

Requests For Continuances And Telephone Appearances

Continuances – The Court will grant continuances only upon good cause shown. Requests for continuances must be submitted to the Court in writing no later than seven (7) days prior to the date of the scheduled pretrial, conference, hearing or trial. Courtesy copies of Motions to Continue must be provided to the Court*.

Telephone Appearance – The Court prefers that all parties and counsel appear in person. However, under certain circumstances, such as an out-of-town attorney, unavoidable scheduling conflicts or illness, the Court will allow a party or counsel to appear telephonically. Requests to appear by telephone must be submitted no later than three (3) days prior to the scheduled pretrial, conference or hearing, and a courtesy copy of the motion must be provided to the Court*.

Please note that the Court does not consider Cleveland to be “out-of-town” for the purposes of attending pretrials and status conferences.

*Courtesy copies of both requests for continuances and telephone appearances shall be submitted as follows:

- E-mail: JudgeMcCarty@cpcourt.summitoh.net
- Fax: (330) 643-2615
- Hand delivery to the Judicial Assistant, Shay Greven