

# Snohomish County Superior Court Emergency Local Court Rule Effective October 12, 2023

## VI. TRIALS (RULES 38-53.2)

### RULE 40. ASSIGNMENT OF CASES; SETTING OF TRIALS- FILING OF PLEADINGS-TIME OF TRIALS-CONTINUANCES- SETTLEMENT

**(h) Reporting for Trial.** All parties and counsel shall report to the Presiding Department at 9:00 a.m. on the date set for trial for assignment to a trial department unless otherwise notified by the Court Administrator. Parties and counsel shall appear in person unless (1) the parties are appearing for a motion to revise a civil commitment or civil protection order or (2) the Court has approved a stipulation for remote trial or ordered that a trial occur remotely, in which case the parties may appear remotely in a manner set forth by the Court in an Administrative Order or on the Court website. If no trial department is available for trial at such time, the Presiding Judge shall hold or excuse the parties for such time as circumstances dictate.

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