

## JUSTICE OF THE PEACE COURT

### Caseload Summary - Fiscal Year 2022 - Civil Cases

|                   | Filings       | Dispositions  |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| New Castle County |               |               |
| Court 9           | 2,547         | 3,156         |
| Court 13          | 11,966        | 8,836         |
| Kent County       |               |               |
| Court 16          | 7,675         | 5,680         |
| Sussex County     |               |               |
| Court 17          | 5,255         | 4,861         |
| <b>State</b>      | <b>27,443</b> | <b>22,533</b> |

### Caseload Comparison - Fiscal Years 2021-2022 - Civil Case Filings

|                   | 2021          | 2022          | Change       | % Change     |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| New Castle County |               |               |              |              |
| Court 9           | 4,438         | 2,547         | -1,891       | -42.6%       |
| Court 13          | 7,216         | 11,966        | 4,750        | 65.8%        |
| Kent County       |               |               |              |              |
| Court 16          | 6,251         | 7,675         | 1,424        | 22.8%        |
| Sussex County     |               |               |              |              |
| Court 17          | 4,912         | 5,255         | 343          | 7.0%         |
| <b>State</b>      | <b>22,817</b> | <b>27,443</b> | <b>4,626</b> | <b>20.3%</b> |

### Caseload Comparison - Fiscal Years 2021-2022 - Civil Case Dispositions

|                   | 2021          | 2022          | Change       | % Change    |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|-------------|
| New Castle County |               |               |              |             |
| Court 9           | 3,688         | 3,156         | -532         | -14.4%      |
| Court 13          | 6,329         | 8,836         | 2,507        | 39.6%       |
| Kent County       |               |               |              |             |
| Court 16          | 5,389         | 5,680         | 291          | 5.4%        |
| Sussex County     |               |               |              |             |
| Court 17          | 5,229         | 4,861         | -368         | -7.0%       |
| <b>State</b>      | <b>20,635</b> | <b>22,533</b> | <b>1,898</b> | <b>9.2%</b> |

Source: Chief Magistrate's Office, Justice of the Peace Court; Administrative Office of the Courts.