

## **Presence of Hearing Participants, Effective June 1, 2022**

### **Remote Appearances (Zoom) – Appearances may be remote for the following hearings:**

Petition for a Change of Name  
Ex-parte Protection Order Hearings  
Small Claim Court Mediation Hearings  
Civil motions without testimony (defaults, summary judgment, etc.)  
Mitigation and Contested Infraction Hearings  
Criminal Matters not set forth below under Physical Appearance Required\*  
Uncontested Probation Review

### **Physical Appearance Required – Appearances must be in person for the following hearings, including appearances by interpreters:**

Civil Matters not set forth above under Remote Appearances  
Arraignment, unless waived pursuant to CrRLJ 4.1(g)  
Evidentiary Motions  
Guilty Plea  
Entry of Deferred Prosecution  
Entry of Stipulated Order of Continuance  
Sentencing  
Probation Review Fact Finding Hearings  
EHD and SCRAM violation hearings  
Full Order hearings  
Impound hearings  
Criminal Bench and Jury Trials  
Civil Bench and Jury Trials  
Small Claim Trials

### **At the Discretion of the Judicial Officer**

Mental Health Court  
Relicensing Accountability Program (RAP)

### **Other Requirements**

- **\*Prosecutor** – The prosecutor shall be physically present for all appearances, with the exception of the in-custody calendar. The prosecutor may be present remotely for the in-custody calendar.
- **Defendant's attorney** – The defendant's attorney shall be physically present if the defendant is required to be physically present. For in-custody calendars, counsel shall appear at the jail.
- **Interpreters** – Interpreters shall be physically present if the hearing participant needing services is required to be physically present. This includes being present at the jail for the in-custody calendar.
- **Modifications** - Requirements to be physically present or remotely present may be modified at the discretion of the judicial officer assigned to the hearing.