

1                   **IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

2   **March 17, 2023**

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4                   **NO. 23-8500-008**

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6                   **IN THE MATTER OF THE**  
7                   **DESIGNATION OF PHILLIP ROMERO**  
8                   **AS ADMINISTRATIVE AUTHORITY FOR THE**  
9                   **THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT**

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12   **ORDER**

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14                   WHEREAS, this matter came on for consideration by the Court upon request  
15 of Chief Judge George P. Eichwald to designate Phillip Romero, Chief Executive  
16 Officer, as having full administrative authority for the Thirteenth Judicial District  
17 Court on all personnel actions, and the Court having considered said request and  
18 being sufficiently advised, Chief Justice C. Shannon Bacon, Justice Michael E.  
19 Vigil, Justice David K. Thomson, Justice Julie J. Vargas, and Justice Briana H.  
20 Zamora concurring;

21                   NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the request is GRANTED and,  
22 pursuant to the Judicial Branch Personnel Rules and the Judicial Branch Policies for  
23 At-Will Employees Glossary of Terms definition of “administrative authority,”

1 Phillip Romero, Chief Executive Officer, is designated as the administrative  
2 authority for the Thirteenth Judicial District Court effective March 17, 2023.

3 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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Chief Justice C. Shannon Bacon