

28-106.207 Venue.

(1) Whenever practicable and permitted by statute or rule, hearings shall be held in the area of residence of the non-governmental parties affected by agency action, or at the place most convenient to all parties as determined by the presiding officer.

(2) Failure to respond timely to any order requiring or allowing the parties to suggest an appropriate locality for final hearing may constitute a waiver of venue.

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