

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO**

RE: SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL  
FOR CONFLICT PUBLIC DEFENDER  
CASES

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
2020-27

WHEREAS Bannock County contracts with attorneys to provide indigent defense for persons the Bannock County Public Defender has conflicted on and cannot represent; and,

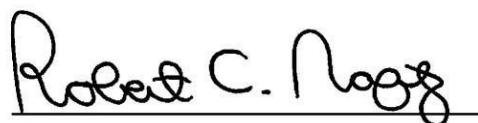
WHEREAS Don Marler held such a contract, which was subcontracted to Steve Larsen, which expired on 10/31/2020, and was not renewed; and,

WHEREAS Don Marler and Steve Larsen notified Bannock County that they would not be seeking a new contract and that their representation of clients would end on 10/31/2020; and,

WHEREAS the Administrative District Judge has determined that Mr. Larsen's cases that he was representing under his contract with Bannock County require ongoing representation and that Bannock County has contracted with James Shinault to provide indigent defense as a conflict public defender.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that James Shinault be substituted as counsel on all cases for which Steve Larsen was providing indigent defense under Don Marler's contract with Bannock County.

Dated this 30th day of October 2020.



ROBERT C. NAFTZ  
Administrative District Judge  
Sixth Judicial District

cc: All Sixth Judicial District Judges  
Bannock County Clerk  
Bannock County Commissioners  
Matt Kerbs, Bannock County Attorney  
Bannock County Public Defender  
Bannock County Prosecutor  
Pocatello City Prosecutor  
Chubbuck City Prosecutor  
TCA  
Idaho Supreme Court