# **REPORTING ON COURTS IN NEBRASKA**



Nebraska Judicial Branch **MEDIA Webpage** 



### **REPORTERS' GUIDE** NEBRASKA TRIAL COURT PROCEDURES

- The Pre-Trial Process in Criminal Cases
- Initial Court Appearances
- Initial Court Proceedings in County Court (Misdemeanors & Felonies)
- Initial Court Proceedings in District Court (Felonies)
- Post- Arraignment Pre-Trial
- Trials Bench and Jury
- Sentencing in Criminal Cases
- Post Sentencing

### **NEBRASKA.GOV SUBSCRIPTION SERVICES**



Trial and Appellate Court case search available to Nebraska.gov subscribers (JUSTICE and SSCALES Case Search)

## SUBSCRIBE TO ALERTS FROM THE JUDICIAL BRANCH

Receive Judicial Branch notices in your email including media releases and court opinions





### **ELECTRONICS IN THE COURTROOM ARTICLE 20: RULES FOR EXPANDED NEWS MEDIA COVERAGE**



### Media Coordinators

Media Coordinators are managers who perform administrative duties associated with the court. They are also the first contact for news reporters needing information.



#### **Credentialed News** Reporters

Credentials are not needed to attend court, observe proceedings, take notes, or write stories. Credentials are ONLY needed to participate in a media pool and to use certain electronic devices.





Judge Rick Schreiner discusses the job of a judge - outlining the opportunities and limitations of the position. He presides over both civil cases (where private citizens sue each other) and criminal cases.



