



OFFICE OF THE CHIEF JUDGE
18th Judicial Circuit Court - DuPage County, Illinois

KENNETH L. POPEJOY
Chief Judge

SUZANNE H. ARMSTRONG
Court Administrator

Memorandum

To: Courtroom participants
From: Suzanne Armstrong
Re: New A/V Courtroom Capabilities
Date: May 12, 2021

Our courtrooms have recently been equipped with updated audio/visual equipment to allow for a smoother, more modern court process. This update includes new audio equipment to improve the court record, as well as large TV monitors for each courtroom. With these updates, there are changes to how we connect and use this equipment. **If you are planning to use the TV monitors to present evidence or another resource to the courtroom, you will need to bring your own laptop as well as an HDMI adapter.** The audio will process through the HDMI adapter, and the judge will control the screens and volume that is broadcast inside the courtroom. This way you will be able to display video recordings, PowerPoint presentations, and digital documents right from your laptop. If you would like to test your equipment on the system prior to your court date, please contact the Chief Judge's Office at 630-407-8901 to schedule an appointment.

At this time, we do not have laptops or HDMI adapters available for use. Please ensure the HDMI adapter you bring is compatible with your specific laptop (e.g. HDMI to USB for a PC or older Mac, or HDMI to USB-C for a newer Mac).

Examples of HDMI adapters are seen below:

HDMI to USB



HDMI to USB-C

