

TENTATIVE RULINGS

CHANGE OF NAME CALENDAR

Wednesday, August 20, 2025 3:00 p.m.

Courtroom 19- Hon. Oscar A. Pardo

3055 Cleveland Avenue, Santa Rosa

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

You must notify the Judicial Assistant at (707) 521-6602 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.

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Change of Name or Gender

- PETITION OF SHO WONG**
25CV03726

TENTATIVE RULING: In Person Court Appearance Required.

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- PETITION OF MARY RIVARD**
25CV03906

TENTATIVE RULING: No Appearance is Required. The Court finds that Petitioner Mary Esther Rivard has complied with all prerequisites outlined under California Code of Civil procedure ("C.C.P.") §1277 for a Petition for Change of Name. The Court finds that no timely objection has been filed against said Petition. Therefore, the Court now GRANTS the Petitioner's Decree Changing Name of "Mary Esther Rivard" to "Christine Marie Hanley".