



COMMON PLEAS COURT

GENERAL DIVISION

Richard E. Berens, Administrative Judge
David A. Trimmer, Judge

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On April 13, 2017, the Fairfield County Court of Common Pleas, General Division, was awarded a technology grant in the amount of \$8,991.00 by the Ohio Supreme Court.

The Common Pleas Court submitted a grant application with the Supreme Court in January. The Court's proposal requested funds to upgrade the Court's case management system to include CourtView2Go, a program that provides justice partners with digital access to the Court's docket. Over 230 project proposals were received by the Supreme Court for review.

"The Court is thrilled to have received this grant as part of the Supreme Court's Technology Grant Initiative," said Jillian Boone, Court Administrator. "This upgrade will increase transparency of and access to the Court's docket while facilitating effective communication between the Court and other county agencies."

Funds for the grant were made available under the Ohio Courts Technology Initiative which was established to facilitate the exchange of information and warehousing of data by and between Ohio courts and other justice system partners through the creation of an Ohio Courts Network, deliver technology goods and services to courts, operate the Commission on Technology and the Courts, and to aid in the orderly adoption and comprehensive use of technology in Ohio courts.

Overall, the Supreme Court awarded more than \$2.8 million to fund 70 local court technology projects as part of the Initiative.

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