
***SPOKANE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
AMENDED COVID HYBRID HEARING POLICY
COURT COMMISSIONER DOCKETS***

This document is intended to clarify the court appearance options available for hearings scheduled with a Court Commissioner

If you have a hearing scheduled with a Judge you need to contact that Judge's Judicial Assistant. Contact information can be found on the Superior Court website: [Judges | Spokane County, WA](#)

Hybrid means that you can appear in-person in the Courtroom or by video on Zoom.

Telephonic appearances must have prior approval by the court.

You do not need prior permission from the court to appear by video on Zoom for the following dockets:

- ◆ FAMILY LAW MOTIONS with the Court Commissioners
- ◆ GUARDIANSHIP hearings with the Court Commissioners
- ◆ CHILD SUPPORT MODIFICATIONS
- ◆ PROTECTION ORDERS (DOMESTIC VIOLENCE/UNLAWFUL HARASSMENT/SAPO/VAPO)
- ◆ ITA hearings with the Court Commissioners (all hearings by Zoom at this time)
- ◆ PATERNITY/CHILD SUPPORT CONTEMPT

You must get prior permission from the court to appear telephonically or by video on Zoom for the following hearings:

- ◆ EX PARTE HEARINGS