

Information Technology Advisory Committee (ITAC)

Public Business Meeting

April 15, 2019

Hon. Sheila F. Hanson

Chair, Information Technology Advisory
Committee

Administrative Matters

I. Open Meeting

- Call to Order, Roll Call
- Approve Minutes
 - February 8, 2019
 - March 4, 2019
 - April 2, 2019

DRAFT Minutes are in the materials e-binder.

II. Public Comment



REPORT

Item 1. Chair Report

Hon. Sheila F. Hanson

Chair, Information Technology Advisory Committee

There are no slides for this item.

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Item 2. Judicial Council Technology Committee Update

Hon. Marsha Slough, Chair, JCTC

There are no slides for this item.

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Item 3. FY 2020/2021 Technology Initial Funding Requests

Ms. Heather Pettit, Chief Information Officer

There are no slides for this item.

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Item 4. Privacy Resource Guide – Annual Agenda Amendment

Hon. Peter Siggins, Chair, Rules and Policy
Subcommittee

Ms. Debora Morrison, Attorney, Legal Services

There are no slides for this item.

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Item 5. Privacy Resource Guide - Publication

Hon. Julie Culver, Privacy Resource Guide Lead

Ms. Debora Morrison, Attorney, Legal Services

There are no slides for this item.

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Item 6. Digital Evidence Phase 2 – Annual Agenda Amendment

Hon. Kimberly Menninger, Executive Sponsor

There are no slides for this item.

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Item 7. Spotlight: Futures Commission Directive – Intelligent Chat

Hon. Michael Groch, Executive Sponsor

Mr. John Yee, Enterprise Architect, Information Technology

Ms. Fati Farmanfarmanian, Senior Business Systems Analyst,
Information Technology

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ITAC Futures Commission Directive: **Intelligent Chat**

ITAC Spotlight

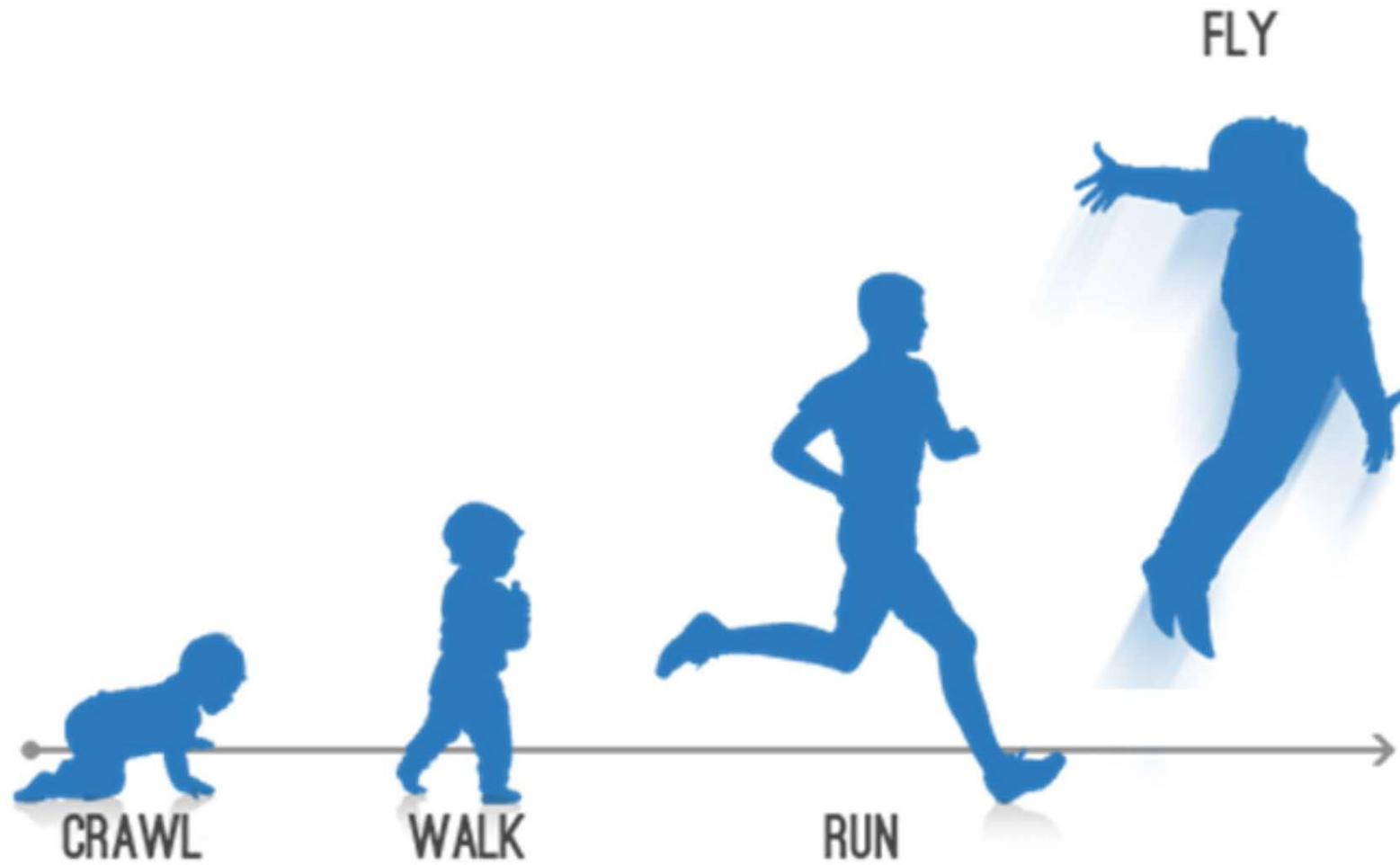
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Spotlight Items

- How We Got Here
- Initial Findings
- Examples
 - CFCC LiveChat
 - Traffic Avatar
- Workstream Updates



How We Got Here



Directive from the Chief Justice*

The committee is directed to explore and make recommendations to the council on the potential for a pilot project using **intelligent chat technology** to provide information and self-help services.

- *Refer to :*
 - *The Chief's memorandum dated May 17, 2017 (Item 1 in materials), and*
 - *The 2017 Futures Commission Report, starting on page 211: Chapter Five: Technology Recommendations (Item 2 in materials)*

Workstream Team Members

Hon. Michael Groch - Sponsor

Mr. John Yee – Workstream Lead

Ms. Fati Farmanfarmaian – Project Manager

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(Alameda)

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(3DCA)

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(Tulare)

Mr. Paras Gupta

(Monterey)

Mr. Davis Luk

(JCC-IT)

Hon. Jason Webster

(Kern)

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(Orange)

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(JCC-CFCC)

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(Los Angeles)

Mr. Nelson Wong

(JCC-IT)

Mr. Darrell Mahood

(Los Angeles)

Ms. Hana Miller

(Santa Barbara)

Mr. Stan Tyler

(Los Angeles)

Ms. Karen Cannata

(JCC-CFCC)

Mr. Anson Jen

(JCC-IT)

Workstream Goals and Scope

- Phase 1
 - Identify and prioritize use case scenarios/user stories most critical to the branch
 - Identify legislative policies that may be an obstacle for using intelligent chatbots
 - Identify any legislative or internal policies that may be needed to enable the adoption of intelligent chatbots
 - Identify, assess and recommend technology platform(s) to explore in pilot (e.g. Google, Amazon, Microsoft, IBM, etc.)
 - Submit Findings and Recommendation Report
- Phase 2
 - Select pilot court(s)
 - Select vendor(s): draft and publish Request for Proposal (RFP)
 - Secure additional funding: draft and submit Budget Concept Proposal (BCP)

Workstream Phase 1

Planning/Prep for Workstream Phase 2

Workstream Ph 2

August 30, 2019

January 1, 2020

Workstream Research



Innovation Grants Research

Findings and Recommendations Report

July 2019 – June 2020
BCP

Criteria for selecting Pilot Courts

Criteria for selecting Vendors

Post job reqs for 0.5 Sr BSA, 1 Sr Tech Ana., 1 Sr App Dev

Draft and Publish RFP -> Select Vendors

Select Pilot Courts

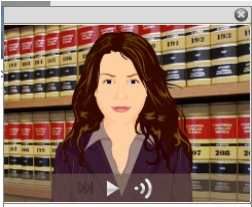
Acquire JCIT Resources for Pilot Project

Draft and submit BCP for additional funding

Initial Findings

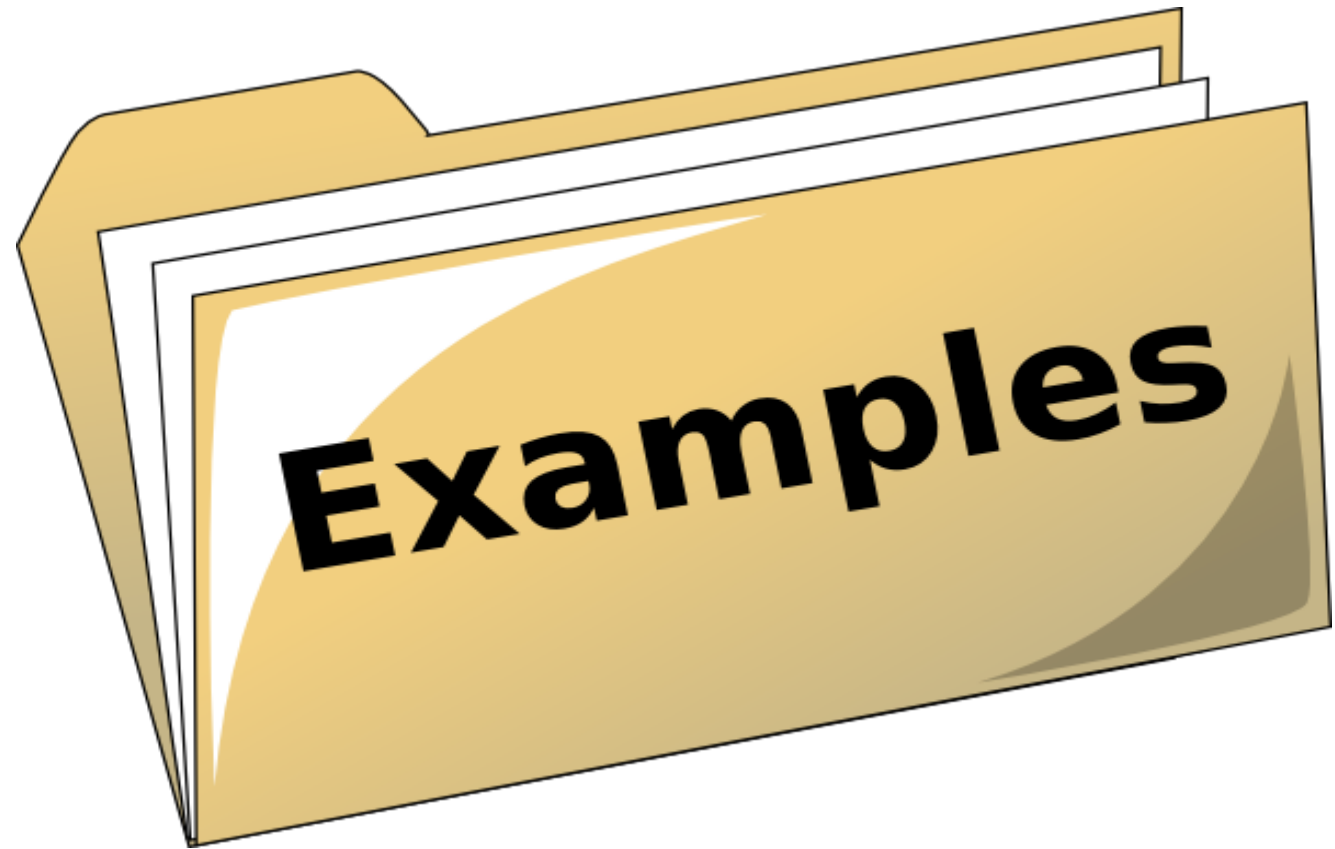


Chatbot Maturity Model



	Level 0	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
General Description	LiveChat	Basic Bot	Contextual Understanding	Self Learning
Key Characteristic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human operated conversation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human to Bot Structured Conversation • Simple Q&A • Menu based • Word based • Usually One Language 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human to Bot Unstructured Conversation • Natural Language Understanding • Line based intelligence • Mood detection • Multi-channel & language Support 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human to Bot Unstructured Adaptive Conversation • Bot to Bot • Conversation based intelligence • Machine Learning • Artificial Intelligence
Applications at the Courts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFCC Self-Help LiveChat • San Mateo LiveChat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Traffic Avatar @ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LA (Gina) • Riverside (Iris) • Yolo • Appellate Self Help 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ATP Chatbot* • LA Jury Chatbot* <p><i>* Planned</i></p>	NONE AT THIS TIME

Examples



Level 0 Chatbot Example

CFCC 's LiveChat



CFCC Live Chat Pilot



Need help with name change?

Live Chat

This chat button will connect you with a live person from the California Courts Online Self-Help Center who can help you find forms and information about name changes.

The agent is not your attorney and cannot give you advice. Any information you share with the agent during your chat is not confidential.

If you agree to the above and want to start chatting, please enter (1) only your FIRST name, (2) email address, and (3) a short description of your issue.

Introduce yourself *

Name, Email

Message

Start chatting

zendesk

Live Chat

Karen
Customer support

You can have a copy of this chat session emailed to you, by clicking on "Options" in the lower left corner of your chat box (desktop users) or by clicking on the Menu icon in the upper right corner of your chat box (mobile users).

Please help us to continue to provide this service by choosing a 'thumbs up' or 'thumbs down' rating or...

take our 1 minute survey:
https://cfcc.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0Jap3QXyOHKq0iF

Thank you for chatting with us today. Have we resolved your question(s)?

Yes
 No

Type your message here

Options • Hi, karen zendesk

Live Chat

Karen
Customer support

Karen joined the chat

Karen
Thank you for chatting!

You can have a copy of this chat session emailed to you, by clicking on "Options" in the lower left corner of your chat box (desktop users) or by clicking on the Menu icon in the upper right corner of your chat box (mobile users).

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Type your message here

Options • Hi, Sarah zendesk

1st Statewide Forms Tool on JCC site

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Self-Help > Name Change > Change an Adult's Name > File a Petition to Change Your Name > Name Change Form Builder

Name Change
Change an Adult's Name
Change a Child's Name
Forms
FAQs

Name Change Form Builder

Print Español

LawHelp Interactive Programs for Self-Helpers

LawHelp Interactive is a program that will ask you a series of questions and use your answers to help you fill out court forms. This program does not provide legal advice and is not a substitute for the advice of an attorney.

- To locate an attorney to help you with your case: [Finding a Lawyer](#)
- To find your local court's self-help center: [Self-Help Center Locator](#)

LawHelp Interactive for Name Change Petition Program

This program will help you fill out the forms needed to ask the court to change your name or the name of a child and includes a fee waiver application if you need one. The Name Change Petition interview will work for:

- An adult who wants to change his or her name;
- One or two parents asking for a name change on behalf of a child or children;
- Family groups (one parent plus up to nine children).

This program is *not* for you if:

- You are getting divorced and want to change your name back to your former name — you can usually do this as part of your divorce case. See [Name Change in Divorce](#).
- You are trying to add or remove the name of a parent on a child's birth certificate — this must be done through a parentage (paternity) action in the family court.

Before Getting Started

You will need the following information before starting the Name Change Petition program:

- Name and address of the court where you will file your petition: [Find My Court](#)
 - Go to your county court website and look for court locations or filing locations
 - In most courts, Name Change Petitions are filed in the Civil Division
 - Name Change is an "Unlimited Civil" case type
 - If the court provides a mailing address for filing, you will want to enter this information as well
- The full names as they appear on the current birth certificate of every person who is seeking a name change

Steps to Follow:

- Click on **Get Started**.
- (Optional but recommended) **Sign Up to Save Your Work**
- Answer questions in the interview
- (Optional but recommended) Save your answers so you can return at another time
- When you have completed the interview, print your forms

Get Started

Notice to Users
When you click on Get Started, you will be leaving the California Courts Self-Help site and going to LawHelp Interactive, a partner website. You will be subject to the terms and conditions and the privacy policy of the LHI website, available [here](#).

Name Change Form Builder LHI Statistics (FY 18-19 Q1)

5,029 documents assembled Q1 CY 2019

Name Change Form Builder Google Analytics January '19

- 6,621 page views
- 4,729 "clicks" on Get Started

Results After 21 Week Pilot

Who we have served	Feedback	Zendesk Analytics
<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Online 9 hours/week for 3 hour shifts.✓ 1,352 customers served✓ 80% from 10 Southern California and Bay Area courts.✓ Most common need: understanding the entire process and local court procedures.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ 99% positive rating on ZenDesk rating system (28% response rate)✓ Approaching 100% satisfaction on customer satisfaction survey (22% response rate)✓ Comments:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• “I learned a lot and had all my questions about the name change process answered.”• “This live chat is a very helpful site. I love it.”• “The agent was very helpful and I think I can finish the forms and get it right.”• “You’ve been a tremendous help. I hope they continue to fund this program.”• “Very helpful service, professional and kind assistance received.”	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Av. # of users per week -64• Av. # of users per hour – 7• Av. # of messages/user – 16• Av. Time per user – 16 min

Level 1 Chatbot Examples

LA's Traffic Avatar - Gina





- Home
- Online Services
Pay Fines, Search Records...
- Forms, Filings & Files
Forms, Filing Fees...
- Self-Help
Self-Rep. Info, FAQs...
- Divisions**
Civil, Criminal, Family...
- Jury
Jury Duty Portal, Q&A...
- General Info
Courthouses, ADA...

Traffic

Traffic Court handles cases that usually begin when a citation or ticket is written by a law enforcement officer. Tickets can be issued for violations of traffic laws and other non-traffic offenses.



May I Help You?
¿En qué puedo ayudarle?

ONLINE SERVICES

Please select a language for online transactions

Seleccione su idioma para las transacciones en línea.

[Select Language] ▼

Traffic Online Services provides the following options depending on the status of your ticket.

- Pay and Close Your Ticket
- Request a Payment Plan
- Request an Extension
- Request Traffic School
- Reserve a Court Date
- Check Ticket Status

TO START:

Enter your ticket number

If you do not have your ticket number

Enter your driver's license number

See My Court Services

Interpreter Request

Schedule Traffic Clerk Appointment

REQUEST AN INTERPRETER FOR YOUR TRAFFIC CASE

도로교통법 위반 소송에 대한 통역사 신청

- English
- 한국어
- العربية
- español
- 中文
- Tiếng Việt

SCHEDULE TRAFFIC CLERK APPOINTMENT

For faster service regarding your traffic matter, schedule an appointment before visiting the court.

Click here to enter

COURT RESOURCES

Traffic Forms

Traffic Fees

Traffic Courthouses

Traffic Glossary

NOTICE

Many court forms contain important information. Please click here to read important forms for Civil, Family Law, Juvenile and Traffic in (Español, العربية, 中文, Tiếng Việt, and 한국어).

Official documents and forms must be submitted to the court in English.

NEWS & NOTICES

NEWS RELEASES

No current news releases at this time.
View all News Releases.

NOTICES TO ATTORNEYS

No current notices at this time.
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NOTICE RE: FINANCIAL HARDSHIP

Defendants may petition the court to reduce or vacate their civil assessment or request an ability to pay determination for traffic/infracton matters. Please click here for more

Riverside Traffic Avatar - IRIS

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TRAFFIC

[Print](#)

You may handle most traffic-related matters on-line.

Payments: You may make a payment at the court, but rather than go to court, you may want to review the payment options available below. ([How to Pay Your Ticket](#))

Please be advised the court is in the process of upgrading our traffic clerk appointment calendaring program. During this upgrade the traffic clerk calendaring program will be unavailable. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause during this upgrade.

[How to Pay Your Ticket](#)

[Search Court Records](#)

QUICK LINKS

- [Traffic Self Help](#)
- [Traffic and Ticket Basics](#)
- [Local Forms](#)
- [How to Request Copies](#)
- [FAQs](#)

TRAFFIC COURT LOCATIONS

- Banning
- Blythe
- Corona
- Hemet
- Indio
- Moreno Valley
- Murrieta



May I help you?
Click here.

¿En qué puedo ayudarle?
Haga clic aquí.

需要帮助吗?点击此处.

需要帮助嗎?請按此處.

هل لي أن أساعدك؟ انقر هنا

Tôi có thể giúp gì cho quý vị?
bấm vào đây.

Appellate Self Help Chatbot

CALIFORNIA APPELLATE COURTS
SELF-HELP
RESOURCE CENTER

APPEALS TIMELINE
Overview of a case

PREPARE DOCUMENTS
Guided help completing forms

KNOWLEDGE CENTER 🔍
In-depth articles and resources

California Appeals Process Plain and Simple



WATCH A VIDEO

How does a civil appeal work in California?

Chat

Hi! What would you like to know about the California civil appeals process?

Type your question...



Potential Application Areas

- Divorce and Separation
- Families and Children
- Getting Started
- Traffic
- Name Change
- Eviction and Housing
- Wills, Estates and Probates
- Abuse and Harassment
- Small Claims
- Fee Waivers
- Civil Appeals
- Gender Change
- Criminal Law (Expungement)
- Seniors and Conservatories
- Problems with Money
- Guardianship
- Juror Services

Key Initial Findings

- Majority of effort is in developing and creating the knowledge bases
- SMEs are crucial to help developing appropriate chatbot interactions
- LiveChat Transcripts are excellent sources for
 - building content and
 - training chatbots
- Adding Machine Learning (ML) and Artificial Intelligence (AI) needs more time to research and develop best practices

Challenges

- Availability of Subject Matter Experts (SMEs)
 - Provide LiveChat services throughout the day
 - Ensure appropriate Content and Responses
- Using Knowledge Bases
 - Enabling chatbots to access statewide and local courts' knowledge bases

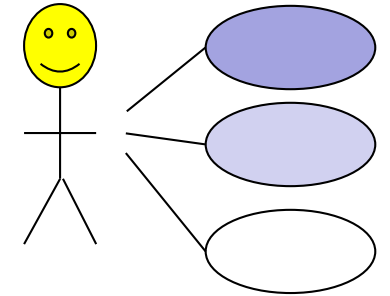
Workstream Updates

Major Tasks and Deliverables



Business/Court Operations Track

- ✓ Collect and assess current chat/Chatbot projects
 - ✓ Identify and monitor a series of court proof of concepts (POCs) to assess technology readiness for various use cases (e.g., Court of Appeal, E-Filing, Self-Help).
- ✓ Define and prioritized use cases and scenarios
 - ✓ Leverage technology summit use cases to define/refine user stories
 - ✓ Define priorities of use stories to be addressed by intelligent Chatbot technology
- ✓ Develop list of business requirements
- Identify key performance indicators and benchmark before/after success



Legislative, Rules & Policies Track

- ✓ Identify the need for new rules, legislation or policies to authorize the use of intelligent chat services



Workstream Deliverables

⌚ Prepare Findings and Recommendation Report

⌚ Capture learnings and research

⌚ Make recommendations

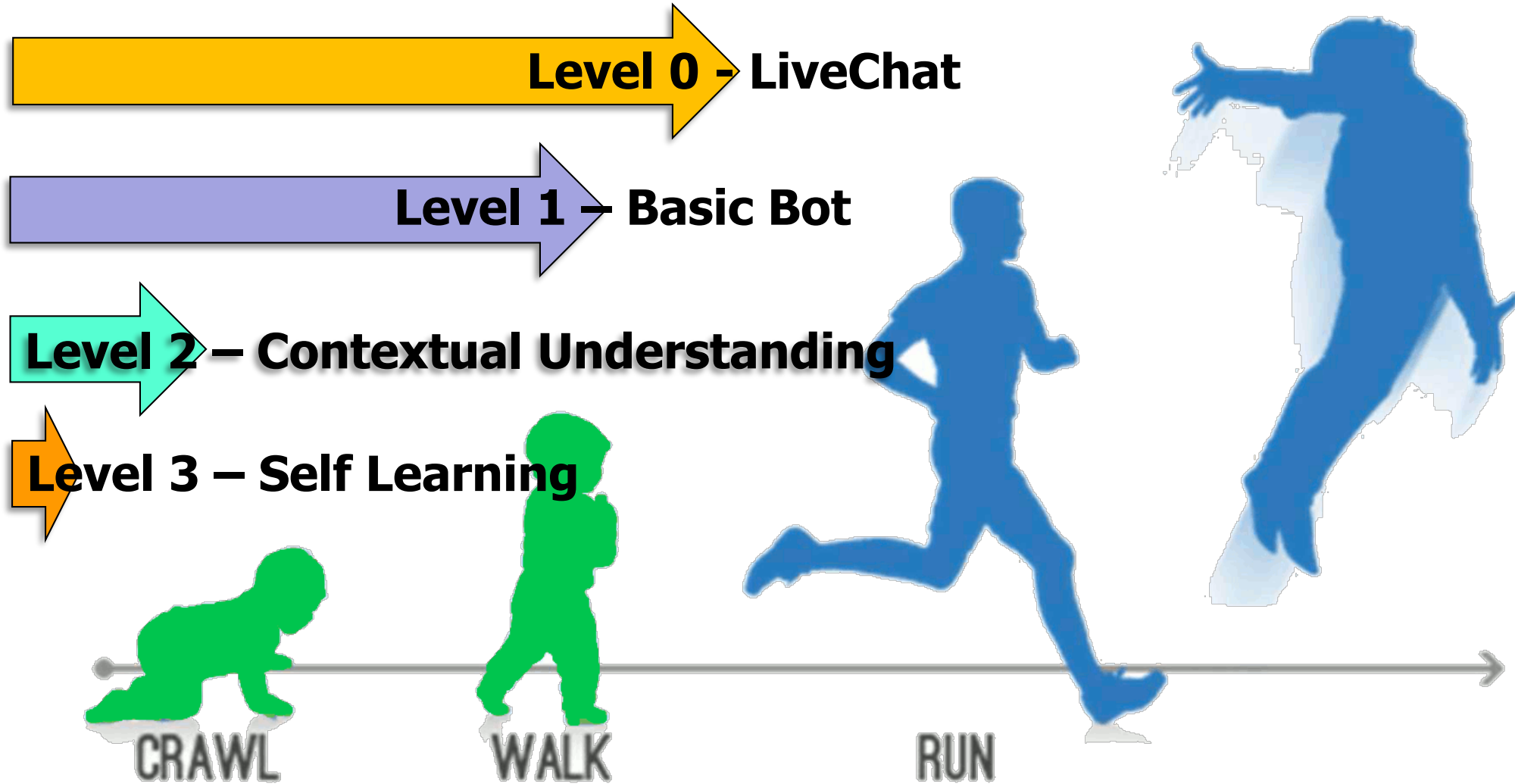
- Update Phase 2 of work plan based on results
- Seek approval from ITAC and the JCTC to conclude Phase 1 and initiate Phase 2; amend the annual agenda accordingly



Closing Remarks

- Chatbots are part of current norms
- More Content, More Information = More Access
- Technology is still improving and evolving

Where We Are Today





REPORT

Item 8. Spotlight: Futures Commission Directive – Remote Video Appearances for Most Non-Criminal Hearings

Hon. Samantha Jessner, Executive Sponsor

Mr. Jake Chatters, Workstream Business Lead

Mr. Alan Crouse, Workstream Project Manager

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ADVISORY COMMITTEE: REMOTE VIDEO APPEARANCES WORKING GROUP

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS – PRESENTED APRIL 15, 2019



PRESENTERS

- Judge Samantha Jessner, Work Group Chair and Judge, Los Angeles Superior Court
- Mr. Alan Crouse, Work Group Project Manager and Deputy Executive Officer, San Bernardino Superior Court
- Mr. Jake Chatters, Work Group Business Lead and Court Executive Officer, Placer Superior Court

WORK GROUP CHARGE

- Consider feasibility of, and resource requirements, for developing and implementing a pilot project to allow remote appearances by parties, counsel, and witnesses for most noncriminal court proceedings.

WORK GROUP KEY OBJECTIVES

Phase I:

- (a) Identify and conduct a mock remote video hearing using a web conferencing system for a specific hearing type (e.g., Civil - Small Claims) as a Proof of Concept (POC) in a court.
- (b) Capture learnings and report findings.
- (c) Update Phase 2 workplan based on results.
- (d) Seek approval from ITAC and the JCTC to conclude Phase I and initiate Phase 2; amend the annual agenda accordingly.

WORK GROUP – GUIDING CONCEPTS

- The work group approached its work with the following key concepts in mind:
 - Access to Justice – Remote video appearance is an additional, optional mechanism.
 - Preserve Litigant Rights – The use, or non-use, of Remote Video Appearance can neither benefit nor disadvantage one party over another.
 - Ensure Dignity and Integrity of Process – Remote appearances must retain a dignified and stable backdrop for the resolution of disputes.
 - Don't Over Complicate – Develop a relatively simple set of guidelines which would place a minimal burden on both the litigants and the court.

WORK GROUP ACTIVITIES

- Literature Review
- Issue Brainstorming, Identification, Debate, and Resolution

WORK GROUP ACTIVITIES

LITERATURE REVIEW

- Report to the Administrative Conference of the United States, Best Practices for Using Video Teleconferencing for Hearings and Related Proceedings; Center for Legal and Court Technologies, 2014.
- Video Remote Technology in California Courts, Survey and Findings; Judicial Council of California, Court Technology Advisory Committee, December, 2014.
- Study of State Trial Courts Use of Remote Technology; National Association for Presiding Judges and Court Executive Officers, April 2016.
- Use of Telephonic and Video Conferencing Technology in Remote Court Appearances, A Supplemental Report to a State Justice Institute (SJI) Funded Project; State Justice Institute, June 2016.
- Remote Appearances of Parties, Attorneys and Witnesses, A Review of Current Court Rules and Practices; Self-Represented Litigation Network, March 2017.

WORK GROUP ACTIVITIES

ISSUE BRAINSTORMING, IDENTIFICATION, DEBATE, AND RESOLUTION

- Detailed list of topics and questions developed.
- Divided into four groups
 - Procedure
 - Evidence
 - Rules
 - Technology.

WORK GROUP ACTIVITIES

ISSUE BRAINSTORMING, IDENTIFICATION, DEBATE, AND RESOLUTION

- Procedure topics included:
 - Participant Scheduling
 - Process for Documenting Agreements
 - Video Display During Hearing
 - Facilitating Private Discussions
 - Calendar Management
- Evidence considerations:
 - Evidence Exchange and Presentation
 - Court Role in Facilitating Evidence Exchange

WORK GROUP ACTIVITIES ISSUE BRAINSTORMING, IDENTIFICATION, DEBATE, AND RESOLUTION

- Rules and Legislation were considered in the following areas:
 - Participant Environment at Remote Site
 - Hearings Allowed
 - Participants Allowed
 - Interpreter Participation Guidelines
 - Training Program
 - Quality Control
 - Record Capture
 - Cost for Remote Appearance

WORK GROUP ACTIVITIES

ISSUE BRAINSTORMING, IDENTIFICATION, DEBATE, AND RESOLUTION

- Technology readiness and requirements were discussed for:
 - Participant Technical Requirements at Remote Site
 - Evidence Display During Video Appearance
 - Interpreter Technical Requirements
 - Signature Capture Technology
 - Video Displays in the Courtroom
 - Technical Guidelines for Video Connections

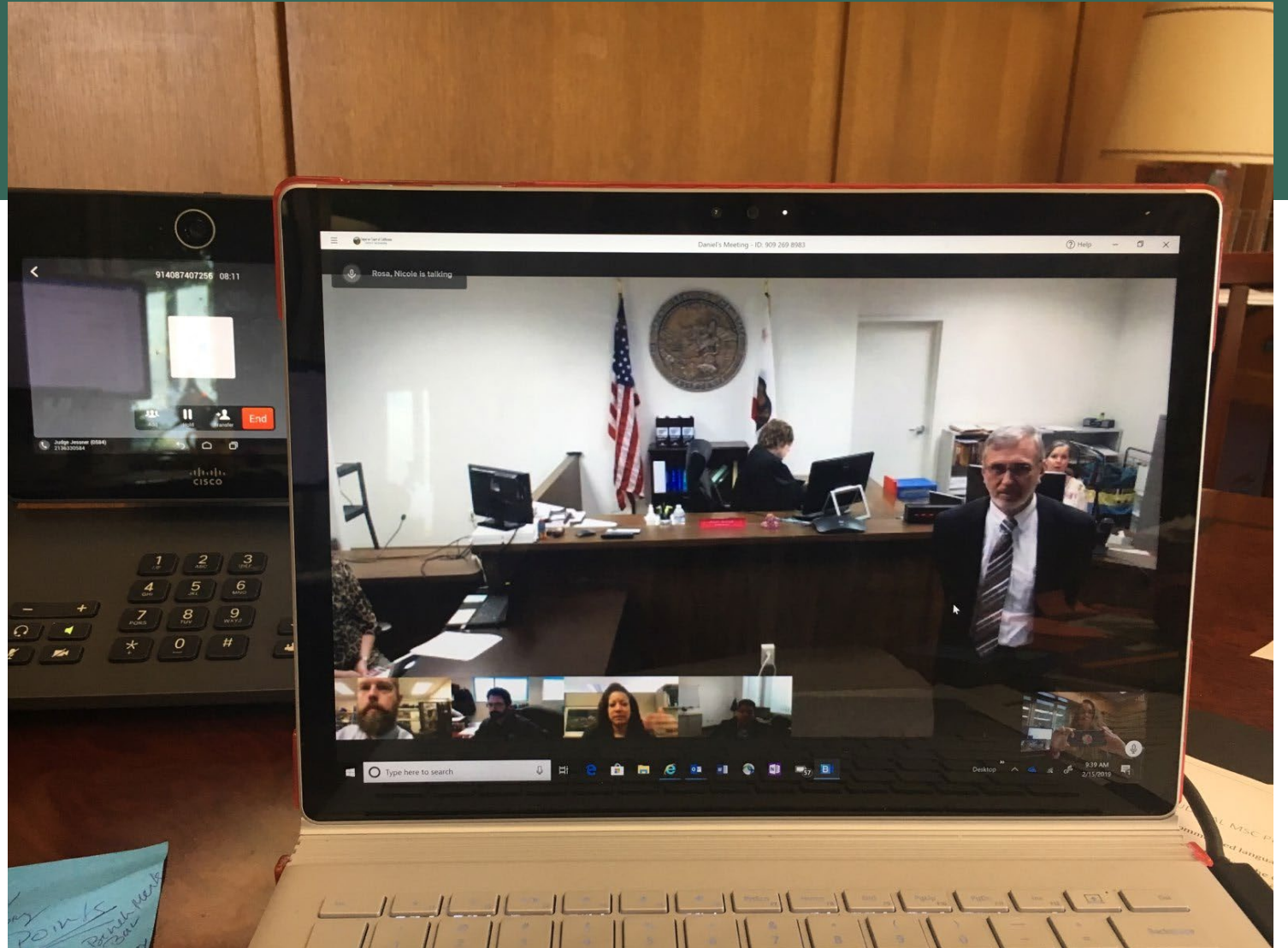
MOCK HEARING(S)

- Held on February 15, 2019
- Physical site – San Bernardino Superior Court
- Remote sites
 - Los Angeles Superior Court
 - Placer Superior Court
 - Humboldt Superior Court
 - Sacramento Superior Court
 - Judicial Council Offices – San Francisco.

MOCK HEARING(S)

- Civil Harassment and Small Claims Hearing.
- Scripts based on actual hearings.
- Included evidence sharing via SharePoint.
- Positive response from participants:
 - 76.93% Very Satisfied justice would have been served
 - 23.08% Somewhat satisfied justice would have been served.

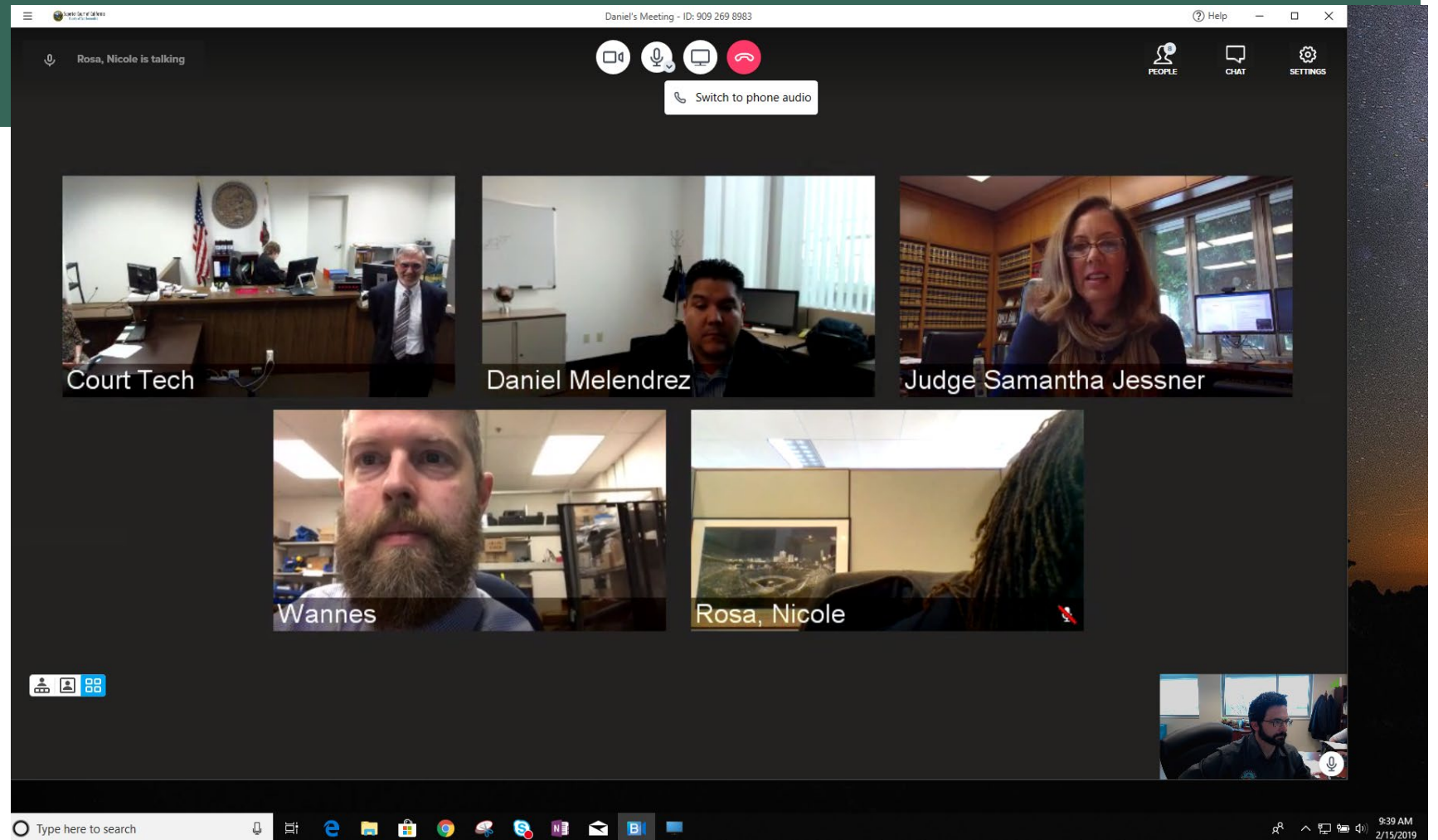
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MOCK HEARINGS PRIMARY CONCERNS

- Primary concerns expressed by participants in the mock hearings:
 - Monitor placement in the courtroom.
 - Clear identification of parties reason for “going dark.”
 - Ensuring all participants test equipment prior to the event.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

- Recommendations were developed to provide general guidelines and allow flexibility for early adopters.
- Consistent with rules around telephonic appearance that provide general deference to local courts.
- Assumption that, consistent with telephone appearances, no court will manage video remote appearances for a case type.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

■ Recommendation I

The Judicial Council should pursue amendment of Code of Civil Procedure 367.5 to conform authorization for video and/or digital appearances to those made via telephone.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

■ Recommendation 2

The Judicial Council should pursue amendment to Code of Civil Procedure section 367.6, Government Code section 72011, and repeal of Government Code Section 70630.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

■ Recommendation 3

The Judicial Council should adopt a new Rule of Court specific to video and digital appearances that largely mirrors California Rules of Court, rule 3.670 regarding telephone appearances.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

■ Recommendation 4

The Judicial Council should amend California Rules of Court, rule 5.9 to allow for video and digital appearances in family law proceedings.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

■ Recommendation 5

The Judicial Council should adopt the Key Considerations for Court Implementation of Video Appearances publication proposed as an Appendix to the Phase I Report and direct the Information Technology Advisory Committee to propose future revisions to the document as additional lessons are learned and to keep pace with technology changes.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

■ Recommendation 6

The Judicial Council should direct the Information Technology Advisory Committee and Judicial Council staff to develop estimates of increased court staff and technology costs to support court-facilitated evidence sharing in video appearances.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

■ Recommendation 7

The Information Technology Advisory Committee should recommend rules regarding digitized evidence for use in video or digital appearances.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

■ Recommendation 8

Sunset the Remote Video Appearances Work Group and re-form the group after the Innovations Grants are complete.

DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

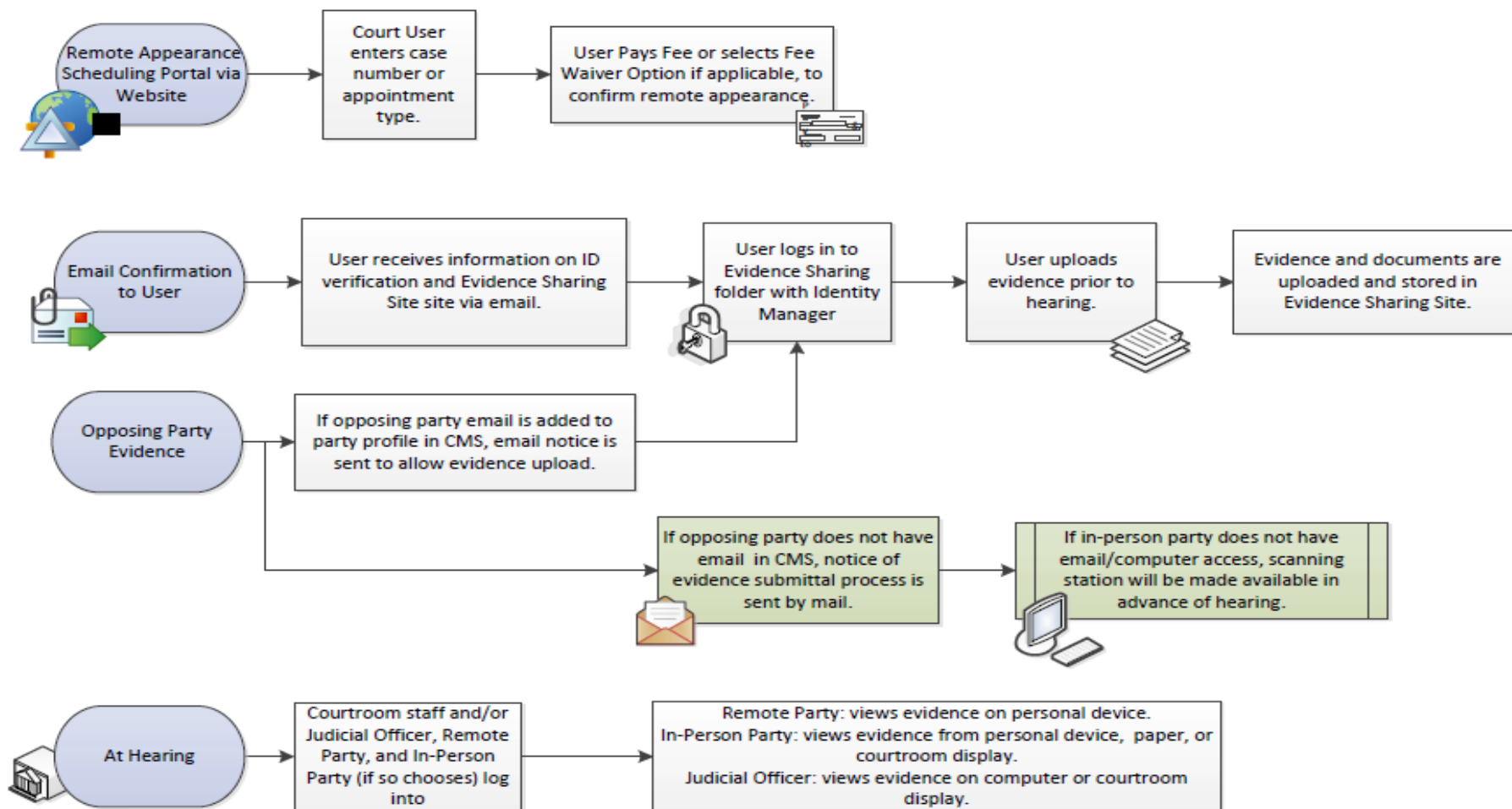
■ Recommendation 9

The Judicial Council should adopt the Recommended Technical Capabilities for Remote Video Appearances proposed as an Appendix to the Phase I Report and direct the Information Technology Advisory Committee to propose future revisions to the document as additional lessons are learned and to keep pace with technology changes.

DISCUSSION AREAS

- The Phase I Report includes discussion of:
 - Evidence sharing concepts and potential technical design.
 - Interaction of parties and the court.

Video Remote Hearings – Conceptual Evidence Presentation Design



DISCUSSION AREAS

- The Phase I Report includes a Key Considerations Guide:
 - Outlines the major topics reviewed by the Work Group that did not rise to the level of rule or legislative requirements.
 - Intended to support early adopter implementation efforts.

NEXT STEPS

- Finalize Report to ITAC
- Approval by ITAC needed at the June meeting.


REPORT

Item 9. Comments and Questions Regarding Written Workstream and Subcommittee Reports

During this section, members are invited to comment on the written reports of initiatives **not** being discussed during today's meeting.


For written reports, refer to the full report in the materials e-binder.

1.2. Futures Commission Directive: Voice to Text Language Services Outside the Courtroom (Phase 1)

 **Highlight:** Two tracks have formed, and the team is meeting regularly to progress through their objectives.


Executive Sponsor: Hon. James Mize
Estimated Completion Date: June 2019

2. Tactical Plan for Technology Update

 **Highlight:** Approved by ITAC and JCTC; will be submitted to the Judicial Council for review/approval in May.


Executive Sponsor: Hon. Sheila Hanson
Estimated Completion Date: May 2019

3. Video Remote Interpreting (VRI) Pilot

 **Highlight:** Final VRI Pilot report approved by the Judicial Council on March 15, 2019.

Executive Sponsor: Hon. Samantha Jessner
Estimated Completion Date: March 2019

4. E-Filing Strategy

 **Highlight:** Continued progress with master service agreements.

Executive Sponsor: Hon. Sheila Hanson
Estimated Completion Date: June 2019

5. Identity and Access Management Strategy



Highlight: Policy and Roadmap tracks meet bi-weekly and have made significant progress on policy recommendations and the branch-wide Identity Management architecture.

Executive Sponsor: Mr. Snorri Ogata
Estimated Completion Date: July 2019

6. Self-Represented Litigants (SRL) E-Services



Highlight: The workstream has completed all of their key objectives, and will formally present their findings at the June ITAC meeting.

Executive Sponsor: Hon. Michael Groch
Estimated Completion Date: March 2019

8. Digital Evidence




Phase 1 Highlight: Digital Evidence Survey Results accepted by ITAC and JCTC (workstream has sunset).

Phase 2 Highlight: Digital Evidence Phase 2 in initiation.

Executive Sponsor: Hon. Kimberly Menninger


Estimated Completion Date: April 2019

9. Data Analytics: Assess and Report (Phase 1)

 **Highlight:** Continuing work on governance policy and evaluating possible pilot projects for 19-20 BCP funding.

Executive Sponsor: Hon. Tara Desautels, Mr. David Yamasaki
Estimated Completion Date: December 2020

10. Disaster Recovery (DR) Framework (Phase 2)

 **Highlight:** Kick-off meeting held on March 29, 2019.

Executive Sponsor: Mr. Paras Gupta
Estimated Completion Date: June 2020

11. Online Dispute Resolution (ODR): Assessment



Highlight: Solicitation for workstream membership will occur shortly.

Executive Sponsor: Hon. Julie Culver
Estimated Completion Date: December 2019

12. Branchwide Information Security Roadmap



Highlight: Solicitation for workstream membership will occur shortly.

Executive Sponsor: Hon. James Mize
Estimated Completion Date: December 2019

13. Rules and Policy Subcommittee

Highlights:

- Amendments to Code of Civil Procedure sec. 1010.6, Penal Code sec. 1203.01, and rules 2.251, 2.255, 2.257, and 2.540 of the California Rules of Court were submitted for public comment.
- The CEAC Records Management Subcommittee has begun work on the standards for Electronic Court Records as Data.
- The Privacy Resource Guide (PRG) has been finalized and is ready for ITAC's approval to publish.

Chair: Hon. Peter Siggins
Estimated Completion Date: Ongoing

14. Joint Appellate Technology Subcommittee

Highlights:

- The proposed uniform formatting rules and the proposal to amend rule 8.500 are being circulated for public comment, which closes June 10.
- A pilot program is being developed for e-delivery of court documents between the appellate court and a prison.

Chair: Hon. Louis Mauro
Estimated Completion Date: Ongoing

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REPORT

Item 10. Spotlight: IT Community Development

Hon. Alan Perkins, Executive Co-Sponsor

Ms. Jeannette Vannoy, Executive Co-Sponsor

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Information Technology Advisory Committee

IT Community Development Workstream

April 15, 2019



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Workstream Tracks & Leads

Resources (People)



Track Leads

- Jeannette Vannoy
- Darrel Parker

Education



Track Leads

- Judge McNamara
- Mark Dusman

Tools



Track Leads

- Jeannette Vannoy
- Jamel Jones

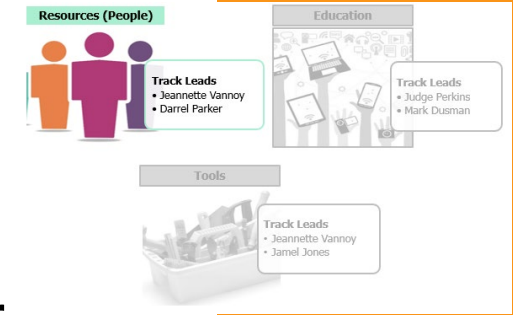
Resources Track

Findings:

There is a great desire among CEOs to explore opportunities for IT resource sharing and peer consulting, within the California Courts.

Draft Recommendations

- Court CIOs to create focus groups to further define opportunities and methods for resource sharing for established priority areas and report back recommendations to CEOs:
 - Information Security
 - Network Infrastructure
 - Case Management Systems
 - Database Administration
- Follow-up with CEOs that indicated peer consulting as their top 1 or 2 for resource sharing priorities (5) to clarify needs/interest



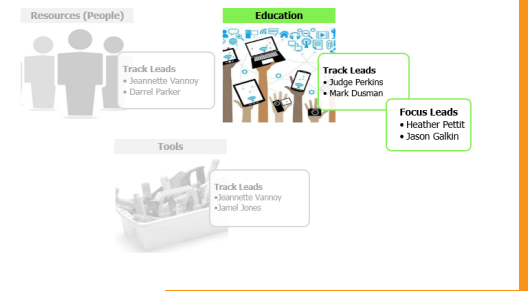
Education Track

Findings:

There is a great desire among Judges and CEOs to increase the frequency and availability of technology related education experiences for the California Courts.

Draft Recommendations:

- Continue the CIO Development Program based on the identified and prioritized needs of the CIO Community. 3 courses delivered to date with 1 other scheduled.
- Improve the nature and quality of IT skills training, by using the results of the workstream assessment to define and deliver appropriate IT skills training for Judicial Officers, Court Executives, and Operations staff.



Tools Track

Findings:

Collaboration tools have evolved to make sharing more accessible than ever before. There are many opportunities for the courts to continue to share, starting with some key focus areas.

Draft Recommendations:

- Expand JC hosted branch collaboration platforms (MS SharePoint/Teams) to pilot with identified priorities:
 - IT Security Resource Library
 - ITAC Workstream Materials (in progress and final)
 - Court IT Management Forum (CITMF) Resource Center
 - Develop a branch IT Solution Inventory Site for a “one stop shop” of what technology solutions courts have throughout the branch
- Participate in on-going Granicus efforts to expand to other committee meetings



Discussion

- Request for Feedback



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REPORT

Item 11. Next Generation Data Center Product Showing

Ms. Heather Pettit, Chief Information Officer

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NGH Recommendations

- Approve Phase 2 of the Next-Generation Hosting Framework, including pilot court and cloud service agreements
- JCIT Analysis determined JCIT should operationalize NGH
- JCIT POC/Pilot NGH Framework

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- Court looking for solutions for new data center and disaster recovery hosting
- JCIT offered to provide consulting services and recommendations using NGH Framework

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- Tools/Inputs from court
 - Questionnaire
 - In-Person meetings and interviews
 - Tours of possible solutions

Goal: To provide court leadership with clear understanding of business needs.

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- Sample Questionnaire Output:

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2	This tab reflects answered provided by the subject court and is used to level-set the court's current data center posture. Though the questions highlight deficiencies, the goal of the tab/document is to help identify which		
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4	On-site Questions		
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6	Questions	Answers	Comments
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8	What is your most important initiative? Disaster Recover or Hosting	Hosting with a DR/COOP Plan	
9	What services are required/needed operationally soon after a disaster	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electricity – Power outage • Staff • Civil • Time sensitive criminal • Juvenile • Minute orders and Calendars still on paper Now run calendars 7 days in advance Would have to write minute orders • Physical access was an obstacle Coordinate to work somewhere else • Remote access: 20-30 people have access Judges, managers • Payroll: ADP Cloud, but some shared drives and coordinate with SAP • Remote access • Emergency notification process: working on it (emergency text notification) • SMS texting was good/cell service not so much 	
10	Where is the best geographic location for your data center?	Santa Maria as it's never been evacuated	However Downtown Santa Barbara has not been subject to any disasters either.
11	Interested in cloud hosting	Maybe, over time. Already using O365 email	Once data center is stabilized, would be interested in doing a pilot cloud-based initiative.
12	What kind of hosting strategy are you interested in?	Local, on-site hosting solution	
13	How do you want to stage your existing data center hardware?	Question is ambiguous	
14	What is the age of your existing hardware to be moved to the new data center?	Varied, from 1-7 YOA	
15	Do you want to move existing hardware to new data center?	Yes - will pay professional services company to pack and ship	
16	Do you want to buy new hardware and only move the applications to new data center?	Yes, where feasible	
17			



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- Business Service Level Output:

Court Defined Recovery Time Objectives			
SLA Type	SLA Criteria	Best Case	Worst Case
Critical	Max Time Recovery	2 Hours	4 Hours
High	Max Time Recovery	6 Hours	8 Hours
Moderate	Max Time Recovery	24 Hours	24 Hours
Basic	Max Time Recovery	N/A	N/A
Table 1			

*Note: In order to meet these court assigned Recovery Time Objective SLA's, the court's server infrastructure would need to be rearchitected for either HA, hot standby, potentially cold standby or a DR/Failover plan.



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- Sample System Service Level Requirement:

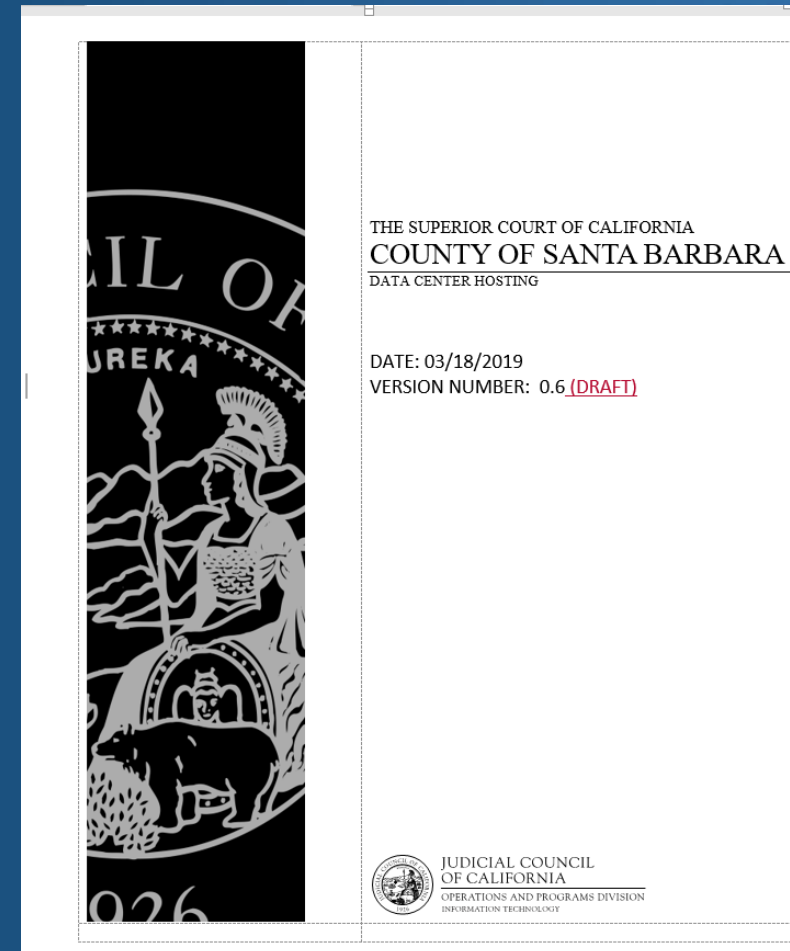
Requirement	Service Level
Systems	
Case Management	Critical
Website - Public Service Portal	Critical
E-filing	Critical
E-Warrants_PC Dec/Ipad/Magistrate phone	Critical
Jury Management	High
Communications/VoIP/Analog/Faxes	High
Electronic/Video Recording and Playback (FTR)	High
CCPOR/CLETS	Moderate
DMV- Justice Partners Branch and local (Lan/Wan- Connect)	Moderate
IVR/Call Routing	Moderate
Physical Security- Video Surv.	Moderate
Video/Meeting/Conference Systems	Basic
Facilities Requirements- Assisted Listening (ADA)	Basic
Court Call/Telephonic/Video appearance	Basic
VRI - Video Remote Interpreting	Basic
Building Access Controls	Moderate/Basic

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- JCIT Recommendations Include:
 - IT Governance
 - Potential Solution Options and Budget based on Business defined requirements
 - Next Steps for Court

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- JCIT Draft Report Includes:
 - Outputs
 - Decisions
 - Technical Overview
 - Court Next steps



NGH Framework Next Steps

- Additional Courts are interested in this consulting service (Alpine, San Luis Obispo, Inyo)
- Apply Framework to courts in need of the service and refine business process
- BCP submitted for FY 2020-2021 for funding NGH and DR consulting services

2019 ITAC Meeting Dates

- June 21 (teleconference)
- August 12 (in person)
- October 4 (teleconference)
- December 2 (in person)



Adjourn



End of Presentation (Slides)

Meeting materials e-binder
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separately.