# U.S. DISTRICT COURT CLERK'S COURTERLY



### Important Reminder from Judge Freudenthal

Senior United States District Judge Nancy D. Freudenthal wishes to remind counsel that while her practice may differ from the other judges in this district, with the exception of motions to dismiss, case-dispositive motions will typically be decided after an **in-person hearing**.

Telephone and video hearings are available only if the Court grants leave. The parties must confer in advance and promptly file a motion at least three business days before the scheduled hearing. If the request for telephone or video hearing is granted, arrangements must be made in advance by contacting her Courtroom Deputy, Abby Logan.

 $\rightarrow$  For more information regarding this information, you can contact Abby Logan at (307) 433-2129.

The Clerk's Office will be closed May 29th in observance

of Memorial Day.

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#### TERMINATION OF COVID-19 NATIONAL EMERGENCY

FEDERAL JUDICIARY SEEKS NEW JUDGESHIP POSITIONS

President Biden informed Congress that he will end the twin national emergencies for addressing COVID-19 on May 10, as most of the world has returned closer to normalcy nearly three years after they were first declared. Some of our current practices in criminal cases will be coming to an end and we will return to prepandemic practices concerning criminal proceedings. We will continue to keep you updated.

Read more at Federal Register.gov by clicking <u>HERE</u>.



The Judicial Conference of the United States has agreed to recommend to Congress the creation of new district and court of appeals judgeships to meet workload demands in certain courts.

Read more about the recommendation by clicking <u>HERE</u>.

#### JUDGES WORK TO BUILD ROADS TO THE BENCH AT NETWORKING EVENT

"The more we share our own journeys to the bench with those in the legal field, the more we demystify the judicial position and application process," said Judge Stephanie Dawkins Davis, of the Sixth Circuit U.S. Court of Appeals. "People often think of judges as these largerthan-life figures, but really, we're all just people. And many of the people I speak with at events like this are just as qualified, if not more."

Read the full article by clicking <u>**HERE**</u>.

For more information about these stories and other US Court news, check out the US Courts website at: <u>https://www.uscourts.gov/judiciary-</u> news

#### FRIENDLY REMINDER TO COUNSEL:

Please adhere to our Civil Local Rules when filing a non public or sealed document. Absent prior Court authorization, no case or documents may be filed under seal or as non-public. RULE 84.2 <u>ADMISSION TO PRACTICE</u>; Please Note: You may submit all attorneys being admitted in one motion rather than filing separate motions.

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