IN THE SUPERIOR AND DISTRICT COURTS OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON FOR KITSAP COUNTY

IN RE THE CLOSURE OF THE SUPERIOR AND DISTRICT COURTS OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON FOR KITSAP COUNTY

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

This Court finds that comprehensive courthouse security training, including active shooter training, for all occupants of the Kitsap County Courthouse is essential to ensure the safe and secure administration of justice as necessitated in Washington State General Rule 36. Further, the Court finds that some planned training delivery methods may create service disruptions, cause unexpected loud noises, and instill unnecessary fear or anxiety among regular, central Courthouse visitors; now, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to General Rule 29, that the main Kitsap County Courthouse, located at 614 Division Street in Port Orchard Washington, shall be closed from 8:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 11, 2018, to facilitate comprehensive courthouse security training for all building occupants.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the closure of the Courthouse on October 11, 2018 shall be construed as a non-judicial day as prescribed under Article 4, Section 6 of the Washington State Constitution, RCW 2.08.030, and RCW 3.30.040.

DATED this 2nd day of July, 2018.

JUDGE SALLY F. OLSEN

Presiding Judge

Kitsap County Superior Court

TUDGE TENT FREY I. JAHNS

Kitsap County District Court