

## **DRESS CODE FOR ALL COURT SETTINGS**

All persons attending any court proceedings while in the courtroom shall be dressed appropriately in order to maintain the dignity, integrity, decorum, seriousness and professional atmosphere of the Court and the administration of justice.

### **The following are prohibited:**

- Any clothing, including jewelry, which shows alcohol, drugs or tobacco or that promotes violence or is lewd, offensive, vulgar or contains obscene language.
- Pants that are excessively long or sag below the top of the hip line.
- Shorts, short dresses or short skirts.
- Tube tops, halters, half shirts, muscle shirts, crop-tops or any shirt or blouse that allows the navel or a bra to show.
- Clothing that shows excess cleavage.
- Flip-flops or house slippers.

### **In addition to the foregoing:**

- No underclothing shall be visible at any time.
- No sunglasses shall be worn in the courtroom except for approved medical reasons.
- No hats or caps shall be worn in the courtroom except approved religious items.

### **The following conduct is prohibited:**

- Chewing gum.
- Chewing or using tobacco products.
- Drinking or using any liquids other than water in a capped bottle.
- Eating food.
- Use of cell phones or tablets, other than as stated in the media policy.

- Bringing a child to court unless there is a scheduled child interview with the Judge.

**If you are not properly dressed, you will be asked to leave Court.  
If you are not back and appropriately dressed in time, a Failure to Appear warrant may issue for your arrest.**