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DATE: MARCH 15, 2017
**TO: COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDERS, OPD ATTORNEYS,
OPD CONTRACTORS, & COURT-APPOINTED ATTORNEYS**
FROM: TIM YOUNG, OHIO PUBLIC DEFENDER
RE: APPELLATE ADVOCACY TRAINING

I would like to invite you to attend the Appellate Advocacy Training Seminar. This is a one-day seminar held on Friday, May 19, 2017, at the Ohio Department of Transportation, 1980 W. Broad Street, Columbus 43223. The seminar agenda is attached.

Pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code section 120-1-10, for misdemeanor and low-level felony appeals, appointed counsel must meet a minimum of 6 hours of approved CLE training in criminal or appellate practice and procedure or successful completion of a clinical education program focusing on appellate practice in order to qualify for state reimbursement. For felonies of the first, second, or third degrees, counsel must have completed a minimum of 12 hours of approved CLE training in criminal practice and procedure, at least 6 of which must be in the area of appellate practice.

Your registration fee will be paid for by the Office of the Ohio Public Defender.

Lunch is on your own; however, there is an on-site cafeteria. Free parking is available in any of the **unreserved spaces** in front of the ODOT building or the adjacent lot in front of the Department of Public Safety.

We will be applying for 6 CLEs with the Ohio Supreme Court, Attorney Continuing Legal Education which will satisfy the 6 appellate practice CLEs required for qualification. We are also requesting that 1 of the 6 hours qualify as a professional conduct hour.

Please register by completing and signing the below registration form and returning it to Terri Wilson by fax (614) 644-9972 or via email, terri.wilson@opd.ohio.gov.

The deadline to register is Friday, May 5, 2017.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Terri Wilson or me.