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First Judicial District offers one-on-one assistance to self-represented litigants *Event celebrates Law Day theme of 'Equality for All'*

GOLDEN, Colo. – People representing themselves in court proceedings in the First Judicial District (Gilpin and Jefferson counties) will have the opportunity to meet with an attorney for 15 minutes to discuss their criminal, civil, domestic, juvenile, or small-claims case.

The Law Day event, sponsored by the First Judicial District Bar Association, will be held from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. on Wednesday, May 1, 2013, in the atrium between the Jefferson County Administration offices and the Jefferson Combined Court, 100 Jefferson County Parkway, in Golden

There is no charge to meet with an attorney at the Law Day event. Discussions will be confidential.

The event is part of a broader federal program to celebrate the nation's commitment to the rule of law. This year's Law Day theme is Realizing the Dream: Equality for All.

“We’re excited to be able to provide individuals who might not be able to afford legal assistance the opportunity to meet with an attorney for free,” said First Judicial District Magistrate Marianne Tims. “This is a practical way to provide access to the justice system for all.”

For more information, contact April Bernard or Brigitte Smith at 303-271-6570, or visit http://www.courts.state.co.us/Courts/County/Custom.cfm?County_ID=2&Page_ID=352.

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