

**COUNTY OF NIAGARA
TOWN OF WHEATFIELD COURT**

**PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW
YORK,**

-against-

**KEVIN RIFORD,
Defendant.**

**MOTION REQUESTING THAT
ALL DENIED MOTIONS BE
REDUCED TO WRITING**

Docket No.: 24100028

Defendant, Kevin Riford, appearing pro se, respectfully moves this Court, before the Town Justice Rodney Giove, for an Order directing that all motions denied in this criminal matter be reduced to writing, stating the factual and legal basis for such denial.

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

1. I am the Defendant in the above-captioned criminal action pending in this Court.
2. Motions have been made by Kevin Riford and continue to be made before this Court.
3. When motions are denied orally and not reduced to writing, it substantially interferes with Defendant's ability to preserve issues for the record, prepare post-decision motions, and seek appellate review pursuant to the Criminal Procedure Law.
4. Written decisions promote a clear and accurate record and ensure fairness and transparency in judicial proceedings.

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5. Defendant therefore respectfully requests that this Court direct that any motion denied in this matter be memorialized in a written decision or written order setting forth the grounds for denial.

WHEREFORE, Defendant respectfully requests that this Court issue an Order directing that all denied motions in this case be reduced to writing, together with such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.

Dated: January 27, 2026



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