORDERED: Court Reporters Nicola Bauman, Luz Franco, Kassie Kosmal, Robin Lawlor, Kit Walker, Michele Kaley, Colleen McCarty, Monica Hill-Morrisette, Lisa Bradley, Kristine Mayo, and Lauren Kuhnhehn transcript(s) due by 05/12/2025. Denise McGimsey ProTem Judge - Author
4. 7-Apr-2025 FILED: Courtesy Copy - Designation of Record for Appeal Filed in Superior Court (Appellant)
5. 8-Apr-2025 ORDERED: Ken Crenshaw transcript(s) dated 09/05/2023, 07/17/2024, 10/16/2024, 10/23/2024, 10/28/2024, and 01/13/2025 due by 05/23/2025. FURTHER ORDERED: Court Reporter Monica Hill-Morrisette transcript(s) dated 11/07/2024 due by 05/23/2025. FURTHER ORDERED: Reaffirming previously set due date of 05/12/2025 for transcripts dated 11/26/2024 for Court Reporter Monica Hill-Morrisette. Hon Randall M Howe - Author
6. 14-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 11/25/2024 - Jury Trial - Day 6 (Colleen McCarty)
7. 15-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 12/04/2024 - Jury Trial - Day 10 (Colleen McCarty)
8. 15-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 12/02/2024 - Trial Day 8 (Lisa Bradley)
9. 17-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 11/21/2024 - Jury Trial Day Five (Kit Walker)
10. 17-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 12/10/2024 - Jury Trial Day Thirteen (Kit Walker)
11. 17-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 12/12/2024 - Jury Trial Day Fifteen (Kit Walker)

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12. 21-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 12/11/2024 - Jury Trial - Day 14 (Colleen R. McCarty)
13. 22-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 11/13/2024 - Trial (Voir Dire) (Luz Franco)
14. 22-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 11/19/2024 - Trial (Cont'g) (Luz Franco)
15. 24-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 11/20/2024 - Jury Trial Day 4 (Robin Lawlor)
16. 30-Apr-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 12/09/2024 - Jury Trial (Lauren Kuhnhenh)
17. 2-May-2025 FILED: Additional Record on Appeal  
Physical Exhibits:  
Hearing Date: 11/13/2024 List # 585 586 599 600 611 612 613 643 663 664 688 689 764 765 in manila envelope (in a box)  
Hearing Date: 03/21/2025 List # 1 in manila envelope (in a box)  
Sealed Exhibit:  
Confidential Criminal History Report in Sealed Manila Envelope (in a box)
18. 2-May-2025 FILED: e-Record on Appeal:  
Instruments/Minute Entries: Combined  
Disposition Report: 127  
Digital Exhibits: None sent with e-Record
19. 5-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 11/25/2024 - Trial (Michele Kaley)
20. 5-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 11/26/2024 - Trial (Michele Kaley)
21. 11-May-2025 FILED: Request for Extension of Time to File Transcript (Kristine Rogalewski-Mayo)
22. 12-May-2025 ORDERED: Request for Extension of Time to File Transcript (Kristine Rogalewski-Mayo) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Monday, 05-12-2025 to Wednesday, 06-11-2025 (Transcript for 12/05/2024 by Reporter Kristine Rogalewski-Mayo) or OSC set on 06/18/2025. Hon Randall M Howe - Author
23. 12-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 11/26/2024 - Jury Trial (Monica S Hill-Morrisette)
24. 12-May-2025 FILED: Request for Extension of Time to File Transcript (Nicola Bauman)
25. 13-May-2025 ORDERED: Request for Extension of Time to File Transcript (Nicola Bauman) = GRANTED. Due Dates EXTENDED to 06/11/2025 for Transcripts dated 03/21/2025, 12/03/2024 or OSC set on 06/18/2025. Hon Randall M Howe - Author
26. 13-May-2025 FILED: First Request for Extension of Time to File Transcript (Kassie Kosmal)
27. 15-May-2025 ORDERED: First Request for Extension of Time to File Transcript (Kassie Kosmal) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Monday, 05-12-2025 to Wednesday, 06-11-2025 (Transcript for 11/14/2024 by Reporter Kassie Kosmal) or OSC set on 06/18/2025. Hon Randall M Howe - Author
28. 22-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript -11/07/2024 - Jury Questionnaires (Monica S Hill-Morrisette)
29. 23-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 10/28/2024 - Trial Procedure Conference (Kimberly C. McCright)
30. 23-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 01/13/2025 - Trial Assignment Calendar (Kimberly C. McCright)
31. 23-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 09/05/2023 - Complex Case Management Conference (Kimberly C. McCright)
32. 23-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 07/17/2024 - Final Trial Management Conference (Kimberly C. McCright)
33. 23-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 10/16/2024 - Final Trial Management Conference (Kimberly C. McCright)
34. 23-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 10/23/2024 - Trial Assignment (Kimberly C. McCright)
35. 29-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 12/03/2024 - Jury Trial - Day 9 (Nicola Bauman)
36. 30-May-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 03/21/2025 - Trial on Priors and Sentencing (Nicola Bauman)
37. 6-Jun-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 12/05/2024 - Trial Day 11 (Kristine Mayo)
38. 17-Jun-2025 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 11/14/2024 - Jury Trial (Kassie Kosmal)
39. 20-Jun-2025 FILED: Notice of Completion of Record
40. 25-Jun-2025 FILED: Motion to Withdraw and Substitute New Counsel; Motion to Extend Opening Brief Due Date; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
41. 26-Jun-2025 FILED: Notice of Appearance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
42. 27-Jun-2025 ORDERED: Motion to Withdraw and Substitute New Counsel; Motion to Extend Opening Brief Due Date (Appellant) = GRANTED. FURTHER ORDERED: Appointing attorney Amy Bain as attorney for appellant. FURTHER ORDERED: The opening brief is due by 09/18/2025. Denise McGimsey ProTem Judge - Author

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43.	4-Aug-2025	FILED: Request for an Extension of Time to File an Opening Brief; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
44.	4-Aug-2025	ORDERED: Request for an Extension of Time to File an Opening Brief (Appellant) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Thursday, 09-18-2025 to Monday, 10-20-2025 Denise McGimsey ProTem Judge - Author
45.	20-Oct-2025	FILED: Second Request for Extension of Time to File an Opening Brief; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
46.	20-Oct-2025	ORDERED: Second Request for Extension of Time to File an Opening Brief (Appellant) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Monday, 10-20-2025 to Wednesday, 11-19-2025 Denise McGimsey ProTem Judge - Author
47.	4-Nov-2025	FILED: Appellant's Opening Brief; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
48.	13-Nov-2025	FILED: Notice of Appearance; Certificate of Service (Appellee)
49.	4-Dec-2025	FILED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order (First Request for Extension, Unopposed); Certificate of Service (Appellee)
50.	4-Dec-2025	ORDERED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order (First Request for Extension, Unopposed) (Appellee) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Monday, 12-15-2025 to Monday, 01-12-2026 Denise McGimsey ProTem Judge - Author
51.	12-Jan-2026	FILED: Appellee's Answering Brief; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Appellee)
52.	26-Jan-2026	FILED: Notice of Intent Not to File Reply Brief; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
53.	25-Feb-2026	CLNDR: CONFERENCE, Department C, 4-15-26, COURTROOM 1.
54.	2-Mar-2026	FILED: Memorandum – to Clerk of Superior Court Re: any additional record not already transmitted due within 10 days
55.	12-Mar-2026	FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record
56.	13-May-2026	MEMORANDUM DECISION (Affirmed) Hon James B Morse Jr. - Author; Hon Andrew M Jacobs - Concur; Hon Brian Y Furuya - Concur
57.	13-May-2026	FILED: Decision Distribution Notification