



ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
STATE OF COLORADO
EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

**AMENDED ORDER AUTHORIZING COUNTY COURT JUDICIAL OFFICERS TO
TEMPORARILY PRESIDE OVER SPECIALTY COURT MATTERS**

AMENDED ORDER 2026-03

Wellness Court, Drug Court, Veteran's Court, and DUI Recovery Court are specialty courts heard in the District Court. It is necessary to have alternate judicial officers assigned to cover Specialty Court during judicial officer vacancy or when the regularly assigned judicial officer is otherwise unavailable. All County Court Judges and Magistrates of the 8th Judicial District's County Court bench are qualified to perform the judicial responsibilities for the Specialty Courts. Therefore, it is ordered, pursuant to CJD 95-01(III)(B) and CRS. §13-6-218 that all 8th Judicial District County Court Judges and Magistrates of the County Court bench are authorized to sit as acting district court judges to preside over Specialty Courts effective immediately, through December 31, 2026.

Dated: October 8, 2026.

By the Court:



Gregory M. Lammons
Chief Judge
8th Judicial District