

**IN THE COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE ROUND VALLEY INDIAN TRIBES  
A SOVEREIGN NATION OF CONFEDERATED TRIBES**

In re:

**PROCEDURES FOR ORAL  
ARGUMENT**

} GENERAL ORDER NO. 2015-005  
}  
} **(Effective July 1, 2015)**  
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GENERAL ORDER NO. 2015-005:

The Court of Appeals, having considered the need for Rules of Court to guide the prompt and fair resolutions of cases, and pursuant to Section 1.11 of the Tribal Court Code of the Round Valley Indian Tribes, hereby adopt the following General Order for matters filed or pending in this Court:

1. The Court will set the time and place of the oral argument, and the Clerk of Court shall transmit to all counsel and unrepresented parties notification of the setting of oral argument.

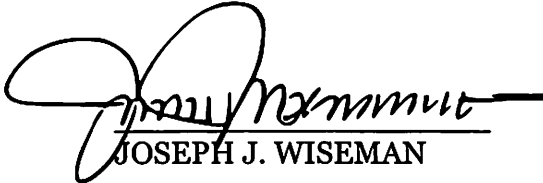
2. Unless otherwise ordered by the Court, each side shall have twenty (20) minutes for oral argument, inclusive of any time allotted to rebuttal argument. Counsel may reserve a portion of the allotted time for rebuttal argument not to exceed five (5) minutes, and must inform the Court immediately before starting the argument what amount of time is to be reserved.

3. If counsel finds it impossible to meet the assigned date for oral argument, a motion for continuance with proof of service must be filed immediately with the Court. Further, counsel must inform the Court promptly if the case has become moot, if settlement discussions are pending, or if relevant precedent has been decided since the briefs were filed.

4. The Clerk of Court is directed to provide all parties to cases pending before this Court with a copy of this General Order, and shall make this Order publicly available.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: June 22, 2015



JOSEPH J. WISEMAN

Chief Justice, Court of Appeals  
Round Valley Indian Tribes