

BANKRUPTCY BUGLE



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U.S. DISTRICT COURT CONFERENCE

The U.S. District Court Conference provides an excellent opportunity for members of the bar to interact with members of the federal judiciary.

It has been a year of adaptation which is why the theme, Adaptability in Uncertain Times, is so appropriate for this year's conference.

From Dean Chemerinsky's always informative overview of Supreme Court decisions to recommendations of best practices for "virtual lawyering" to a discussion of how the Bench and Bar have adapted in the face of the pandemic, the program will be rich and comprehensive.

This event will include dynamic sessions, spirited dialogue, and prescient live panels.

WHEN: May 25, 2021

WHERE: Virtual

TIME: Welcoming Remarks and Tributes 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
Conference begins at **8:30 a.m.** and concludes at **1:30 p.m.**

REGISTRATION FEE: \$150.00 (\$75.00 for government attorneys)

Download the Conference Flyer [here](#).



MORTGAGE MODIFICATION PROGRAM FEE

UPDATES

Effective March 1, 2021, the cost for the Document Preparation Software and Portal submission fee for the Nevada Mortgage Mediation Program is increasing.

- Document Preparation Software fee increasing to \$60.00 from \$40.00.
- Portal submission fee increasing to \$60.00 from \$40.00.

Updated Guidelines and forms have been posted to the Court's [website](#).



NEW FORM AND CM/ECF EVENT FOR CARES AND CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATIONS ACT

The Advisory Committee on Bankruptcy Rules has approved a new Director’s Form 4100S (Supplemental Proof of Claim for CARES Forbearance Claim) in response to the Consolidation Appropriations Act (CAA), Section 1001(d) of Title X. This new form is effective now through December 27, 2021. This new section permits an “eligible creditor” to file a supplemental proof of claim for a CARES Act forbearance in a Chapter 13 case.

A new event for filing the Director’s Form 4100S can be found in CM/ECF under Bankruptcy > Claim Actions > Supplemental Proof of Claim for CARES Forbearance Claim.

Additional information on the CAA is available [here](#).

PREPARING FOR NEXTGEN CM/ECF

NextGen CM/ECF is coming soon. In order to make the transition smoothly, there are some important steps you can take to prepare now.

NextGen requires each electronic filer to have his/her own individual PACER account. If you do not have an individual PACER account, you must create one before the court moves to NextGen. A firmwide or shared PACER account cannot be used by electronic filers once the court has moved to NextGen. This includes limited user accounts and filing agent accounts. Firms may establish a PACER Administrative Account (PAA) to help manage individual attorney accounts and to have PACER access fees billed to a central firm account. If you do have an individual PACER account, you must make sure that account is an upgraded PACER account. For more information on NextGen, please visit: <https://pacer.uscourts.gov/file-case/get-ready-nextgen-cmecf>.

BANKRUPTCY COURT CONTACT NUMBERS



LAS VEGAS CLERK’S OFFICE: (702) 527-7000

RENO CLERK’S OFFICE: (775) 326-2100

Frequently called numbers, e-mail addresses, and live on-line chat is available on the court’s website under Court Information:

<https://www.nvb.uscourts.gov/about-the-court/contact-information/>

CHAT

The Nevada Bankruptcy Court has implemented a CHAT service for the public.

The CHAT Help Desk answers questions online Monday—Friday during regular court hours. In addition, phone calls to the Help Desk at 866-232-1266 will still be answered.

Access to CHAT can be found at the court website’s home page:

www.nvb.uscourts.gov

COURTHOUSE HOURS

C. Clifton Young Federal Building and U.S. Courthouse Hours and Foley Federal Building and U.S. Courthouse Hours are:

7:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Bankruptcy Court Intake Hours are:

9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Excluding Weekends and Federal Holidays.