

BENTON & FRANKLIN COUNTIES SUPERIOR COURT
JUDICIAL RESOLUTION NO. 25-002
ADOPTION OF LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE RULE 5

The Judges of Superior Court in and for Benton and Franklin Counties, find that:

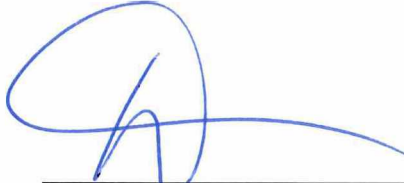
1. Pursuant to RCW 13.04.035 Juvenile detention services shall be administered by the Superior Court, except that by local court rule and agreement with the legislative authority of the county, these services may be administered by the legislative authority of the county.
2. By unanimous vote, the Judges of Benton & Franklin Counties Superior Court voted to transfer administration of juvenile detention facility and juvenile detention services to the executive branch of Benton County.
3. The Judges of Benton & Franklin Counties Superior Court have entered into an Agreement Regarding the Provision of Juvenile Probation and Juvenile Detention Services in Benton and Franklin Counties, adopted by Franklin County Resolution 2024-0333 and Benton County Resolution 2024-3384.
4. An emergency exists which requires said local rule for the successful transfer of administration of Benton-Franklin County juvenile detention facility and juvenile detention services to the executive branch of Benton County, effective January 1, 2025.
5. The constitutional authority of the superior courts to adopt local rules is codified in GR 7.
6. This rule shall become effective immediately upon filing with the Administrative Office of the Courts and shall remain effective for a period of 90 days, unless readopted in accordance with GR 7(f)(2).

The Superior Court of the State of Washington in and for Benton County **HEREBY ORDERS**, pursuant to General Rule 7(f), that Local Administrative Rule 5, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, is adopted effective immediately upon filing with the Administrative Office of the Courts.



Honorable Jacqueline I. Stam
Presiding Judge

Dated: 3-20-2025



Honorable Diana N. Ruff
Assistant Presiding Judge

Dated: 3-19-25



Honorable Joseph M. Burrowes

Dated: 3/19/25



Honorable David L. Petersen

Dated: 3/19/25



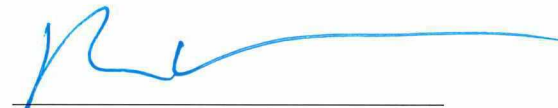
Honorable Norma Rodriguez

Dated: 3/19/25



Honorable Jacqueline J. Shea-Brown

Dated: 03/19/2025



Honorable Bronson J. Brown

Dated: 3/19/25

Local Administrative Rule 5
TRANSFER OF ADMINISTRATION OF JUVENILE DETENTION

- A. Pursuant to RCW 13.04.035 and a unanimous vote of the judges of the Superior Court, and by agreement of Franklin County Board of County Commissioners through Resolution 2024-0333, and the Benton County Board of County Commissioners through Resolution 2024-3384, the Superior Court does hereby transfer administration of the Benton-Franklin County juvenile detention facility and juvenile detention services, pursuant to the Agreement Regarding the Provision of Juvenile Probation and Juvenile Detention Services in Benton & Franklin Counties dated December 18, 2024 to the executive branch of Benton County effective January 1, 2025. Such transfer does not include administration of probation services, which remains the responsibility of Benton & Franklin County Superior Court.

[Adopted Effective January 1, 2025]