

Notice Regarding Request for Telephonic Hearing
For Judge Olin W. Shinholser

Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.530 governs the use of communication equipment. All requests for telephonic appearance or use of communication equipment must comply with rule 2.530 and must be in writing. A copy of the motion must be provided to all opposing counsel and, in cases where the party is pro se, to the opposing party. The motion must set forth that other counsel/parties should contact the court in writing or by fax 863-402-6918 within ten (10) days with his/her/it's position on the motion or the court will rule on the face of the motion without hearing. A courtesy copy of the motion for telephonic appearance must also be provided to the court via regular mail, with a proposed order and the appropriate number of copies for conforming and envelopes for mailing.

EX-PARTE MOTIONS FOR TELEPHONIC APPEARANCE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. Telephonic appearances will not be allowed unless you have received approval from the court prior to the scheduled hearing.

Proposed orders will be held for ten (10) days from the date of receipt and will not be considered prior to the ten (10) days unless a written stipulation by all counsel/pro se parties agreeing to telephonic appearance is submitted or all opposing counsel/parties contact the court sooner setting forth their position on the motion. The proposed order must reflect the petitioning party will initiate the call to the court at their expense (863-402-6901) at the time of the hearing.

After ten (10) days, the court will rule on the face of the motion or require hearing as may be appropriate.

Motions submitted to the court within ten (10) days of a scheduled hearing must set forth that other counsel/parties have been contacted (or what efforts to do so must be set forth with specificity) and opposing counsel /parties' positions on the motions for telephonic appearance.