



**Little River Band of Ottawa Indians  
Tribal Court**

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**MARCH 2022 COURT DOCKET**

*(Subject to changes and additions)*

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*(Rules of Civil Procedure, CR 4.105)*

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**JUDGE SHERIGAN**

**March 4, 2022**

10:00 a.m.	Hamilton v. Chouinard – Review Hrg.	17078CM
11:00 a.m.	LRBOI v. M. Johnson – Pretrial Hrg.	21-645-TM
1:30 p.m.	LRBOI v. Bunker – Pretrial Hrg.	21-643-TM
2:30 p.m.	LRBOI v. L. Stone – Show Cause Hrg.	14089GC

**March 10, 2022**

1:00 p.m.	Willis v. Tribal Council – Hrg. On Request for Declaratory Judgment	22-010-GC
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**March 17, 2022**

1:30 p.m.	Probate/Estate Matter – Closed Hrg.	17160PF
2:30 p.m.	Stone, et. al. & Ogema v. Tribal Council AND Stone & Ogema v. Tribal Council – Motion Hrg.	21-639-GC/ 21-647-GC/ 16206GC/16308GC

**JUDGE SHERIGAN**

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March 18, 2022

10:00 a.m.	Wilson v. O'Connor – Show Cause Hrg.	09156DM
11:00 a.m.	Peterson v. Peterson – Show Cause & Motion Hrg.	20061DM

March 29, 2022

1:00 p.m.	LRBOI v. R. Champagne – Arraignment	22-040-TM
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March 31, 2022

10:30 a.m.	Torres v. Torres – Motion/Show Cause Hrg.	17123DM
11:00 a.m.	Chandler v. Cross – Motion Hrg.	19254DP
1:30 p.m.	NA/Adoption Matter – Closed Hrg.	17271NA / 22-030-AM
3:15 p.m.	Hilden v. Hilden – Review Hrg.	09135DM

**JUDGE LAPORTE**

March 4, 2022

2:00 p.m.	LRBOI v. Walsh – Arraignment	21-601-TM
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March 14, 2022

10:00 a.m.	Torrenga v. Torrenga – Final Divorce Hrg.	21-635-NA
11:00 a.m.	LRBOI v. J. Gibson – Plea Hrg.	20106TM

**JUSTICE POPE**

March 4, 2022

3:00 p.m.	Cheney/Thull v Election Board – Appellate Scheduling Conference	22-014-GC
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**Case Type Key:**

AA	Adult Adoption	FJ	Foreign Judgment
AM	Adoption of Minor	GA	Gaming Appeal
AP	Appeal	GC	General Civil
CM	Custody of Minor	GN	Guardianship of Incapacitated Adult
CN	Conservator	GM	Guardianship of Minor
CO	Cora Offense/Conservation	JC	Judicial Complaint
CS	Child Support	JV	Juvenile
CT	Civil Ticket	LT	Landlord Tenant
DM	Divorce with children	NC	Name Change
DO	Divorce w/o children	NA	Neglect Abuse
DP	Domestic Paternity	PF	Probate
DV	Domestic Violence	PP	Personal Protection
EA	Enrollment Appeal	SA	Service Authorization
EB	Election Board Appeal	TM	Tribal Misdemeanor
EM	Employment Matter	TA	Trust Access
FSJ	Foreign Support Judgment	WC	Worker's Compensation

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