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CLERK'S ALERT

Superior Court Ex Parte Department Calendar Changes Effective March 7, 2025

King County Superior Court recently lost positions for a commissioner and several staff members in its Ex Parte and Probate Department, due to the expiration of Covid-era funding. These reductions in staffing require modifications to existing Ex Parte calendars. These changes will be implemented effective March 7, 2025.

The new calendars return some case types to in-person only calendars on designated days. Please calendar accordingly, as the calendar each day is designated by the type of hearings heard, and whether hearings occur in-person or remote and case designations (SEA/KNT) must be consistent for the location of in-person hearings.

Due to limited staffing resources, all case type fully remote calendars can no longer be accommodated. Please go to [Hearings - Ex Parte and Probate - King County](https://kingcounty.gov/en/dept/dja), Washington for additional information and to schedule a hearing.