

TENTATIVE RULINGS

CHANGE OF NAME CALENDAR

Wednesday, August 5, 2026, 3:00 p.m.

Courtroom 18- Hon. Dana Simonds

3055 Cleveland Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA

If the tentative ruling is accepted, no appearance is necessary unless otherwise indicated.

You must notify the Judicial Assistant at **(707) 521-6724** if you wish to be heard in response to the tentative ruling and whether that appearance will be in person or via Zoom. Any interested party who wishes to be heard in opposition to a petition must notify all other parties of the intent to appear. Both notifications must be completed no later than 4:00 p.m. on the court day immediately preceding the day of the hearing.

Unless notification to the Judicial Assistant has been given as provided above, the tentative rulings shall become the rulings of the court at 3:15 p.m. on the day of the hearing.

CourtCall is not permitted for this calendar.

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Change of Name or Gender

**1. PETITION OF MARK MCCORMICK
26CV03433**

TENTATIVE RULING: GRANTED; no appearance required. The Court will sign the proposed decree.

**2. PETITION OF CATHERINE FRANCES
26CV03510**

TENTATIVE RULING: GRANTED; no appearance required. The Court will sign the proposed decree.

**3. PETITION OF MELISSA COSTELLO
26CV03551**

TENTATIVE RULING: Matter is continued to October 7, 2026, at 3:00pm, for proof of service on the other parent.

4. PETITION OF LISA LAMB
26CV03720

TENTATIVE RULING: GRANTED; no appearance required. The Court will sign the proposed decree.
