

In the Supreme Court of the State of Idaho

IN RE: FORMATION AND MEMBERSHIP OF
THE ADVANCING JUSTICE COMMITTEE

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**THIRD
AMENDED ORDER**

The Idaho Supreme Court, having received a recommendation from Senior Judge Barry Wood, amends the July 5th, 2012 Court Order appointing the Advancing Justice Committee, as follows:

The Advancing Justice Committee is appointed to further the Court's Mission to provide access to justice by ensuring fair processes and the timely, impartial resolution of cases, consistent with Article I, Section 18, of Idaho's Constitution.

The Advancing Justice Committee is guided by the following principles:¹

1. Every case receives individual attention.
2. Individual attention is proportional to need.
3. Decisions demonstrate procedural justice.
4. Judges control the legal process.
5. Unnecessary delay in case processing is prevented when possible.

The Committee shall perform the following tasks:

- Identify and promote court practices that enhance procedural fairness for litigants.
- Facilitate development and implementation of statewide and district caseflow management plans pertaining to major case types.
- Identify and promote effective caseflow management practices that reduce unnecessary delay and promote timely case processing.
- Identify and recommend statutory and rule changes as appropriate.
- Develop educational programs relating to caseflow management for judges and other court staff.

¹ Guiding Principles from Ostrom, B. & Hanson, R.. 2010. *Achieving High Performance: A Framework for Courts*. Williamsburg, VA: National Center for State Courts and from Solomon, M. 2010. *Conducting a Felony Caseflow Management Review: A Practical Guide*. Washington D.C.: Bureau of Justice Assistance.

- Identify and address technical assistance needs relating to caseload management and procedural fairness on both a statewide and district court level.
- Refine case management reports and develop other tools to support data-informed caseload management practices.

It is further ordered that the Advancing Justice Committee shall meet regularly and shall report periodically to the Court and to the Administrative Conference on actions taken as well as recommendations for legislative and rule changes and other significant policy improvements. As case management data become available through the Odyssey system, the Court, Administrative Conference, and the Advancing Justice Committee shall be provided with regular reports to inform statewide policies and practices in the area of caseload management.

It is further ordered that committee members initially appointed in July of 2012 are reappointed for a one-year or two-year term, as indicated below. Any new appointments to the Committee will be for a two-year term. The following individuals are re-appointed:

Hon. Stephen Dunn, Chair
 District Judge, 6th District
 To serve until further order of the Court

Hon. Molly Huskey
 Court of Appeals Judge
 2-Year Term

Hon. Greg Moeller, Vice-Chair
 District Judge, 7th District
 To serve until further order of the Court

Erika Birch
 Private Attorney, Boise
 1-Year Term

Hon. Barbara Buchanan
 District Judge, 1st District
 1-Year Term

John Lothspeich
 Private Attorney, Jerome
 1-Year Term

Hon. Theresa Gardunia
 Magistrate Judge, Ada County
 1-Year Term

Jan Bennetts
 Ada County Prosecutor
 2-Year Term

Hon. Michelle Evans
 Magistrate Judge, Nez Perce County
 2-Year Term

Teri Jones
 Ada County Public Defender
 2-Year Term

Hon. Brian Lee
 Magistrate Judge, Payette County
 2-Year Term

Jerry Woolley
 Court Assistance Officer, 5th District
 1-Year Term

Larry Reiner
Trial Court Administrator, 4th District
1-Year Term

Doug Tyler
Trial Court Administrator, 3rd District
2-Year Term

Raena Bull
Training & Development Manager, Canyon County
2-Year Term

It is further ordered that the following Idaho Supreme Court personnel are appointed to serve until further Order of the Court:

Hon. Barry Wood
Senior Judge

Janica Bisharat
Director, Court Management

Taunya Jones
Sr. Manager, Policy & Planning

DATED this 2nd of March, 2017.

By Order of the Supreme Court

R. Burdick
Roger S. Burdick, Chief Justice

ATTEST: Stephen Kenyon
Steve Kenyon, Clerk

I, Stephen W. Kenyon, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the 2nd Amended Order entered in the above entitled cause and now on record in my office.

WITNESS my hand and the Seal of this Court 3-2-17

STEPHEN W. KENYON

Carol Stephens Clerk
By: Carol Stephens Chief Deputy