

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO**

RE: Assignment of Designated Magistrate )  
to Preside Over Felony Cases Transferred )  
and Accepted into the Veterans Treatment )  
Court )  
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**Administrative Order  
2023-5**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Idaho Court Administrative Rule 5.1(d), the “administrative district judge of a judicial district may by order appoint a specific attorney magistrate to hear and try one or more specific actions which are otherwise triable only by a district judge”;

WHEREAS, by Order of the Idaho Supreme Court, Senior Magistrate Judge Gregory F. Frates has been assigned to the Third Judicial District as a senior magistrate judge; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to I.C. § 1-2221(4), a “senior judge assigned as provided in this section has all the judicial powers and duties, while serving under the assignment, of a regularly qualified judge of the court to which the senior judge is assigned”;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Senior Magistrate Gregory F. Frates is assigned to preside over matters coming before the Canyon County Veterans Treatment Court when needed, until further order of the Administrative District Judge.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED.**

Dated this 6 day of June, 2023.

  
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Honorable Davis F. VanderVelde  
Administrative District Judge  
Third Judicial District

C: Hon. Gregory F. Frates  
Sue Hill, Veterans Treatment Court Coordinator  
Chris Yamamoto, Canyon County Clerk of the District Court