

DISTRICT COURT DIVISION
WYOMING JUDICIAL COUNCIL

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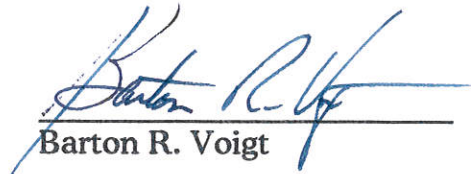
Attendance (phone): Judges Kautz, Donnell, Stebner, Hartman, Ryckman, Price, O'Brien, Sullins, Park, Patrick, Voigt

Judge Kautz reported on his meeting with the Supreme Court last week. Judges Park, Donnell and Hartman, who also attended that meeting, added their impressions of the event. Judge Kautz explained that, after some pointed discussion, the Supreme Court proposed rescinding the recent rule in exchange for the district judges' participation in the formation of the proposed Judicial Administrative Council. This arrangement was presented to the judges for a vote, passing unanimously. Judge Kautz will send Chief Justice Lehman a letter to that effect.

The summer meeting of the District Court Division, previously scheduled for June 3 in Casper, has been moved to Cheyenne. A new location, and a meeting time, will be announced.

Judge Voigt offered to learn the next meeting date for the Judicial Planning Commission to give the district judges an opportunity before that date to begin organizing our administrative rules, so we will have something to report to the JPC.

Judge Park reminded us that Senator Schiffer has planned a meeting for the district judges with the Joint Judiciary Committee at Gillette just prior to the State Bar Meeting.


Barton R. Voigt