

Detention Hearing

The U.S. Attorney may request the court detain a defendant pending trial. However, the defendant has a right to a detention hearing within three days. At the detention hearing, the Court will hear argument from counsel as to reasons for release or detention. If released, the defendant may be placed on pretrial supervision and must abide by the conditions of release which monitored by U.S. Probation. If detained, a defendant will be held in the custody of the U.S. Marshals Service at a local facility. While in detention, if circumstances arise that would mitigate the defendant's risk of nonappearance or danger to the community, a defendant may file a motion with the Court to reconsider the prior order of detention.