



Superior Court of California
County of Riverside

February 24, 2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

Resumption of Jury Trials

The order suspending jury trials ([General Order NO.: 2022-16](#)) expires Friday, February 25, and will not be renewed. Therefore, jury trials will resume on Monday, February 28. Additionally, General Order No.: 2022-16 limited courtroom access to parties and others participating in proceedings, and required 6 feet of distance among those within a courtroom. These orders will also lapse and will not be renewed at this time.

Finally, the prior orders which require all persons, including judicial officers, to wear a face covering when inside a court facility remain in place (General Order NO.: 2021-29 & General Order NO.: 2021-32). These orders will be revisited as our infection rate continues to drop and CDC guidelines evolve.

HON. JOHN M. MONTEROSSO
Presiding Judge

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

NOTICE

TRANSITION TO ZOOM FOR REMOTE APPEARANCES

Effective March 7, 2022, the Riverside County Superior Court will transition from Webex to the Zoom platform for remote appearances in all case types countywide.

The court is transitioning to Zoom as the video and audio quality are significantly better, court customers are often more familiar with Zoom in their everyday lives, and Zoom is more cost effective for the court.

Zoom is a secure environment. Zoom can be accessed through a computer, tablet, telephone, cellphone, or other electronic or communications device. The new Zoom telephone numbers and meeting ID numbers for the Riverside County Superior Court departments will be listed on the court's website under the Remote Appearance page at www.riverside.courts.ca.gov/PublicNotices/remote-appearances.php.

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HON. JOHN M. MONTEROSSO
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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
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NOTICE

TRANSITION TO ZOOM FOR REMOTE APPEARANCES IN PROBATE

Effective October 1, 2021, all Probate hearings in Riverside County were returned to in person for all departments. However, parties still have the option to appear remotely.

Effective March 7, 2022, the Riverside County Superior Court will transition from Webex to the Zoom platform for optional remote appearances in Probate countywide. Some of the reasons the court is moving to Zoom are as follows:

- The video and audio quality with Zoom are significantly better.
- Court customers and staff are often more familiar with Zoom and the interface is simpler.
- Zoom is a secure environment and more cost effective.

The new Zoom telephone numbers and meeting ID numbers for the respective Probate Departments are set forth in the chart below.

Department	Zoom Information for Probate hearings on 3/7/22 and After
Call	1-833-568-8864 (toll free), 1-669-254-5252, 1-669-216-1590, 1-551-285-1373 or 1-656-828-7666
8	Enter Meeting Number: 161-617-1847 Or join by URL: https://riverside-courts-ca-gov.zoomgov.com/j/1616171847
11	Enter Meeting Number: 161-443-2070 Or join by URL: https://riverside-courts-ca-gov.zoomgov.com/j/1614432070
T1	Enter Meeting Number: 160-976-1261 Or join by URL: https://riverside-courts-ca-gov.zoomgov.com/j/1609761261
PS3	Enter Meeting Number: 160-319-8473 Or join by URL: https://riverside-courts-ca-gov.zoomgov.com/j/1603198473

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Please consult the [court's website](#) frequently for changes and updates. If you have any questions, or if there are any issues with connection to Zoom, please dial (951) 777-3147, during the hours of 7:30a.m. to 4:00p.m.

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Effective January 12, 2022: pursuant to California Rules of Court, Rule 3.672(e), the court adopts Local Rule 3132, Appearing Remotely at Non-Evidentiary Hearings.

Local Rule 3131, Telephonic Case Management Appearances, and Local Rule 3321, Telephonic Law and Motion Appearances, as well as associated forms RI-CI038 and RI-CI039 are suspended until July 1, 2023.

**LOCAL RULE 3132
APPEARING REMOTELY AT NON-EVIDENTIARY HEARINGS**

Unless an in-person appearance is expressly ordered by the court or otherwise required by law, attorneys and self-represented parties are encouraged to appear at non-evidentiary hearings via remote technology rather than in person. By doing so, those persons will be deemed to have requested a remote appearance. No written request to appear remotely is necessary.

Persons intending to appear remotely shall notify all opposing parties of their intention before the hearing. That notice may be given informally, including by telephone, email, or text message. No advance notice to the court of the intention to appear remotely is required prior to the date of the hearing.

If for any reason the court denies the request to allow a remote appearance, the hearing shall be continued to a date at which the parties will be ordered to appear in person.

This rule applies to all general civil cases as defined in California Rules of Court, rule 1.6(4), and to all non-evidentiary hearings in those cases. Non-evidentiary hearings are those in which oral testimony will not be received, such as (a) hearings on motions, demurrers, and ex parte applications; (b) case management proceedings such as case management conferences, status conferences, trial setting conferences, and trial readiness conferences; and (c) hearings in response to orders to show cause other than those for contempt.

This rule shall be in effect until July 1, 2023. Local Rules 3131 and 3321 are suspended until that date.

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Effective February 15, 2022: pursuant to California Rules of Court, Rule 3.672(e), the court adopts Local Rule 5161, Remote Appearances at Non-Evidentiary Hearings in Family Law Cases.

Local Rule 5160, Appearance by Telephone for Family Law Matters, as well as associated form RI-FL679 are suspended until July 1, 2023.

**LOCAL RULE 5161
REMOTE APPEARANCES AT NON-EVIDENTIARY HEARINGS IN FAMILY LAW
CASES**

Unless an in-person appearance is expressly ordered by the court or otherwise required by law, attorneys and self-represented litigants intending to appear remotely shall notify all opposing parties of their intention before the hearing. That notice may be given informally, including by telephone, email or text message. No advance notice to the court of the intention to appear remotely is required prior to the date of the hearing.

If for any reason the court determines that an in-person appearance is required, the hearing may be continued to a date at which the parties will be ordered to appear in person.

This rule applies to all non-evidentiary hearings in cases brought under the Family Code. Non-evidentiary hearings are those in which oral testimony will not be received, such as (a) hearings on motions, request for orders and ex-parte applications; (b) case management proceedings such as case status conferences, mandatory settlement conferences and trial readiness conferences; and (c) hearings in response to orders to show cause other than those for contempt.

This rule shall be in effect until July 1, 2023. Local Rule 5160 is suspended until that date.

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