

**STATE OF INDIANA – COUNTY OF NEWTON
IN THE NEWTON CIRCUIT AND SUPERIOR COURTS**

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF LOCAL RULE FOR A
CASELOAD ALLOCATION PLAN FOR THE COURTS OF RECORD
OF NEWTON COUNTY
MAY 26, 2022**

In accordance with Administrative Rule 1(E) of the Indiana Court Rules, the Newton Circuit and Superior Courts hereby given notice to the bar and the public that the Courts propose to amend the Local Rule setting forth the caseload allocation plan for the courts of record of Newton County, effective August 1, 2022. All new text is shown by underlining and deleted text is shown by ~~strikethrough~~. Local Rules for caseload allocation plans pursuant to Admin. R.1(E) require Supreme Court approval and may not take effect until approved by the Supreme Court.

In accordance with Trial Rule 81(B), the time period for the bar and the public to comment shall begin on June 1, 2022 and shall close on June 30, 2022. The proposed amendment to the rule will be adopted, modified or rejected immediately thereafter and the final version of the rule will be submitted to the Indiana Supreme Court for review and approval not later than August 1, 2022.

Comments by the bar and the public should be made in writing and mailed to:

Honorable Jeryl F. Leach at P.O. Box 101, Kentland, Indiana 47951 and
Honorable Daniel J. Molter at P.O. Box 143, Kentland, Indiana 47951.

A paper copy of the proposed amended local rule for Caseload Allocation Plan will be made available for viewing in the office of the Clerk of Newton County, Newton County Courthouse at 201 N. Third Street, Kentland, Indiana during normal business hours. Persons with Internet access may view the proposed amended local rule for Caseload Allocation Plan at the following website:

www.newtoncounty.in.gov/courtsclerk

Jeryl F. Leach, Judge
Newton Circuit Court

Daniel J. Molter, Judge
Newton Superior Court