

**CHANGES IN 2009 SUPPLEMENTARY LOCAL RULES for FAMILY LAW
IN MULTNOMAH COUNTY**

1. Parties expecting any matter scheduled for the Rotation Docket* to take more than 30 minutes must seek transfer of the hearing to the Call Docket for assignment to a judge for hearing (to be set on the same day as the Rotation Docket setting unless agreed otherwise).
See SLR 8.012(2)(b)(1) for details re scheduling this transfer and notifying other party re Call procedures.
*Monday and Thursday FAPA contests; Tuesday child support matters;
Thursday contested Name Changes
2. Motions for *in camera* reviews on cases not assigned to a specific judge go on the Call Docket for assignment, even if stipulated.
See SLR 8.013.
3. Any matter needing six (6) or more hours of court time will be assigned to an individual judge on the request of a party, made to Chief Judge Waller or her designee.
See SLR 8.015(5)
4. All parties appearing at Call (or otherwise) for purposes of assignment must inform the judge presiding of any judge who has ruled on any contested aspect of the case.
See SLR 8.015(6)
5. Any attorney seeking relief at Ex Parte time* (8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.) must provide written certification of the 2 days' advance date, time, and manner in which notice to the other party was given of the intent to appear, as well as the other party's (parties') position, where known.
* Exception: where a statute or rule specifically authorizes appearance without notice to the other party
See SLR 8.041(3).
6. Motions not docketed for hearing (or accompanied by a statutory notice regarding the filing of a response or the right to request a hearing) must be filed with the court in a document *separate* from a Proposed Order. The Proposed Order must be labeled as such, served on all parties entitled to notice, and include a specific notice (set out in the SLR) informing that other party that s/he has 14 days to object by filing a Request for Hearing (and any fee) or the Proposed Order will be submitted for approval (at ex parte or any other time) without further notice to that served party. When no Request for Hearing is timely filed, the Proposed Order can be submitted along with the movant's certificate regarding compliance with this rule.
See SLR 8.041(4) re detail and procedure when Request for Hearing is filed.
7. Motions to Vacate Orders of Dismissal (where no Judgment of Dismissal has been entered yet) can be stipulated, docketed for hearing, or handled under new SLR 8.041(4), # 6, above. Once a Judgment of Dismissal has been entered, ORCP 71 applies.
See SLR 8.044.
8. The Parenting Time Guideline is withdrawn. Parents and parties are referred to resources to develop their own parenting plans.
See SLR 8.075.
9. Qualifications for Parenting Coordinators are set out.
See SLR 8.137.