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WISCONSIN COURT OF APPEALS MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT

June 2017

This statistical report presents information about the case filings and dispositions of the Wisconsin Court of Appeals during the month of June 2017 and to date for the year that began on January 1, 2017.

Opinions and Orders Issued by the Court

The Court of Appeals issued 69 opinions, 73 summary dispositions, and 58 other written decisions in June. Opinions include three-judge and one-judge authored opinions and per curiam opinions. Summary dispositions include opinions issued in the form of a court order after the court has reviewed the briefs and the record and, generally, following a screening and decision conference. Other written decisions include memorandum opinions, which are issued in the form of a court order prior to a screening and decision conference, and miscellaneous orders terminating cases (e.g., voluntary dismissals and stipulations to dismiss). The breakdown by district and type of disposition is as follows:

<u>June 2017</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cases Terminated	<u>49</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>200</u>
Opinion - Civil	9	5	7	9	30
Opinion - Criminal	15	6	9	9	39
Sum. Disp. - Civil.....	4	9	0	15	28
Sum. Disp. - Criminal	9	21	10	5	45
Memo Opinion - Civil.....	5	2	12	6	25
Memo Opinion - Criminal.....	0	3	3	3	9
Other - Civil	7	10	2	2	21
Other - Criminal	0	2	0	1	3

So far this year, the Court of Appeals has issued 439 opinions, 361 summary dispositions, and 381 other written decisions.

<u>Year to Date</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cases Terminated	<u>257</u>	<u>339</u>	<u>292</u>	<u>293</u>	<u>1181</u>
Opinion - Civil	42	59	68	55	224
Opinion - Criminal	59	41	54	61	215
Sum. Disp. - Civil.....	22	47	14	40	123
Sum. Disp. - Criminal	46	87	45	60	238
Memo Opinion - Civil.....	44	43	52	37	176
Memo Opinion - Criminal.....	17	27	40	15	99
Other - Civil	18	25	18	21	82
Other – Criminal.....	9	10	1	4	24

Appeals Filed

A total of 244 appeals were filed during the month. An appeal asks the Court of Appeals to review the decision of the circuit court.

<u>June 2017</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cases Filed	<u>77</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>244</u>
Civil.....	43	32	31	34	140
Criminal	34	33	19	18	104

So far this year, a total of 1226 appeals have been filed.

<u>Year to Date</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cases Filed	<u>378</u>	<u>309</u>	<u>258</u>	<u>281</u>	<u>1226</u>
Civil.....	177	131	134	170	612
Criminal	201	178	124	111	614

Appeals Pending

As of the end of the month, a total of 2110 cases were pending before the Court of Appeals.

	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cases Pending	<u>772</u>	<u>479</u>	<u>391</u>	<u>468</u>	<u>2110</u>
Civil.....	287	186	176	248	897
Criminal	485	293	215	220	1213

Petitions for Supervisory Writ

The Court of Appeals received 16 and disposed of 8 petitions for supervisory writ during the month. A petition for supervisory writ asks the Court of Appeals to order the circuit court to take a certain action in a case.

	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Sup. Writs Filed.....	6	5	1	4	16
Sup. Writs Terminated	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>8</u>
Granted.....	0	0	0	1	1
Denied, Dismissed, Other.....	2	2	1	2	7
Sup. Writs Pending.....	21	11	5	12	49

Petitions for Leave to Appeal

The Court of Appeals received 14 and disposed of 12 petitions for leave to appeal during the month. A petition for leave to appeal asks the Court of Appeals to invoke its discretionary jurisdiction and accept the appeal of a case in which a final order has not been issued.

	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Leave to Appeal Petitions Filed	0	3	10	1	14
Leave to Appeal Petitions Terminated	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>12</u>
Granted.....	0	0	1	1	2
Denied, Dismissed, Other.....	1	1	3	5	10
Leave to Appeal Petitions Pending.....	4	5	9	3	21

Petitions for Review, Petitions for Bypass, and Certifications to the Supreme Court

The Supreme Court received 71 petitions for review of decisions of the Court of Appeals, 4 petitions to bypass the Court of Appeals, and 2 request for certification. In a petition for bypass, a party requests that the Supreme Court take jurisdiction of an appeal or other proceeding pending in the Court of Appeals. In a request for certification, the Court of Appeals asks the Supreme Court to exercise its appellate jurisdiction before the Court of Appeals hears the matter.

	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Petitions for Review Filed	<u>13</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>71</u>
Civil.....	9	8	7	3	27
Criminal	4	20	11	9	44
Petitions for Bypass Filed.....	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4</u>
Civil.....	0	0	2	0	2
Criminal	1	0	1	0	2
Certifications Filed.....	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>
Civil.....	0	0	0	1	1
Criminal	0	1	0	0	1