

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SEVENTEENTH  
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

*Administrative Order 2023-1-CO (Amendment 1)*

**TRANSFER OF CERTAIN COUNTY COURT CIVIL TRAFFIC  
INFRACTION CASES TO DIVISION MXD**

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(a) Pursuant to Article V, section 2(d) of the Florida Constitution and section 43.26, Florida Statutes, the chief judge of each judicial circuit is charged with the authority and power to do everything necessary to promote the prompt and efficient administration of justice.

(b) Florida Rule of General Practice and Judicial Administration 2.215(b)(3) states the chief judge shall “develop an administrative plan” and “shall, considering available resources, ensure the efficient and proper administration of all courts within [this] circuit.

(c) In accordance with the authority vested in the Chief Judge by Article V, section 2(d) of the Florida Constitution, section 43.26, Florida Statutes, and Florida Rule of General Practice and Judicial Administration 2.215, it is hereby **ORDERED**:

(1) Florida Rule of Traffic Court 6.340(a) allows for remote appearances in court proceedings.

(2) In all County Court Civil traffic infraction cases in which a party files with the Clerk a written objection to a remote appearance in court proceedings, the Clerk of the Court shall transfer the case to Division MXD.

This Administrative Order vacates and supersedes Administrative Order 2023-1-CO.

**DONE AND ORDERED** in Chambers at Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, Florida this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September , 2023.

/s/ Jack Tuter  
Jack Tuter, Chief Judge