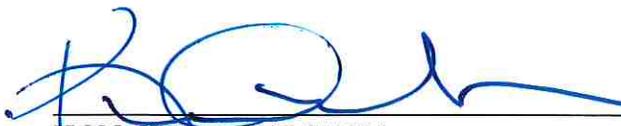


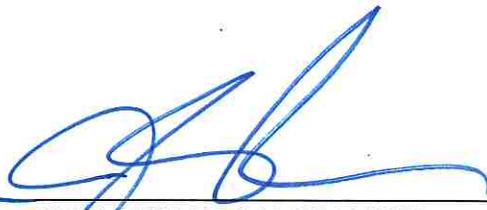
**STANDING ORDER**  
**IN RE: MOTIONS FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT PRACTICE**  
**58<sup>TH</sup>, 60<sup>TH</sup>, 136<sup>TH</sup> & 172<sup>ND</sup>**  
**CIVIL DISTRICT COURTS**

Upon the filing of a summary judgment and pursuant to Texas Government Code §23.303, as added by S.B. 293, Acts of the 89th Legislature, Regular Session, 2025, and effective September 1, 2025, all summary judgments filed on or after September 1, 2025, shall be heard within 60 days of filing. To ensure the Courts are in compliance with the new rule, a notice of hearing is to be filed contemporaneously with the filing of a motion for summary judgment. The notice of hearing shall be filed as a separate document. Absent a setting by the movant, the summary judgment shall be set by the court. Once set by the Court, the hearing time and date will not be subject to reset without a showing of good cause, made in writing and ruled on by the Court.

*Timing of Summary Judgment.* Absent leave of court, no summary judgment shall be filed until the expiration of the discovery period. If a summary judgment is filed prior to the expiration of the discovery period, an order shall be entered by the courts denying the motion based on the premature filing. Once the discovery period expires, the movant may request a rehearing on the summary judgment. A notice of hearing is to be filed along with the request for rehearing.

SIGNED: OCTOBER 20, 2025

  
HON. KENT WALSTON,  
58<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT COURT

  
HON. JUSTIN SANDERSON,  
60<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT COURT

  
HON. BAYLOR WORTHAM,  
136<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT COURT

  
HON. MITCH TEMPLETON,  
172<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT COURT