

County of Pueblo, State of Colorado, Tenth Judicial District

Administrative Order

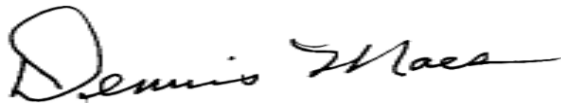
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The Court issued Administrative Order 11-04 on March 21, 2011, dispensing with pre-trial conferences in District Court Criminal matters.

One of the purposes of the Order was to eliminate the need to transport in custody defendants when their presence would be useless, or the benefit nebulous.

Rule 43 of the Colorado Rules of Criminal Procedure provides that the defendant shall be present at the arraignment, at the preliminary hearing, at the time of plea, at every stage of the trial including the impaneling of the jury and the return of the verdict, and at the imposition of sentence. However, in custody defendants are still being transported to court when their appearance is unnecessary. Effective immediately, in custody defendants shall only be transported for the purposes set forth in Rule 43.

Done this 3rd day of June, 2011,



Dennis Maes, Chief Judge

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