

# BOTHELL MUNICIPAL COURT

# WELCOME TO THE COURT

*The law limits court staff in the type of assistance we are able to provide related to legal matters. Please see below for more information.*

## **We can:**

- suggest resources for finding a lawyer, legal clinic, etc.
- give or refer you to court forms, rules, and instructions.
- tell you how to find laws, court rules and procedures.
- help you get public information from case files.
- provide you with copies of public court documents.
- tell you about court schedules and how to get something scheduled.
- tell you how to pay fines, fees, and outstanding account balances.

## **We cannot:**

- tell you what you should say in court.
- tell you whom to sue.
- tell you whether you should file a case.
- refer you to specific lawyers, contact lawyers for you, or give you answers that are considered legal advice.
- tell you how your case might come out.
- tell you if you should or shouldn't do something in your case.
- tell you how to fill out forms, nor may we fill them out for you.
- correct forms for you or tell you what corrections should be made.
- change a judge's order or arrange for you to talk to a judge privately.



**Our team looks forward to serving you!**