

THE BRIEF

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An electronic update for the legal community providing a brief look at news in Eau Claire County Courts

Appellate Court E-filing

On July 1, 2021 eFiling became mandatory for attorneys who file in the Court of Appeals. Supreme Court e-filing is still in the pilot phase. Some differences of note:

- **Statement on Transcript (CA-130)** is to be filed with the Clerk of Circuit Court with a copy to all parties. The Clerk of Circuit Court will transmit this to the Court of Appeals. Appellant has 14 days to file after filing Notice of Appeal.
- **Notice of Court Reporter Regarding Filing of Transcript** is to be filed with the Clerk of Circuit Court.
- A new form titled “**Docketing Statement**” (AP-027) if required, is usually filed at the same time as the Notice of Appeal.

Any documents filed with the Court of Appeals will be transmitted to the Clerk of Circuit Court through the interface, therefore a copy filed with the Clerk of Circuit Court is no longer necessary. For more information, see the [Appellate Court eFiling Overview site](#).

COVID-19 and the Eau Claire County Circuit Courts Status Update

No changes since the September 2021 edition.

Amended Family Local Court Rule

Effective September 1, 2021 the Local Court Rule as been amended to modify the procedure related to guardian ad litem appointments. You may read the rule in its entirety on the [Clerk of Court Family](#) webpage.

September Staff Changes

Angela Beranek has been appointed to serve as Deputy District Attorney by District Attorney Peter Rindal.

Dana Comeau began September 27, 2021 as the new Branch 4 Court Reporter. She is still training for her certification, but will utilize the Digital Audio Recording at this time.

Regional Attorney Manager for the Public Defenders Office, Laurie Osberg retired and Ryan Raymond was promoted to the position.

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