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LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-AR01-1
ASSIGNMENT OF CRIMINAL CASES
AND SPECIAL JUDGE ASSIGNMENT

The Courts of Scott County, Indiana, adopt the following rules for the assignment of criminal cases and the selection of special judges in criminal cases:

A. All criminal cases (MR, F1, F2, F3, F4, F5, F6, CM) shall be filed in Circuit Court regardless of the level of felony or misdemeanor except as set forth in Paragraph C of this rule.

B. All other criminal cases or proceedings, including infractions (IF), miscellaneous criminal (MC), expungements (XP), post-conviction relief (PC), and Red Flag (RF) (criminal), shall be filed in Circuit Court.

C. When there is a recusal by the sitting Judge, or when a motion for change of Judge has been granted, then, pursuant to Rule 21 of the Indiana Administrative Rules, the case shall be assigned to another full-time Scott County judicial officer on a rotating basis.

D. If a full-time Scott County judicial officer is unavailable to serve as special judge, the case may be assigned to a senior judge who has agreed to serve as a special judge before proceeding to section E.

E. If the case cannot be assigned to a Scott County judicial officer or a senior judge, the Administrative District's Assignment Judge shall assign a judge randomly from the list of full-time judges of the following Courts, consisting of Courts in contiguous counties and Courts within the Administrative District:

1. Jennings Circuit Court
2. Jefferson Circuit Court
3. Jefferson Superior Court
4. Jefferson Circuit and Superior Courts Magistrate
5. Washington Circuit Court
6. Washington Superior Court
7. Jackson Superior Court 1
8. Jennings Superior Court
9. Jackson Superior Court 2
10. Jackson Circuit Court

11. Clark Circuit Court 1
12. Clark Circuit Court 2
13. Clark Circuit Court 3
14. Clark Circuit Court 4
15. Clark Circuit Court 5
16. Clark Circuit Court 6
17. Clark Circuit Courts Magistrate #1
18. Clark Circuit Courts Magistrate #2
19. Clark Circuit Courts Magistrate #3
20. Clark Circuit Courts Magistrate #4
21. Floyd Circuit Court
22. Floyd Superior Court 1
23. Floyd Superior Court 2
24. Floyd Superior Court 3
25. Floyd Circuit and Superior Court Magistrate
26. Senior Judges who agree to serve as Special Judge

**LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-CR00-2
DISCOVERY**

A. Generally. At the time of the Initial Hearing, the Court shall enter its general order on discovery applicable to both the State of Indiana and the defendant.

B. Compliance by State. The State of Indiana shall comply with the Court's discovery order and provide discovery to the defendant within thirty (30) days of the initial hearing. Such discovery shall be supplemented as it becomes available to the State.

C. Compliance by Defendant. The Defendant, by counsel, shall comply with the Court's discovery order and provide discovery to the State of Indiana within forty-five (45) days of the initial hearing. Such discovery shall be supplemented as it becomes available to the Defendant.

I. STATE DISCLOSURE

The State shall disclose to the defense the following material and information within

its possession or control on or before 30 days of the date of the initial hearing in this cause.

- a. The names and last known addresses of persons whom the State may call as witnesses, together with their relevant written or recorded statements, memoranda containing substantially verbatim reports of their oral statements, and a list of memoranda reporting or summarizing their oral statements.
- b. Any written or recorded statements and the substance of any oral statements made by the accused or by a co-defendant, and a list of witnesses to the making and acknowledgement of such statements.
- c. A transcript of those portions of Grand Jury minutes containing testimony of persons whom the prosecuting attorney may call as witnesses at the hearing or trial, as designated by the defense after listening to the recording of testimony.
- d. Any reports or statements of experts, made in connection with the particular case, including results of physical or mental examinations and of scientific tests, experiments or comparisons.
- e. And books, papers, documents, photographs or tangible objects which the prosecuting attorney intends to use in hearing or trial or which were obtained from or belong to the accused.
- f. A record of prior criminal convictions which may be used for impeachment of the persons whom the State intends to call as witnesses at the hearing or trial.
- g. Any evidence which tends to negate the guilt of the accused as to the offense charged or would tend to mitigate his punishment.

The State may perform these obligations in any manner mutually agreeable to itself and defense counsel or by notifying defense counsel that material and information described in general terms may be inspected, obtained, tested, copied or photographed, at specified reasonable times and places.

II. DEFENDANT DISCLOSURE

The defense shall disclose to the State the following material and information within its possession or control on or before 45 days of the date of the initial hearing in this cause.

- a. The names and addresses of persons whom the defendant may call as witnesses along with a copy of their written statements or a summary of their oral statements and a record of their prior criminal convictions.

- b. Any books, papers, documents, photographs, or tangible objects which are intended to be used at a hearing or trial.
- c. Any medical or scientific reports relating to defendant or defendant's evidence which may be used at a hearing or trial.
- d. A defense, procedural or substantive, the defendant intends to make at a hearing or trial.

III. Any objections to discovery order must be filed within 21 days of the date of the initial hearing in this cause.

IV. Discovery is a continuing Order through trial. No written motion is required except to compel discovery for a protective order or for an extension of time.

LOCAL RULE LR72-AR15-3 COURT REPORTER SERVICES

A. Definitions. The following definitions shall apply under this Local Rule.

[1] *Court Reporter* – a person who is specifically designated by a court to perform the official court reporting services for the court including preparing a transcript of the record.

[2] *Equipment* – physical items owned by the court or other governmental entity and used by a court reporter in performing court reporting services. Equipment shall include, but not be limited to, telephones, computer hardware, software programs, disks, tapes, and any other device used for recording, storing and transcribing electronic data.

[3] *Work space* – that portion of the court's facilities dedicated to each court reporter, including but not limited to actual space in the courtroom and any designated office space.

[4] *Page* – the page unit of transcript which results when a recording is transcribed in the form required by Indiana Rules of Appellate Procedure.

[5] *Recording* – the electronic, mechanical, stenographic, or other recording made as required by Indiana Rules of Trial Procedure.

[6] *Regular hours worked* – those hours which the court is regularly scheduled to work during any given work week. Depending on the particular court, these hours may vary from court to court within the county but remain the same for each work week.

[7] *Gap hours worked* – those hours worked that are in excess of the regular

hours worked but not in excess of forty (40) hours per work week.

[8] *Overtime hours worked* – those hours worked in excess of forty (40) hours per work week.

[9] *Work week* – a seven (7) consecutive day week that consistently begins and ends on the same days throughout the year, i.e., Sunday through Saturday, Wednesday through Tuesday, Friday through Thursday.

[10] *Court* – the particular court for which the court reporter performs services. Court may also mean all the courts in Scott County.

[11] *County indigent transcript* – a transcript that is paid for from county funds and is for the use on behalf of a litigant who has been declared indigent by a court.

[12] *State indigent transcript* – a transcript that is paid for from state funds and is for the use of a litigant who has been declared indigent by a court.

[13] *Private transcript* – a transcript, including but not limited to a deposition transcript, that is paid for by a private party.

B. Salaries. Court reporters shall be paid an annual salary for regular hours spent working under the control, direction, and direct supervision of the Court. Said salary shall be determined annually by the Court and shall be paid as other County salaries are paid.

1.
 - a. Regular working hours shall be 35 hours per week.
 - b. Gap hours shall be hours worked in excess of 35 hours but not in excess of 40 hours per week.
 - c. Overtime hours shall be hours worked in excess of 40 hours.
2. That for any gap or overtime hours worked, the Court and the Court Reporter shall enter into a written agreement whereby compensation for such work shall be as follows:
 - a. Compensatory time off from regular work hours shall be given in an amount equal to the number of gap hours worked, and
 - b. Compensatory time off from regular work hours shall be given in the amount of one and one-half (1 ½) times the number of overtime hours worked.
3. Per Page Fees. The maximum per-page fee a court reporter may

charge for the preparation of a county indigent transcript shall be five dollars and fifty cents (\$5.50) per page. The court reporter shall submit a claim directly to the county for the preparation of any county indigent transcripts.

The maximum per-page fee a court reporter may charge for the preparation of a state indigent transcript shall be five dollars and fifty cents (\$5.50) per page.

The maximum per-page fee a court reporter may charge for the preparation of a private transcript shall be five dollars and fifty cents (\$5.50) per page.

If the Court Reporter is requested to prepare an expedited transcript, the maximum per-page fee shall be ten dollars and fifty cents (\$10.50) per page where the transcript must be prepared within 24 hours or less, and seven dollars and fifty cents (\$7.50) per page where the transcript must be prepared within three working days. Index and Table of Contents will be charged at the same rate as the other pages.

C. Minimum fee. A minimum fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) will be charged for transcripts less than ten (10) pages in length, or seventy-five dollars for an expedited transcript of less than ten (10) pages in length.

D. Binding and Disk Fees. An additional fee shall be added to the costs of the transcript for:

1. The time spent binding the transcript, exhibit, index, and index volumes at an hourly rate based on the court reporter's hourly rate.
2. The costs of office supplies required and utilized for binding and transmission of the transcript pursuant to Indiana Rules of Appellate Procedure 28 and 29. Said costs shall be pursuant to a Schedule of Transcript Supplies, established and published annually by the courts.

E. Annual Report Requirements. Each court reporter shall report, at least on an annual basis, all transcript fees received for the preparation of either county indigent, state indigent, or private transcripts to the Indiana Supreme Court Office of Court Services. The reporting shall be made on forms prescribed by the Office of Court Services.

F. Private Practice. If a court reporter elects to engage in private practice through the recording of a deposition and/or preparing a deposition transcript, all such

private practice work shall be conducted outside regular working hours, and the Court's equipment, work space, and supplies shall not be used for such purposes.

G. Disk as Official Record. Upon the filing of a written request or praecipe for a transcript, the court reporter shall transcribe any court proceeding requested and produce an original paper transcript along with an electronically formatted transcript. Multiple disks containing the electronically formatted transcript shall be prepared and designated as "Original Transcript", "Court Reporter's Copy", and "Court's Copy". Each disk shall be labeled to identify the case number, the names of parties, the date completed, the court reporter's name, and the disk number if more than one disk is required for a complete transcript. The court's copy of the electronic transcript shall become the official record of the court proceeding, in lieu of a paper copy of the transcript, and shall be retained in the court where said proceeding was held. The court reporter's copy shall be retained by the court reporter. The original paper transcript, along with the disk designated as the original transcript, shall be forwarded to the Clerk if the transcript was prepared for the purposes of appeal. If the transcript was not prepared for purposes of appeal, the original paper transcript shall be delivered to the requesting party.

(Amended effective January 1, 2017)

LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-AR01-4 ALLOCATION OF JUDICIAL RESOURCES

A. Not later than May 15 of each year, all regular Judges of the Scott Circuit and Superior Court shall meet, in person, telephonically, or other means, and shall evaluate each Court's caseload data, as reported to the Office of Judicial Administration.

B. The caseload evaluation shall factor in any special circumstances, such as death penalty cases and service on judicial or county boards, committees, district judicial leadership positions, and local administration.

C. Service as transfer judge or special judge. Time spent doing special or transfer judge service by each Judge outside his or her court and special judge service or transfer judge service in each Court shall also be included.

D. Based upon the foregoing caseload evaluation for each court within the county, the designated Judge shall develop and maintain a roster reflecting the weighted caseloads of

each court and the judicial officer need or surplus in each court. Any plan for adjustment of caseload should then compare that need or surplus to the utilization range established in Administrative Rule 1(E).

E. Should the above said evaluation indicate that the weighted caseloads of any Court are not within the county range, the Judges shall adopt a plan whereby (a) case type filings are shifted, or (b) cases are transferred between courts pursuant to I.C. 33-29-1-9, (c) Judges sit as Judge of the other court pursuant to I.C. 33-29-1-10, as to bring all courts within the range.

F. Civil Cases: All Civil Plenary, Mortgage Foreclosure, Civil Collection, Civil Tort, Eviction, and Miscellaneous cases (PL, MF, CC, CT, EV, and MI) shall be filed in Superior Court, except as provided by statute or as otherwise indicated below. Other civil proceedings as identified by Rule 8 of the Indiana Administrative Rules shall be filed as follows:

1. Civil and Miscellaneous Cases (MI or PL) relating to driving privileges, waiver of reinstatement fees, forfeiture of funds from criminal cases, or any other matters in which the Scott County Prosecutor's Office is involved and/or is a party shall be filed in Circuit Court.
2. Domestic Relations Cases: All Domestic Relations Cases, Divorces with Children (DC) and Divorces Without Children (DN) shall be filed in Superior Court. Grandparent Visitation (GV) cases shall be filed in Superior Court.
3. Small Claims (SC): All Small Claims cases shall be filed in Superior Court.
4. Mental Health (MH): All Mental Health cases shall be filed in Circuit Court.
5. Juvenile Delinquency (JD, JS, JM): All Juvenile Delinquency and non-child in need of services-related Juvenile Miscellaneous shall be filed in Circuit Court.
6. Juvenile Paternity (JP): All Juvenile Paternity cases shall be filed in Circuit Court.
7. Child in Need of Services (JC, JT, JM): All Child in Need of Services, Terminations, and child in need of services-related Juvenile Miscellaneous cases shall be filed in Superior Court.
8. Probate, Guardianships and Estates (ES, EU, EM, GU, TR): All Guardianship, Trust, and Estate cases shall be filed in Circuit Court. All Adoptions (AD) shall be filed in Superior Court. Any Guardianship (GU) cases involving a child subject to an active CHINS petition or Adoption shall be filed in Superior Court.
9. Reciprocal Support (RS): All Reciprocal Support cases shall be filed in Circuit

Court.

10. Ordinances (OV, OE): All Ordinance violations shall be filed in the Superior Court.

11. Tax Cases (TS and TP): All tax-related cases shall be filed in Circuit Court.

12. Commercial Court Eligible (CE): All commercial court eligible cases shall be filed in Superior Court (to be used when filing a civil case that is eligible for the Commercial Court Docket pursuant to Commercial Court Rule 2).

13. Judicial Review of Administrative Agency Decisions (RA): All petitions for judicial review of administrative agency decisions pursuant to IC 4-21.5-5 shall be filed in Superior Court.

14. Red Flag (RF) (civil): All civil red flag cases shall be filed in the Circuit Court.

G. Any action involving a land contract as defined in I.C. 24-4.4-1-301(36) shall be filed as a civil action and not as a small claims case.

H. Proceedings for an order of protection (PO) under I.C. 34-26-2-1 et. seq. shall be filed in Scott Superior Court, with the exception that the protective order proceeding shall be filed in Scott Circuit Court if there is a pending dissolution (DR) or paternity (JP) case filed there or if the Petitioner or Respondent is a juvenile. The Clerk of Courts shall inquire of a petitioner if such dissolution or paternity case is pending in this county or any other county before assigning the case to a court. Prior to referring a petitioner in a protective order proceeding to the appropriate court, the Clerk of Courts shall review the petition as to the completion of that petition to ensure that the petition contains all appropriate and available information.

I. The following juvenile and domestic relations cases shall be assigned by the Clerk to a special judge:

1. Paternity (JP) and Reciprocal (RS) cases filed before January 1, 2017.
2. Domestic Relations (DR) cases filed in Scott Circuit Court before January 1, 2017, for which there was representation by the Title IV-D Office of the Scott County Prosecuting Attorney's Office between January 1, 2005, and December 31, 2016.
3. Domestic Relations cases (DR, DN, or DC) filed in Scott Superior Court for which there is or was representation by the Title IV-D Office of the Scott County Prosecuting Attorney's Office on or after January 1, 2017.

LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-JR2-5
JURY SYSTEM

A. Pursuant to Indiana Jury Rules 2 and 4, the Courts adopt the Single Tier Notice and Summons provision. The Jury Administrators shall send a Summons at the same time as the Jury Qualification form and notice are mailed. The Judges of the Scott Circuit Court and the Superior Court hereby appoint the Clerk of the Scott County Courts as the Jury Administrator under Indiana Jury Rule 2.

B. Juror questionnaires shall be handled in accordance with Jury Rule 10 and Indiana Administrative Rule 9(G)(1)(b)(xii). Thus, juror questionnaires may not be recopied, duplicated, or distributed by counsel or the parties, and shall be returned to the Court at the conclusion of trial in order to safeguard juror privacy.

LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-AR00-6
TRANSFER

The Judge of the Circuit Court or Superior Courts in accordance with I.C. 33-29-6 et. seq., by appropriate order entered in the Record of Judgments and Orders, may transfer and reassign to another court of record in the county a pending felony, misdemeanor, or infraction, provided the receiving court has jurisdiction to hear such case and accepts jurisdiction of the matter.

LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-AR00-7
AUTHORITY TO ACT AS SITTING JUDGE

The Judge of Circuit Court or Superior Court may, in accordance with I.C. 33-29-1-10, sit as Judge of the other court in any matter as if that judge were elected to that court.

LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-AR12-8
FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

Pursuant to Rule 5 of the Indiana Rules of Trial Procedure and Indiana Administrative Rule 12, the Scott Circuit Court and the Scott Superior Court authorize electronic facsimile filing and designate 812-752-8431 for the Scott Circuit Court and 812-752-8425 for the Scott Superior Court. Filing by electronic facsimile transmission shall be subject to the requirements of Indiana Administrative Rule 12. In addition to the provisions, the party submitting the filing by electronic

facsimile transmission shall submit an original document to the respective court. The courts may, by joint order, assess an electronic facsimile transmission fee pursuant to Indiana Administrative Rule 12(E).

LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-TR4-9
SERVICE OF PROCESS

It shall be the duty of every person filing a pleading that requires service to clearly designate the manner of service (e.g., certified mail or sheriff). If service is to be by certified mail, the person shall tender to the Clerk of Courts a completed certified mail return card and receipt with the cause number typed or printed on the mail return card. If service by certified mail, return receipt requested is the requested form of service after the initial filing of a lawsuit or claim, sufficient postage must be provided to the Clerk of Courts.

LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-TR7-10
MOTIONS

A. The Judges of the Circuit and Superior Court recognize that there are many motions and proceedings that are filed that are non-dispositive, routine, and/or procedural in nature (by way of example: motions to extend time for discovery or responses, amendments). In lieu of requesting a hearing on such motions, the movant may submit a notice of ruling stating that the respective court will rule on the motion and enter its order upon such motion on a Monday at 1:00 p.m., which date shall be no earlier than seven (7) days from the filing of the motion.

B. This rule does not apply to motions to continue or to motions and time periods otherwise provided in the Indiana Trial Rules, Criminal Rules, or Statutes. This rule does not apply to provisional proceedings in dissolution or paternity proceedings.

LOCAL RULE NO. LR72-TR53.5-11
MOTIONS TO CONTINUE

A. A motion for a continuance of a hearing or trial shall be in writing and accompanied by an order which shall contain adequate space for the insertion of a new time and date for rescheduling purposes and the time required for the hearing. A motion to

continue shall be filed no later than ten (10) days prior to the scheduled hearing date for a trial on the merits or seven (7) days on any other hearing, unless the movant can show good cause as to why the motion could not have been timely filed.

B. A motion to continue shall set forth the scheduled date, the reason for the continuance, and the specific length of time the moving party desires the case to be continued. Every motion to continue shall contain a statement of agreement or objection from the opposing parties, obtained by the moving party after having made inquiry of opposing parties. Failure to state a position of opposing parties will prevent any court action on a motion to continue.

C. If the parties do not agree on a continuance of a hearing, either party may schedule a telephone conference with the Court for the purpose of discussing the motion to continue or the objection to the continuance.

LR72-TR79-12

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL JUDGES

A. Selection of Assignment Judge. On or before October 1st of each year, the Judges of the Circuit and Superior Courts of Scott County shall meet with the presiding judges of Administrative District 23 for the purpose of selecting a judge designated as the assignment judge who shall serve the Administrative District for a period of twelve (12) months.

B. Section H Appointments. In the event it becomes necessary to appoint a special judge under Section H of Trial Rule 79 of the Indiana Rules of Trial Procedure, the judge before the case is pending shall send notice of the need of the appointment of a special judge to the Administrative District's assignment judge who shall then make such assignment within five (5) days of receiving said notice.

C. When there is a recusal by the sitting Judge, or when a motion for change of Judge has been granted, the case shall be assigned to another full-time Scott County judicial officer on a rotating basis.

D. Method of Assignment. If the case cannot be assigned to a Scott County judicial officer, the Administrative District's assignment judge shall select a special judge from a roster of the full-time judges in the Administrative District. The assignments shall be in a sequential order beginning with the name of the judge following the last judge so assigned. If, however, a

judge is otherwise disqualified to hear a particular case, that judge shall be deemed to be the next in sequence until assigned a case. The assignment judge shall maintain a record of all assignments and shall issue a summary report of the assignments on a quarterly basis.

E. Roster of Full-Time Judges. The roster of available judges in Administrative District 23 shall be maintained by Court designation in the following sequential order.

1. Clark Circuit #1
2. Clark Circuit #2
3. Clark Circuit #3
4. Clark Circuit #4
5. Clark Circuit #5
6. Clark Circuit #6
7. Clark Circuit Courts Magistrate #1
8. Clark Circuit Courts Magistrate #2
9. Clark Circuit Courts Magistrate #3
10. Clark Circuit Courts Magistrate #4
11. Floyd Circuit
12. Floyd Superior #1
13. Floyd Superior #2
14. Floyd Superior #3
15. Floyd Circuit and Superior Courts Magistrate
16. Senior Judges who agree to serve as Special Judge

F. Appointment Order. Upon selecting a special judge, the assignment judge shall prepare an Order of Appointment and forward said Order to the judge before whom the case is pending and enter an Order of Appointment and forward a copy of the Order to the special judge and the attorneys of record.

G. Acceptance of Jurisdiction. The Order of Appointment, when entered by the judge before whom the case is pending, shall constitute acceptance of jurisdiction by the appointed special judge unless the judge is otherwise disqualified, and no special appearance, oath or additional evidence of acceptance shall be required

H. Form of Order. The Order of Appointment shall be in the following form:

IN THE _____ COURT FOR _____ COUNTY

STATE OF INDIANA

(Caption)

ORDER OF APPOINTMENT

Under the provisions of Trial Rule 79(H) of the Indiana Rules of Trial Procedures, the Honorable _____ of the _____ Court of _____ County is hereby appointed to serve as special judge in the above-captioned case.

SO ORDERED AND ASSIGNED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, _____ BY
THE ASSIGNMENT JUDGE FOR THE 23RD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Assignment Judge

I. Implementation of Rule. In the event a selected Judge does not accept an appointment to serve as a special Judge under the provisions of section (D), (E) or (F) of Trial Rule 79 of the Indiana Rules of Trial Procedure, the judge before whom the case is pending shall notify the assignment judge of the need for an appointment of a special judge under this local rule.

J. Certification to the Supreme Court. If, under the provisions of this rule, no judge is eligible to serve as a special judge in a case, the assignment judge shall notify the judge before whom the case is pending, who shall then certify such fact to the Indiana Supreme Court for the appointment of a special judge.

If the judge before whom the case is pending is of the opinion that the particular circumstances of a case warrant selection of a special judge by the Indiana Supreme Court, said judge shall certify such facts to the Indiana Supreme Court for the appointment of a special Judge. Under such circumstances, this Rule shall not be implemented unless the Indiana Supreme Court declines to appoint a special Judge.

LR72-FL01-13
SCOTT COUNTY CO-PARENTING PROGRAM

In any dissolution of marriage, paternity, or legal separation proceeding where there remain minor children born of the marriage or relationship, both the father and mother shall complete the Scott County Co-Parenting Program or equivalent program approved by the Court within sixty (60) days of the filing of the petition and file with the Court a certificate of completion. Each party shall bear their own costs for the program. No final hearing shall be conducted until both parties have completed the program. Failure to complete the program for the purposes of delay or vexation shall be punishable by contempt. The Courts may also require parties to an existing dissolution of marriage or paternity case that was filed prior to the institution of this program to participate in the program as a part of the Court's continuing jurisdiction of these cases.

LR72-AR00-14
UNRULY OR DISRUPTIVE CONDUCT PROHIBITED

The Judges of Scott County, including any duly appointed Magistrate, Referee, Judge Pro Temp, Special Judge or Senior Judge, or any Judicial Officer, Law Enforcement, Courthouse Security and Court Staff have the authority to remove any person whom in their opinion is being unruly, disruptive, disorderly, disrespectful, or otherwise using profanity or engaging in conduct which disturbs or hinders the operation of the Courts.

LR72-AR00-15
COURTHOUSE SECURITY

No guns, knives, or weapons of any kind shall be allowed in the Scott County Courthouse except those in possession of law enforcement or other persons duly authorized by the Judges or the Scott County Commissioners to possess the same in the Courthouse. Law enforcement, Courthouse Security, or Court Staff are authorized to conduct searches of anyone in the Courthouse to ensure compliance with this Rule.

Security cameras, in keeping with professional judicial standards, are authorized within the Courtrooms and under such terms and conditions as approved by the Judges. The provisions of this rule apply to the security devices within the Courtrooms. No recordings or

reproductions from such security cameras shall be made without the approval of the Judges and no recordings made from such cameras shall be used for any purpose without the approval of the Judges.

LR72-AR00-16
PHOTOGRAPHY AND BROADCASTING PROHIBITED

A. The Judges of the Scott Circuit and Superior Courts hereby specifically adopt RULE 2.17 OF THE INDIANA CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT as if re-written herein.

The Rule provides in part that a judge should prohibit the broadcasting, televising, and recording or taking photographs in the courtroom and areas immediately adjacent thereto during sessions of court and recesses between sessions except as provided in sections (1) through (3) of that Rule. In compliance with this rule, excluding the area within the office of the Scott County Prosecuting Attorney, broadcasting, televising, recording, and taking of photographs are prohibited on the entire second floor of the Scott County Courthouse, given the limited space and the close proximity of the courtrooms, jury room, and offices of the court staff.

B. All phones or electronic devices shall be turned off, silent, and not in use while within the Circuit and Superior Courtrooms.

C. On a limited basis, photographs may be taken when authorized by the Judges.

LR72-CR00-17
SCOTT SUPERIOR COURT
ALCOHOL AND DRUG PROGRAM FEES

Comes now the Scott County Courts, who collectively find and order as follows:

1.	DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED, DUI/OWI	\$400.00
2.	POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE OR PARAPHERNALIA	\$400.00
3.	PUBLIC INTOXICATION	\$300.00
4.	ILLEGAL CONSUMPTION OR POSSESSION	\$300.00
5.	OTHER ALCOHOL AND/OR DRUG OFFENSE	\$400.00

6.	TRANSFER FEE	\$100.00
7.	PRE TRIAL DIVERSION PLAN	\$300.00
8.	ASSESSMENT W/RECOMMENDATION	\$150.00
9.	TREATMENT REFERRAL & CASE MANAGEMENT	\$175.00
10.	EDUCATION REFERRAL & CASE MANAGEMENT	\$300.00

LR72-CR00-18
PROBLEM-SOLVING COURT FEES

A. Those persons directed to participate in a Problem-Solving Court may be required to pay a \$100 administrative fee per admission to the Problem-Solving Court for initial problem-solving court services, regardless of the length of participation in the Problem-Solving Court, in accordance with I.C. 33-23-16-23. The clerk of court shall collect and transmit these fees within thirty (30) days after the fees are collected, for deposit by the auditor or fiscal officer in the county user fee fund established under I.C. 33-37-8.

B. Those persons directed to participate in a Problem-Solving Court may also be required to pay \$50 per month beginning with the second month of participation and for each month thereafter for the duration of participation in the problem-solving court in accordance with I.C. 33-23-16-23. The clerk of court shall collect and transmit these fees within thirty (30) days after the fees are collected, for deposit by the auditor or fiscal officer in the county user fee fund established under I.C. 33-37-8.

C. Any assessed fee may be waived by Order of the Problem-Solving Court to avoid financial hardship, upon termination, subsequent disqualification from the Problem-Solving Court, or for any other reasonable circumstances determined by the Problem-Solving Court.