



STATE OF WISCONSIN – JUDICIAL COUNCIL

AMENDED MARCH 15, 2024 AGENDA

WISCONSIN JUDICIAL COUNCIL
FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2024 – 9:30 A.M.
WISCONSIN STATE CAPITOL
ROOM 328NW
MADISON, WISCONSIN

**Members wishing to call in should call
(339) 209-6255 at 9:30 a.m. on 2/16/24. There is no Access Code.**

- 1) Roll Call and approval of the Minutes from February 16, 2024.**
- 2) Judge Hruz's Report concerning the issue of appellate venue selection.**

Because it appears that a dispute has arisen between the Co-Chairs of the Ad Hoc DAR Subcommittee, we will hear first from Judge Hruz first on the 15th of June, 2024. He will provide an update from the Appellate Practice Committee (APC) concerning the venue selection work of the APC. This Report will concern what the APC has done to date regarding Assistant Attorney General Kilpatrick's August 30, 2023 letter (copy provided with this Agenda) discussing the possible creation of a proposed rule dealing with civil appellate venue. Judge Hruz will be relying on a March 7, 2024 Report and input from WMC and Stafford Rosenbaum, copies of which were circulated earlier today by means of a Supplemental March 15, 2024 Agenda.

- 3) The issue of the DAR Recordings.** I believe that I may have inadvertently created a problem by naming co-chairs to lead the Ad Hoc Subcommittee on DAR recordings. Rather than make our 3/15/24 meeting about the co-chairs, I have decided to distribute this Amended March 15, 2024 Agenda.
 - a)** At our 3/15/24 Meeting, there will not be competing reports by Co-Chairs Dugan and Gasiorkiewicz. What has been submitted by either Judge may be addressed on March 15, 2024, but as "talking points" instead of as "Reports."
 - b)** There will be a short discussion of what should be done with DAR recordings by both Judge Dugan and Judge Gasiorkiewicz. Judge Dugan will speak first and have ten minutes to provide her thoughts, making reference to any of her talking points. Judge Gasiorkiewicz will then speak and have ten minutes to provide his thoughts, making reference to any of his talking points.

- c) There will then be a short discussion by the entire Council concerning the presentations made by both Judge Dugan and Judge Gasiorkiewicz. Thereafter, the entire issue of DAR recordings will be laid over until the May meeting of the Judicial Council. In the meantime, the DAR issue will be remanded to the Ad Hoc DAR Subcommittee for further study.

4) Other Council Committees.

- a) We will hear a report from Thomas Shriner on behalf of the Evidence and Civil Procedure Committee.
- b) If she wishes to be heard, we will hear a report from Margo Kirchner concerning the Council Corner Committee.

5) Adjournment.

This Agenda was prepared by Attorney Gleisner.

PUBLIC NOTICE

All meetings of the Judicial Council and its committees are open to the public. The Council's March 15, 2024 meeting will only take place in person in Room 328NW of the Capitol Building. There will be no Zoom access to this meeting. Subject to limits imposed by the size of Room 328NW, members of the public are welcome. However, if any member of the public disrupts the meeting in any way, security will be called, and the disrupting member will be asked to leave. For more information, please contact the Chair of the Judicial Council, Mr. Gleisner, at 414-651-3182 or gleisnerwilliam@gmail.com.