

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
HUDSPETH COUNTY, TEXAS

394th DISTRICT COURT

Standing Order Regarding Self-Represented Litigants

To assist the Court in conducting its uncontested docket in an efficient manner, IT IS ORDERED that self-represented litigants in uncontested family law cases in the 394th District Court after September 1, 2026, must have their proposed final orders review by the Hudspeth Domestic Relations Office (DRO).

Required criteria:

- A petition for divorce, a suit affecting the parent child relationship, or other family law case is pending in Hudspeth County.
- The suit is uncontested, either by agreement (decree/order is signed by the other party) or a default (other party has signed a global waiver or has been served and failed to file an answer following the prescribed time-period); and
- No party to the suit is presently represented by an attorney.

As available, DRO staff attorneys shall review the final order/decree, any necessary attachments, and any other necessary documents. When satisfied the forms are complete, the DRO shall provide the self-represented litigants with a completed Uncontested Docket Checklist. DRO staff attorneys do not provide legal advice or represent the self-represented litigant(s).

The litigants presenting the suit shall provide the Uncontested Docket Checklist to the court at least one week prior to setting the case on the uncontested docket.

IT IS SO ORDERED on this 9th day of September 2026.

FILED
IN DISTRICT COURT

SEP 10 2026

At 8:00 O'Clock 4 M.
District Clerk Brenda Sanchez
Hudspeth County, Texas
By Deputy [Signature]

[Signature: Monty Kimball]

Judge Monty Kimball

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