

MODIFICATIONS TO LOCAL RULES

Date	Rule
July 21, 2016	<p>General L. R. 79(c). Withdrawal of Materials in Court Files.</p> <p>Committee Comment: New comment added.</p>
September 9, 2015	<p>General L. R. 79(d). Confidential Matters; Sealed Records. General L. R. 79(d)(3): “[M]ust” substituted for “shall.”</p> <p>General L. R. 79(d)(5): Minor typographic changes. Changes to conform to Local Rule style.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 3. Commencing an Action. Committee Comment to new Civil L. R. 3(d): Minor typographic changes.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 16. Pretrial Conferences; Scheduling; Management; Alternative Dispute Resolution. Committee Comment: New; Revised to include December 1, 2015, effective date.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 26. Duty to Disclose; General Provisions Governing Discovery. Civil L. R. 26(e): Confidentiality of Discovery Materials: Minor typographic changes.</p> <p>Protective Order Template: Re-written and relocated as an Appendix to the Local Rules. “Order” substituted for “R/rule.”</p> <p>Committee Comment: Third paragraph of original comment deleted. Paragraphs reordered.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 37. Discovery Motions. Committee Comment: New. Revised to include December 1, 2015, effective date.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 67. Security; Deposit Into Court; Withdrawal of Monies; Registry Fee. Civil L. R. 67(c). Deposit of Monies. Minor typographic changes.</p>

	<p>Committee Comment: Minor typographic changes.</p> <p>Criminal L. R. 12. Pretrial Conferences; Motions; Evidentiary Hearings; Open File Policy. Criminal L. R. 12(a)(1). Pretrial Conferences: Fed. R. Crim. P. 12(e) Criminal L. R. 12(b)(5): Re-designated as Criminal L. R. 12(b)(4).</p>
<p>December 9, 2014</p>	<p>General L. R. 5(a). General Format of Papers Presented for Filing. General L. R. 5(a)(2): New provision to exempt pro se litigants from the electronic filing requirements of General L. R. 5(a)(1) and permit filing of original paper.</p> <p>General L. R. 5(a)(2)-(6): Re-designated as General L. R. 5(a)(3)-(7).</p> <p>General L. R. 79(d). Confidential Matters; Sealed Records. General L. R. 79(d): Rewritten.</p> <p>Committee Comment: “Counsel may, and in most circumstances should submit a redacted version of the document, with a separate request to seal the portions containing confidential material.”</p> <p>General L. R. 83(b). Appearing Before the Court. General L. R. 83(b): “This requirement does not apply to attorneys appearing pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 45(f).”</p> <p>Civil L. R. 3. Commencing an Action.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 3(c). Bankruptcy Appeals: New provision.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 3(d). Social Security Disability Appeals: New provision.</p> <p>Committee Comment regarding Civil L. R. 3(d): New.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 10. Form of Pleadings. Civil L. R. 10(c): Pseudonyms: “The envelope in which the disclosure statement is filed must state prominently that the enclosed disclosure statement is being filed under seal pursuant to Civil L. R. 10. Instructions for filing the material under seal are set forth in the Electronic Case Filing Policies and Procedures</p>

Manual, which may be found on the official website of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin.”

Civil L. R. 16. Pretrial Conferences; Scheduling; Management; Alternative Dispute Resolution. Civil L. R. 16(a)(H): New provision to direct parties to be prepared to discuss whether the case is included in one of the categories of proceedings exempted from initial disclosures and discovery conference pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(1)(B) and 26(f); and to indicate that appeals for review on an administrative record are exempted from Civil L. R. 16(C),(D) and (E).

Civil L. R. 16(a)(H): Re-designated Civil L. R. 16(a)(I).

Civil L. R. 26. Duty to Disclose; General Provisions Governing Discovery. Civil L. R. 26(b)(1): “Unless otherwise stipulated or ordered by the Court.”

Civil L. R. 26(b)(1)(B): “Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(B)(C)(i), although a report written and signed by the witness is not required.”

Civil L. R. 26(e) Confidentiality of Discovery Materials: Civil L. R. 26(e)(1) rewritten; Protective Order Template rewritten and relocated as an Appendix to the Local Rules.

Civil L. R. 26(f) Filing Papers Under Seal: Revised to provide that a party filing information covered by a protective order must follow the procedure set forth in General L. R. 79(d).

Committee Comment: New comments added.

Civil L. R. 37. Discovery Motions.

Committee Comment: New.

Civil L. R. 41. Dismissal of Actions.

Civil L. R. 41(c). Dismissal for Lack of Diligence: “Whenever it appears to the Court that the plaintiff is not diligently prosecuting the action and Civil L. R. 41(a) or (b) does not apply, the Court may enter an order of dismissal with or without prejudice.”

	<p>Civil L. R. 67. Security; Deposit Into Court; Withdrawal of Monies; Registry Fee.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 67(c): Rewritten.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 67(e): Revised.</p> <p>Committee Comment: Rewritten.</p> <p>Criminal L. R. 12. Pretrial Conferences; Motions; Evidentiary Hearings; Open File Policy.</p> <p>Criminal L. R. 12(a)(1) Pretrial Conferences: “Any time between the arraignment and the date set by pretrial scheduling order for filing pretrial motions must be deemed excluded from the speedy trial deadline under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(ii), upon a specific finding and order by the judge under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).”</p> <p>Criminal L. R. 12(a)(3): References to Fed. R. Crim. P. 12(b)(3) and Fed. R. Crim. P. 12(b)(4) deleted.</p> <p>Criminal L. R. 12(a)(4): Repealed (regarding time to be excluded from speedy trial deadline under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(1)(D)).</p> <p>Comments to Criminal Rules deleted.</p>
November 9, 2012	<p>Civil L. R. 56. Summary Judgment.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 56 (a)(1)(B): “(B) In addition to the statement required by Civil L. R. 56(a)(1)(A), the text to Fed. R. Civ. P. 56 (c),(d), and (e), Civil L. R. 56(a), Civil L. R. 56(b), and Civil L. R. 7 must be part of the motion.”</p> <p>Civil L. R. 56 (b)(1)(D): “(D) any affidavits, declarations, and other materials referred to in Fed. R. Civ. P. 56(e)(c).”</p> <p>Civil L. R. 56 (b)(2)(C): “(C) any opposing affidavits, declarations, and other materials referred to in Fed. R. Civ. P. 56(e)(c).”</p>

	Civil L. R. 56 (b)(3)(C): “(C) any affidavits, declarations, and other materials referred to in Fed. R. Civ. P. 56(e)(c) submitted in reply.”
December 1, 2010	<p>Civil L. R. 56. Summary Judgment.</p> <p>Civil L. R. 56 (a)(1)(B): “In addition to the statement required by Civil L. R. 56(a)(1)(A), the text to Fed.R.Civ.P. 56(e) and (f), <i>Fed.R.Civ.P. 56 (c)(d) and (e)</i>, Civil L. R. 56(a), Civil L. R. 56(b), and Civil L. R. 7 must be part of the motion.”</p>