E-filing Implementation Schedule for Indiana Trial Courts

as of September 23, 2026

On July 23, 2015, the Indiana Supreme Court ordered the Office of Judicial Administration to establish an *E-filing Implementation Schedule* outlining when and where Trial Rules 86-88 (e-filing and e-service) will become effective and for which case types. Accordingly, the following Schedule for Electronic Filing shall apply, and Trial Rules 86-88 shall control as follows. This Schedule shall remain in effect until updated.

Courts with Voluntary or Mandatory E-filing

If no "Mandatory" date is listed in the table below, then e-filing is not yet mandatory in the court listed. See in.gov/courts/efiling/schedule for tentative future voluntary and mandatory dates.

- See the Case Types chart for details on which case types are available for initial and subsequent e-filing.
- See Definitions for further explanation of voluntary and mandatory e-filing.

Court	**Voluntary**	**Mandatory** (subsequent filings in available case types)	**Mandatory** (initial filings in available case types)
Noblesville City Court	October 1, 2026	November 30, 2006	November 30, 2026
Lowell Town Court (Lake County)	December 20, 2024	February 18, 2025	February 18, 2025
Marion City Court (Grant County)	November 14, 2024	January 13, 2025	January 13, 2025
Anderson City Court (Madison County)	April 21, 2023	June 20, 2023	June 20, 2023
Elwood City Court (Madison County)	January 3, 2023	March 3, 2023	March 3, 2023
Greenwood City Court (Johnson County)	December 1, 2022	January 30, 2023	January 30, 2023
Gas City Court (Grant County)	June 22, 2022	August 21, 2022	August 21, 2022
Schererville Town Court (Lake County)	April 1, 2022	May 31, 2022	May 31, 2022
East Chicago City Court (Lake County)	March 30, 2022	May 29, 2022	May 29, 2022
Crown Point City Court (Lake County)	January 21, 2022	March 23, 2022	March 23, 2022
Knox City (Starke County)	July 1, 2021	August 30, 2021	August 30, 2021
Elkhart City Court (Elkhart County)	November 2, 2020	December 31, 2020	December 31, 2020
Zionsville Town Court (Boone County)	January 24, 2020	March 24, 2020	March 24, 2020
Franklin City Court (Johnson County)	November 1, 2019	December 31, 2019	December 31, 2019

Court	Voluntary	Mandatory (subsequent filings in available case types)	Mandatory (initial filings in available case types)
Lawrenceburg City Court (Dearborn County)	October 4, 2019	December 3, 2019	December 3, 2019
Hobart City Court (Lake County)	September 27, 2019	November 26, 2019	November 26, 2019
Sullivan Circuit & Superior Courts	August 9, 2019	October 8, 2019	October 8, 2019
Clinton Circuit & Superior Courts	May 17, 2019	July 16, 2019	July 16, 2019
Pike Circuit Court	May 17, 2019	July 16, 2019	July 16, 2019
Howard Circuit & Superior Courts	April 19, 2019	June 18, 2019	June 18, 2019
Miami Circuit & Superior Courts	March 15, 2019	May 14, 2019	May 14, 2019
Putnam Circuit & Superior Courts	March 13, 2019	May 13, 2019	May 13, 2019
Brownsburg Town Court (Hendricks County)	March 8, 2019	May 6, 2019	May 6, 2019
Wayne Circuit & Superior Courts	March 1, 2019	April 30, 2019	April 30, 2019
Nappanee City Court (Elkhart County)	March 1, 2019	April 30, 2019	April 30, 2019
Terre Haute City Court (Vigo County)	March 1, 2019	April 30, 2019	April 30, 2019
Lake Circuit & Superior Courts	December 12, 2018	February 11, 2019	February 11, 2019
Goshen City Court (Elkhart County)	October 5, 2018	December 4, 2018	December 4, 2018
Warrick Circuit & Superior Courts	August 10, 2018	October 9, 2018	October 9, 2018
Ripley Circuit & Superior Courts	June 29, 2018	August 28, 2018	August 28, 2018
Daviess Circuit & Superior Courts	June 27, 2018	August 27, 2018	August 27, 2018
Montgomery Circuit & Superior Courts	June 22, 2018	August 21, 2018	August 21, 2018
Decatur Township Small Claims Court (Marion County)	June 15, 2018	August 14, 2018	August 14, 2018
Pike Township Small Claims Court (Marion County)	June 15, 2018	August 14, 2018	August 14, 2018
Jay Circuit & Superior Courts	June 6, 2018	August 6, 2018	August 6, 2018
Muncie City Court (Delaware County)	May 11, 2018	July 10, 2018	July 10, 2018
Lawrence Circuit & Superior Courts	April 6, 2018	June 4, 2018	June 4, 2018
Vermillion Circuit Court	April 4, 2018	June 4, 2018	June 4, 2018
Center Township Small Claims Court (Marion County)	March 23, 2018	May 22, 2018	May 22, 2018
Randolph Circuit & Superior Courts	March 14, 2018	May 14, 2018	May 14, 2018
Fishers City Court (Hamilton County)	March 2, 2018	May 1, 2018	May 1, 2018

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Clarksville Town Court (Clark County)	February 23, 2018	April 24, 2018	April 24, 2018
Franklin Township Small Claims Court (Marion County)	February 23, 2018	April 24, 2018	April 24, 2018
Perry Township Small Claims Court (Marion County)	February 23, 2018	April 24, 2018	April 24, 2018
Wayne Township Small Claims Court (Marion County)	February 23, 2018	April 24, 2018	April 24, 2018
Spencer Circuit Court	February 21, 2018	April 23, 2018	April 23, 2018
Lawrence Township Small Claims Court (Marion County)	February 16, 2018	April 17, 2018	April 17, 2018
Washington Township Small Claims Court (Marion County)	February 16, 2018	April 17, 2018	April 17, 2018
Beech Grove City Court (Marion County)	February 2, 2018	April 3, 2018	April 3, 2018
Brown Circuit Court	January 31, 2018	April 2, 2018	April 2, 2018
Plainfield Town Court (Hendricks County)	December 15, 2017	February 13, 2018	February 13, 2018
Dearborn Circuit & Superior Courts	December 15, 2017	February 13, 2018	February 13, 2018
Ohio Circuit Court	December 8, 2017	February 6, 2018	February 6, 2018
Fulton Circuit & Superior Courts	December 1, 2017	January 30, 2018	January 30, 2018
Switzerland Circuit Court	November 29, 2017	January 26, 2018	January 26, 2018
Boone Circuit & Superior Courts	November 17, 2017	January 16, 2018	January 16, 2018
Crawford Circuit Court	November 17, 2017	January 16, 2018	January 16, 2018
DeKalb Circuit & Superior Courts	November 10, 2017	January 9, 2018	January 9, 2018
Orange Circuit & Superior Courts	November 10, 2017	January 9, 2018	January 9, 2018
Noble Circuit & Superior Courts	November 8, 2017	January 5, 2018	January 5, 2018
Benton Circuit Court	November 3, 2017	January 2, 2018	January 2, 2018
Blackford Circuit & Superior Courts	October 27, 2017	December 26, 2017	December 26, 2017
Fayette Circuit & Superior Courts	October 20, 2017	December 19, 2017	December 19, 2017
Decatur Circuit & Superior Courts	October 18, 2017	December 15, 2017	December 15, 2017
Bartholomew Circuit & Superior Courts	October 13, 2017	December 12, 2017	December 12, 2017
Marshall Circuit & Superior Courts	September 29, 2017	November 28, 2017	November 28, 2017
Newton Circuit & Superior Courts	September 27, 2017	November 27, 2017	November 27, 2017

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Scott Circuit & Superior Courts	September 22, 2017	November 21, 2017	November 21, 2017
Martin Circuit Court	September 6, 2017	November 3, 2017	November 3, 2017
Adams Circuit & Superior Courts	August 16, 2017	October 13, 2017	October 13, 2017
Carmel City Court (Hamilton County)	August 7, 2017	October 6, 2017	October 6, 2017
Warren Township Small Claims Court (Marion County)	August 7, 2017	October 6, 2017	October 6, 2017
Pulaski Circuit & Superior Courts	July 26, 2017	September 22, 2017	September 22, 2017
Delaware Circuit Court	July 14, 2017	September 12, 2017	September 12, 2017
Dubois Circuit & Superior Courts	June 28, 2017	August 25, 2017	August 25, 2017
Warren Circuit Court	June 16, 2017	August 15, 2017	August 15, 2017
Perry Circuit Court	June 16, 2017	August 15, 2017	August 15, 2017
Parke Circuit Court	June 9, 2017	August 8, 2017	August 8, 2017
Gibson Circuit & Superior Courts	June 9, 2017	August 8, 2017	August 8, 2017
Starke Circuit Court	June 2, 2017	August 1, 2017	August 1, 2017
Fountain Circuit Court	June 2, 2017	August 1, 2017	August 1, 2017
Whitley Circuit & Superior Courts	June 1, 2017	July 31, 2017	July 31, 2017
Vigo Circuit & Superior Courts	May 26, 2017	July 25, 2017	July 25, 2017
St. Joseph Circuit & Superior Courts	May 19, 2017	July 18, 2017	July 18, 2017
Kosciusko Circuit & Superior Courts	May 5, 2017	July 3, 2017	July 3, 2017
Jennings Circuit & Superior Courts	May 1, 2017	June 30, 2017	June 30, 2017
LaPorte Circuit & Superior Courts	April 21, 2017	June 20, 2017	June 20, 2017
Jefferson Circuit & Superior Courts	April 19, 2017	June 19, 2017	June 19, 2017
Porter Circuit & Superior Courts	April 6, 2017	June 5, 2017	June 5, 2017
Jasper Circuit & Superior Courts	April 3, 2017	June 2, 2017	June 2, 2017
Carroll Circuit & Superior Courts	April 3, 2017	June 2, 2017	June 2, 2017
Wabash Circuit & Superior Courts	March 22, 2017	May 22, 2017	May 22, 2017
Tippecanoe Circuit & Superior Courts	March 17, 2017	May 16, 2017	May 16, 2017
Hancock Circuit & Superior Courts	March 6, 2017	May 5, 2017	May 5, 2017
Vanderburgh Circuit & Superior Courts	February 20, 2017	April 21, 2017	May 5, 2017

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LaGrange Circuit & Superior Courts	February 16, 2017	April 17, 2017	May 5, 2017
Allen Circuit & Superior Courts	February 6, 2017	April 7, 2017	May 5, 2017
Posey Circuit & Superior Courts	February 6, 2017	April 7, 2017	May 5, 2017
Washington Circuit & Superior Courts	January 16, 2017	March 17, 2017	May 5, 2017
Knox Circuit & Superior Courts	December 12, 2016	February 10, 2017	May 5, 2017
White Circuit & Superior Courts	December 8, 2016	February 6, 2017	May 5, 2017
Greene Circuit & Superior Courts	December 5, 2016	February 3, 2017	May 5, 2017
Owen Circuit Courts	December 5, 2016	February 3, 2017	May 5, 2017
Steuben Circuit & Superior Courts	December 5, 2016	February 3, 2017	May 5, 2017
Tipton Circuit Court	November 21, 2016	January 20, 2017	May 5, 2017
Monroe Circuit Courts	November 21, 2016	January 20, 2017	May 5, 2017
Marion Circuit & Superior Courts	October 28, 2016	December 27, 2016	May 5, 2017
Clay Circuit & Superior Courts	October 21, 2016	January 19, 2017	May 5, 2017
Huntington Circuit & Superior Courts	October 14, 2016	December 13, 2016	May 5, 2017
Grant Circuit & Superior Courts	October 3, 2016	December 2, 2016	May 5, 2017
Johnson Circuit & Superior Courts	September 26, 2016	November 25, 2016	May 5, 2017
Morgan Circuit & Superior Courts	September 19, 2016	November 18, 2016	May 5, 2017
Jackson Circuit & Superior Courts	August 15, 2016	October 14, 2016	May 5, 2017
Union Circuit Court	August 3, 2016	September 30, 2016	May 5, 2017
Rush Circuit & Superior Courts	August 2, 2016	September 30, 2016	May 5, 2017
Franklin Circuit Courts	August 1, 2016	September 30, 2016	May 5, 2017
Elkhart Circuit & Superior Courts	July 25, 2016	September 23, 2016	May 5, 2017
Cass Circuit & Superior Courts	July 18, 2016	September 16, 2016	May 5, 2017
Wells Circuit & Superior Courts	June 29, 2016	January 1, 2017	May 5, 2017
Hendricks Circuit & Superior Courts	May 16, 2016	September 1, 2016	May 5, 2017
Floyd Circuit & Superior Courts	April 18, 2016	September 1, 2016	May 5, 2017
Henry Circuit Courts	April 11, 2016	September 1, 2016	May 5, 2017
Madison Circuit & Superior Courts	March 28, 2016	September 1, 2016	May 5, 2017

Court	Voluntary	Mandatory (subsequent filings in available case types)	Mandatory (initial filings in available case types)
Harrison Circuit & Superior Courts	March 21, 2016	September 1, 2016	May 5, 2017
Shelby Circuit & Superior Courts	March 7, 2016	September 1, 2016	May 5, 2017
Clark Circuit Court	January 19, 2016	September 1, 2016	May 5, 2017
Hamilton Circuit & Superior Courts	July 29, 2015	July 1, 2016	January 1, 2017

Case Types Available for E-filing

Documents in the following case types may be e-filed in any court with voluntary or mandatory e-filing in effect. Any case with a type not listed below is not eligible for e-filing. This includes expungements in cases that were filed before January 1, 1987, which is when the uniform case number (AR8) became effective.

Identifier	Case Type	Filing availability	Date first available
AD	Adoption	Initial and subsequent	05-01-2016
AH	Adoption History	Subsequent filings only	05-01-2016
CB	CB-Foreign Judgment	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015
CC	Civil Collection	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015
CF	Criminal Felony	Subsequent filings only	10-19-2015
CM	Criminal Misdemeanor	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
CP	Civil Plenary	Subsequent filings only	05-01-2016
CT	Civil Tort	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015
DC	Domestic Relations with Children	Initial and subsequent	01-01-2017
DF	Class D or Lesser Felony	Subsequent filings only	10-19-2015
DN	Domestic Relations without Children	Initial and subsequent	01-01-2017
DR	Domestic Relations	Subsequent filings only	01-01-2017
DR[1]	Domestic Relations	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015
EM	Estate, Miscellaneous	Initial and subsequent	09-01-2015
ES	Estate, Supervised	Initial and subsequent	09-01-2015
EU	Estate, Unsupervised	Initial and subsequent	09-01-2015
EV	Eviction	Initial and subsequent	01-01-2021
F1	Felony 1	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
F2	Felony 2	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
F3	Felony 3	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
F4	Felony 4	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
F5	Felony 5	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015

[1] On January 1, 2017, the DR case type was replaced with DC and DN. DR cases are no longer available for initial filings.

Identifier	Case Type	Filing availability	Date first available
F6	Felony 6	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
FA	Class A Felony	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
FB	Class B Felony	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
FC	Class C Felony	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
FD	Class D Felony	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
GU	Guardianship	Initial and subsequent	09-01-2015
IF	Infraction	Subsequent filings only	10-19-2015
JC	Child in Need of Services	Subsequent filings only	05-01-2016
JD	Juvenile Delinquency	Subsequent filings only	05-01-2016
JM	Juvenile Miscellaneous	Subsequent filings only	05-01-2016
JP	Juvenile Paternity	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
JQ*	Child Protection Order	Initial and subsequent	10-01-2019
JS	Juvenile Status	Subsequent filings only	05-01-2016
JT	Juvenile Termination of Parental Rights	Initial and subsequent	05-01-2016
MC	Miscellaneous Criminal	Subsequent filings only	10-19-2015
MF	Mortgage Foreclosure	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015
MH	Mental Health	Initial and subsequent	10-14-2016
MI	Miscellaneous Civil	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015
MR	Murder	Initial and subsequent	10-19-2015
OV	Local Ordinance Violation	Subsequent filings only	10-19-2015
PC	Post-Conviction Relief	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015
PL	Civil Plenary	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015
PO*	Protection Order	Initial and subsequent	10-01-2019
RF[2]	Red Flag – Civil Case Types	Initial and subsequent	01-01-2023
RF	Red Flag – Criminal Case Types	Initial and subsequent	01-01-2023
RS	Reciprocal Support	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015

[2] The RF case type for civil and criminal case types became effective and available for initial and subsequent filings on January 1, 2023.

Identifier	Case Type	Filing availability	Date first available
SC	Small Claim	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015
TP	Verified Petition for Issuance of a Tax Deed	Initial and subsequent	01-01-2017
TR	Trust	Initial and subsequent	09-01-2015
TS[3]	Application for Judgment in a Tax Sale	Initial and subsequent	08-25-2017
XP	Expungement	Initial and subsequent	07-29-2015

*****_PO and JQ cases may be e-filed only using the state's free Protection Order E-filing Service._

Definitions

Voluntary E-filing. On and after the "Voluntary" date listed, Trial Rule 86 shall govern any documents filed in the courts listed above for those who choose to e-file using the Indiana E-filing System.

Mandatory E-filing for subsequent filings. On and after the "Mandatory (subsequent filings)" date listed, attorneys are required to use the Indiana E-filing System to e-file documents in any case already opened, with an available case type listed in this document, in the courts listed above.

Mandatory E-filing for initial filings. On and after the "Mandatory (initial filings)" date listed, attorneys are required to use the Indiana E-filing System to e-file the case-initiating document(s) in all cases, with available case types listed in this document, in the courts listed above.

[3] The TS case type became effective and available for subsequent filings on January 1, 2017. On August 25, 2017, this case type became available for initial filings.