



Superior Court  
Of Snohomish County

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 25 - 06

FAMILY COURT/MENTAL HEALTH COMMISSIONER

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FINDING OF FACT

1. Article IV, section 23 of the Washington State Constitution authorizes the appointment of three (3) Court Commissioners, and
2. The Snohomish County Council has authorized the Judges of Superior Court to select fourth and fifth Court Commissioners to serve as Family Court/Mental Health Commissioners under the provisions of RCW 26.12.050, RCW 26.12.060, RCW 71.05.135, and RCW 71.05.137 and
3. It is necessary for and the Judges of this court have directed, the Presiding Judge of this Court to issue an order designating a Family Court/Mental Health Commissioner, with all powers authorized by law, effective September 8, 1998, and a further order designating and additional Family Court/Mental Health Commissioner, with all powers authorized by law, effective September 1, 2005, Now Therefore

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Court Commissioner assigned to the chambers and courtroom located at Charles D. Denney Juvenile Justice Center is appointed and designated a Family Court and Mental Health Commissioner, with jurisdiction and authority to hear all matters as provided by law in RCW Chapter 26.12, RCW Chapter 71.05 and RCW Title 13, effective September 8, 1998.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the Court Commissioner assigned to Courtroom #C is appointed and designated a Family Court and Mental Health Commissioner, with jurisdiction and authority to hear all matters as provided by law in RCW Chapter 26.12, RCW Chapter 71.05 and RCW Title 13, effective May 1, 2006.

Dated this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2013

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Michael T. Downes, Presiding Judge

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