

Judicial Standing Order No. 2
Docket Settings and Continuances

DOCKET SETTINGS

IT IS ORDERED that a defendant, or his attorney, who appears at the Court Clerk's Window anytime prior to "Pending Warrant Status," may obtain a court setting without the requirement of posting an appearance bond if there has not been a prior bond default.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if a defendant fails to appear for a properly noticed court setting, he must post an appearance bond to obtain another court setting. If a Judgment *Nisi* is entered against the defendant, any subsequent appearance bond shall be posted in cash, unless expressly approved by the Court.

CONTINUANCES

IT IS ORDERED that a motion for continuance must be in writing and filed with the Court three (3) calendar days prior to the Court setting in order to continue a case on the Court's docket. Any deviations from this procedure must be approved by the Court.

If the motion for continuance is timely filed, and the opposing party is properly notified of the filing, a party may obtain one (1) continuance without agreement of the opposing party and without the requirement of posting a bond. Any motion for continuance requested at the Court Clerk's Window must include a corresponding order for the Court's signature. Additional continuances must be approved by the Court.

IT IS ORDERED on this 9th day of January, 2023.

Diane Dupnik
Justice of the Peace