



Remote Appearances: Civil and Probate

This provides a summary of the requirements to appear remotely at the Placer County Superior Court. For more information about making your remote appearance or filing the forms through eFiling, see the Court's website. **NOTE:** This does not include Mental Health Writs from Local Hospital (which are Mandatory Video).

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Evidentiary Hearings

Written Notice Requirements

Event Types

- Adoption Hearings and Trials
- Civil Harassment Hearings & Trials
- Court Trials (incl. Probate, Small Claims and Unlawful Detainers)
- Jury Trials
- LPS and CARE Act Hearings
- Orders of Examination

Process

FORMS:

To notice: File & serve JCC RA-010 *Notice of Remote Appearance* & Local Form PL-CW010A *Attachment to Notice of Remote Appearance*

- ✓ Parties must either complete the *Declaration of Notice* on RA-010 or file proof of service with the forms.

To oppose: File & serve JCC RA-015 *Opposition to Remote Proceeding at Evidentiary Hearing or Trial*

DEADLINES:

If the hearing is set on MORE than 15 court days notice:

- ✓ Notice 10 court days before the hearing
- ✓ Oppose 5 court days before the hearing

If the hearing is set on LESS than 15 court days notice:

To notice: By the applicable deadline -

- ✓ 5 court days before the hearing
- ✓ *If the notice to appear remotely is by the party asking for the hearing:* With the moving papers
- ✓ *If the notice to appear remotely is by any other party:* By 2 pm the court day before the hearing

To oppose: By noon the court day before the hearing

Evidentiary Hearings

Simplified Notice Requirements

Event Types

- Civil Default Judgments
- Conservatorship Hearings
- Guardianship Hearings

Process

FORMS:

- ✓ **To notice:** **NONE.** Parties do not need to file any forms – scheduling a remote appearance online is considered notice to the court.

- ✓ Parties do need to notify/notice the other party 5 court days before the hearing, however proofs of service are not required.

- ✓ **To oppose:** File & serve JCC RA-015 *Opposition to Remote Proceeding at Evidentiary Hearing or Trial*

DEADLINES:

- ✓ Parties must schedule themselves and notice all other parties no later than 1 court day before the hearing.
- ✓ Oppose by noon the court day before the hearing.

Non-Evidentiary Hearings

Written Notice Requirements

Event Types

- Settlement Conferences

Process

FORMS:

File & serve JCC RA-010 *Notice of Remote Appearance* & Local Form PL-CW010A *Attachment to Notice of Remote Appearance*

- ✓ Parties must either complete the *Declaration of Notice* on RA-010 or file proof of service with the forms.

DEADLINES:

If the hearing is set on MORE than 3 court days notice: Notice 2 court days before the hearing

If the hearing is set on LESS than 3 court days notice: Notice by the applicable deadline -

- ✓ *If the notice to appear remotely is by the party asking for the hearing:* With the moving papers
- ✓ *If the notice to appear remotely is by any other party:* By 2 pm the court day before the hearing

Non-Evidentiary Hearings

Simplified Notice Requirements

Event Types

- Case Management Conferences
- Civil & Probate Law & Motion
- Name Changes
- Pretrial Conferences
- Status Conferences

Process

FORMS:

NONE. Parties do not need to file any notice forms – scheduling a remote appearance online is considered notice to the court.

- ✓ Parties do need to notify/notice the other party, however proofs of service are not required.

DEADLINES:

Parties must schedule themselves and notice all other parties no later than 1 court day before the hearing.