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Good morning, I write in support of the following proposed court rules: CrR 4.7, CrR 3.2 and CrR 8.3.

As a public defender for 25 + years, these proposals are important and needed changes. Providing our clients with discovery to review should not be as difficult or delayed as it is currently and the proposed amendment to CrR 4.7 would aid that. Likewise, the proposal to require the court to accept 10% of bail would aid more persons with less resources to be able to face their accusations not from a cage, but from a place where they can return to work and housing and families. I support the proposed change to CrR 8.3 as the current rule prevents judicial corrective action in cases where prosecutorial or police misconduct or systemic flaws impact cases .

Thank you for consideration of these issues .

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