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THE MONTANA FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT  
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IN RE MONTANA FOURTH  
JUDICIAL DISTRICT RULES OF  
PRACTICE

SB-19-9

ORDER IMPLEMENTING  
ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEM

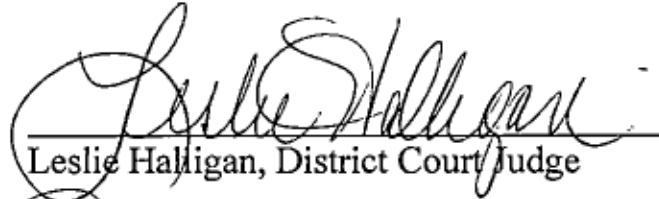
As of August 15, 2018, the Fourth Judicial District Court has been implementing an electronic filing system for all case types capable of being electronically filed. Cases that are generally capable of being electronically filed include, but are not necessarily limited to, DC, DN, DJ, DR, DV and DI cases. The Montana Supreme Court has adopted rules governing access to and use of the electronic filing system. *See In Re Temporary Electronic Filing Rules*, AF 14-0745, filed October 3, 2017. A copy of those rules is attached hereto, and they are incorporated herein.

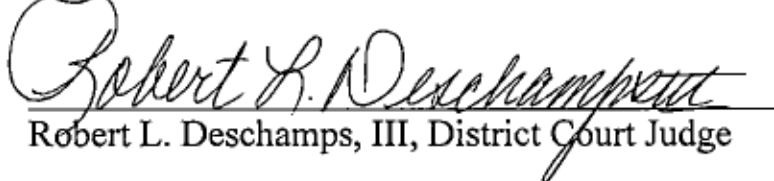
Consistent with Temporary Electronic Filing Rule 2(b), use of the electronic filing system for all lawyers admitted to practice in Montana, or those appearing *pro hac vice*, is mandatory in all DC, DN, DJ, DR, DV and DI cases, subject to Temporary Electronic Filing Rule 6(a).


All lawyers admitted to practice in Montana, or those appearing *pro hac vice*, have until **April 15, 2019**, to become registered users of the electronic filing system and begin using the electronic filing system. Upon application to the District Court Administrator, waivers for use of the system may be granted for compelling and extenuating circumstances.

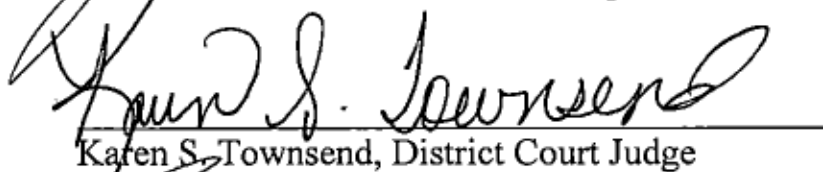
Instructions on becoming a registered user and accessing the electronic filing system are available at <https://courts.mt.gov/courts/efile>.

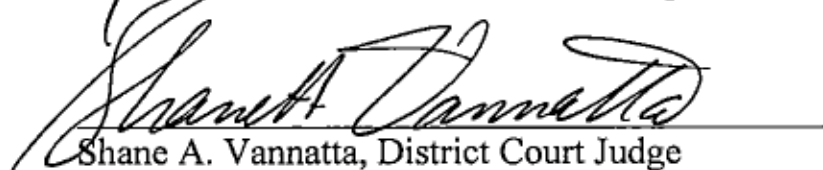
DATED this 4<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2019.

  
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