



Idaho State Judiciary E-News

As the Third Branch of Government, we provide access to justice through the timely, fair, and impartial resolution of cases.



Court of Appeals Chief Judge, Minidoka Magistrate Judge Selected for Top Idaho Judicial Awards

Idaho Court of Appeals Chief Judge Sergio Gutierrez and Minidoka County Magistrate Judge Rick Bollar are the 2013 recipients of Idaho's most prestigious awards for service to the state's judicial branch. Justice Daniel Eismann, chair of the award selection committee, presented the awards at the Idaho Judicial Conference on September 23rd. [Click here for the press release.](#)

Two Counties Awarded OVAW Grants

Ada County and Bonneville County were each awarded a two-year, \$300,000 grant through the Office of Violence Against Women (OVAW), Court Training and Improvements Program.

The Ada County grant project will enhance and expand partnerships with the Woman's and Children's Alliance, Idaho Legal Aid Services and the Family Justice Center to provide enhanced services to families involved in the Ada County Domestic Violence Court.

The Bonneville County grant will expand domestic violence court practices in the 7th Judicial District and enhance the already established Bonneville County Domestic Violence Court. The Bonneville County grant project will provide a Family Specialist, on-site victim advocacy, subsidized supervised access as well as integrated offender intervention services.

Congratulations to the 4th and 7th District on this wonderful opportunity!

2013 Idaho Institute for Court Management Scheduled

Mark your calendars for the Idaho Institute for Court Management (IICM) to be held on **October 28-31, 2013** in Boise at The Riverside Hotel. This program is sponsored by the Idaho Supreme Court, with support from the counties through conference registration fees. Pre-Institute workshops will be held on Monday, October 28th for court assistance officers, jury commissioners, and supervisors/managers.

Please [click here](#) to view a tentative outline of the agenda.

Please [click here](#) for the registration form and lodging form.

The registration & lodging forms are due by Oct. 2, 2013.

Please contact Kim Woods at kwoods@idcourts.net or (208) 947-7417 with any questions.

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Summary of ISC|COA Published Opinions

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Training & Education Corner

[Click here](#) for the Judicial Education website, including all upcoming & archived trainings for Judges, Clerks, and Court Reporters! [Click here](#) for Judicial Conferences or webinars.

HR / Finance Links of Interest

>> [HR Recruitment Report](#)
>> Health Matters: [Wellness News](#)
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Court Committees: Agendas and Minutes

- [Minutes: July Administrative Conference](#)
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Judicial & Administrative Calendar

[Calendar](#) as of 09-06-13

NOTE: Due to security concerns, locations are not posted on the [Website calendar](#).

Your Corner . . .

Note: "Your Corner" pages are intended as an archive of articles of interest to a particular group. Once a story has been included in the E-News, it will then be "parked" in a group's page, as appropriate.

[Judges](#) (last updated 08-30-13)

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IT,ISTARS, Westlaw/ West KM Support

To better support your technical issues, you can now send an email to helpdesk@idcourts.net or you may call (208)334-3868.

Human Resources News

Charitable Giving Campaign Underway

The State Employees' Charitable Giving Campaign runs from September 1 through October 31, 2013. Suzanne Guinard is our agency coordinator. We have the opportunity each year to extend our public service commitment to help our neighbors and our communities every day, all year long. Making a contribution is fast and convenient. The pledge form is located under the "Donate" tab on the [State Campaign Web site](#). It is an interactive form and can be printed.

It is helpful to print two copies: one copy to be submitted to Suzanne Guinard and a second copy for your tax records. Contribution payments are also convenient. Contributors have the option of a one-time contribution (cash/check), receiving a statement (monthly, quarterly, or other frequency) from United Way, or having a payroll deduction through the State payroll system. With your help, we can make this year's campaign even better than last year's. Each contribution is important and we thank you in advance for your consideration of this opportunity to help others. If you have any questions or need assistance, please feel free to contact Suzanne at hr@idcourts.net.

Enrollment for NCPERS Insurance for PERSI members only

PERSI members are eligible to purchase additional term life insurance through NCPERS. [Click here for the brochure](#) that details the coverage available. You may enroll for this coverage only during the annual open enrollment period beginning September 1 and running through November 30. Complete the enrollment form, print, sign, date and return it to the HR Office by December 12, 2013. Please keep in mind if you do not enroll now, you will not have another opportunity until the next open enrollment. PERSI members who already have enrolled for this coverage do not have to do anything to continue their participation in the insurance program. If you are do not know if you are currently enrolled, please email the HR Office at hr@idcourts.net.

Recruitment for Court Reporter—7th Judicial District

The Idaho Courts have a career opportunity for a Court Reporter for a District Judge Gregory Moeller in the Seventh Judicial District. The official workstation for this position will be located in Rexburg, Idaho. [Click here](#) for a complete description of the position and the employment application. Application packets must be received by **Friday, October 4, 2013 by 5:00 p.m., MDT**.

Kickoff for State of Idaho Employee Health Promotion Program announced

The Office of Group Insurance is thrilled to announce that after two years in the making, the **NEW** State of Idaho employee health promotion program is coming in just two weeks! This program is your opportunity to take advantage of resources and programs designed to help you take charge of your health and reward you for staying healthy.

Join us for the official **kickoff** of the State of Idaho employee **health promotion program!** Governor Otter will be revealing the program name and logo on the **Jefferson Steps** of the **Capitol** on **Tuesday, October 1st** at **noon**. Snacks and pedometers will be handed out to all attendees following the Governor's announcement.



Archived E-News [SC/COA]

Problem-Solving Court Graduations & News

Ada County Mental Health Court
October 1 @ 6:00 p.m.
Ada County Courthouse,
Commissioners' Hearing Room, 1st Fl.
Boise

Bonneville County Child Protection
October 1 @ 10:00 a.m.
Bonneville County Courthouse
Idaho Falls

Bonneville County Felony
October 2 @ 4:00 p.m.
Bonneville County Courthouse
Centennial Court Room
605 N. Capitol, Idaho Falls

Payette Adams Washington (Tri-
County)
October 3 @ 6:00 p.m.
McCain Middle School, Payette

Bonneville County Misd./DUI
October 3 @ 4:00 p.m.
Bonneville County Courthouse
Centennial Courtroom
605 N. Capitol, Idaho Falls

Teton County Felony Drug Court
October 3 @ 4:00 p.m.
Teton County Courthouse, Driggs

Twin Falls Child Protection
October 9 @ 5:30 p.m.
Twin Falls County Courthouse
Twin Falls

*To have graduations included in the
Court E-News, email the information
to Craig at cbarnes@idcourts.net.*



September is

National Recovery Month

Did you know September is **National Recovery Month**? SAMHSA observes this month to “promote the societal benefits of prevention, treatment, and recovery for mental and substance use disorders, celebrates people in recovery, lauds the contributions of treatment and service providers, and promotes the message that recovery in all its forms is possible.”

[Click here](#) for Idaho’s September newsletter from the Office of Consumer and Family Affairs.