

RULES OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 10th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT STATE OF ILLINOIS

GENERAL RULES

The Rules of Practice of the Circuit Court of the 10th Judicial Circuit are hereby amended by adding the following additional rule, E-Filing for the 10th Judicial Circuit Court.

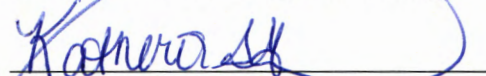
Rule 17. E-Filing Rules for the 10th Judicial Circuit

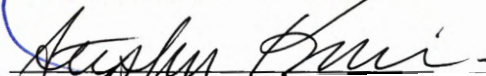
- (a) Consistent with the Illinois Supreme Court Order M.R. 18368, as amended from time to time, and Illinois Supreme Court Rule 9, all documents in civil cases, unless exempted by the Illinois Supreme Court, must be electronically filed with the clerk of court. Criminal and Juvenile case documents may be filed with the Court electronically through eFileIL, but this only applies to filings after the case has been initiated and assigned a case number. The Circuit Court Clerks' shall direct the phasing in of case types during the implementation of criminal and juvenile electronic filing. Quasi-criminal case types (Traffic, Ordinance Violation, Conservation, and Civil Law Violations) cannot be electronically filed.
- (b) These rules shall become effective on 5-21-19 and remain in effect until further order of the Court.
- (c) The following rules, orders, and standards governing e-filing have been promulgated by the Supreme Court of Illinois and the provisions of which are mandatory for use in the 10th Judicial Circuit:
- a. Illinois Supreme Court Rule 9, et al.
(<http://illinoiscourts.gov/SupremeCourt/Rules/default.asp>);
 - b. Illinois Supreme Court Order M.R. 1218, as amended from time to time
(<http://illinoiscourts.gov/SupremeCourt/Announce/2012/102412.pdf>);
 - c. Illinois Supreme Court Order M.R. 18368, as amended from time to time
(<http://illinoiscourts.gov/SupremeCourt/Announce/2017/053017.pdf>);
 - d. Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts' Manual on Recordkeeping;
 - e. eFileIL Electronic Document Standards and the eFileIL website:
(<http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/index.htm>)
- (d) The following local provisions are adopted by the 10th Judicial Circuit and are effective 5-21-19. Should these provisions conflict with the Supreme Court provisions set forth in Section (c) above or any other provision, guideline or rule of the Illinois Supreme Court, the Supreme Court authority governs.


- a. Any and all third-parties, including, but not limited to, court reporters, Probation Departments, Sheriff's Departments, local municipalities, other units of government, mediators, guardian's ad litem, receivers, child representatives, private process servers and respondents in garnishment proceedings, including but not limited to employers and financial institutions, are required to file electronically, unless an exemption is allowed by the Court for good cause shown.

This E-Filing Rule of the Tenth Judicial Circuit is adopted on this 21 day of May, 2019.


Hon. Paul P. Gilfillan, Chief Judge



Hon. Katherine S. Gorman

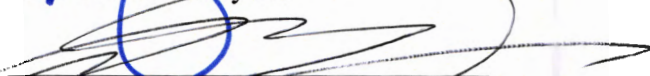

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