

# e Discovery

for Defense Attorneys



18<sup>th</sup> JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

## A New Age of Discovery

We are constantly striving to find more efficient ways in which we can better serve our community partners. As technology continues to move forward, so does the Office of the State Attorney in the 18<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit in the state of Florida.

#### ANNOUNCING eDISCOVERY

Rapid growth in technology has paved a path to share discovery electronically. Beginning October 1, 2022, all defense attorneys will begin to receive all discovery, including digital media, via the CIP Portal.





**OBTAINING DISCOVERY** 

## How Do I Obtain Discovery?

Discovery can be requested by **contacting the office** of the Assistant State Attorney assigned to the case.

The office will need your **name**, **email address**, and **case number**.

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North Brevard Government Center 400 South Street Titusville, Florida 32780 (321) 617-7510



101 Eslinger Way P.O. Box 8006 Sanford, Florida 32772-8006 (407) 665-6000







## How Do Access the Files?

An email will be sent to the email address you provide to the office. It will contain a link to view or download the files. (*Please note, larger files may take longer to appear in the portal.*)

The files will only be available for thirty (30) days.

If you still need to access the files once the link expires after 30 days, you will need to request the discovery again. This is a constraint of the system.



	Log in to CIP Portal	
	Email or Username:	
lf you have an existing account, log in here	Password:	
	Remember me	
	+D Log in	If this is your <b>first time</b>
	Received a new link and don't have an account ? Create an account	using the portal, you will need to start here
Don't forget to <b>check</b>	I forgot my password v 1.39.1.0	
this box before selecting the blue Log in button	I'm not a robot	

#### HOW IT WORKS

## The Login Screen

Once you click on the link in the email notification, you will be directed to a login screen.

If you already have an account associated with the email you provided, you can go ahead and log in.

If this is your first time visiting the portal, you will need to create a **free account**. Accounts help to secure the data being shared.

Remember to register or log in with the email address to which **the email was sent.** 



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	New user registration	
	Username	
	You can choose any username you want as long it is available Email	IMPORTANT Supply the email address where the notification email was sent
Use your email address as your user name to make it easier to log in	The email address above <b>must be the same one</b> the portal sent the notification to Password	
	Confirm Password	
HOW IT WORKS	Register ← Go back to login page	

## **New Registration**

If you select to create a new account, complete the brief form.

However, ensure that you supply the email that you requested the discovery be sent to.

This will be the only email that works for this request.



#### New user registration

A confirmation email has been sent to Please follow its instructions to confirm your account.

Send new confirmation link

Didn't receive any email? Click here

- Go back to login page

HOW IT WORKS

### **New Registration**

An email will be sent to confirm your new account.

Return to your email client or browser to select the link to confirm.



## **New Registration**

The confirmation link will return you to the log in page.

Be sure to check the "I'm not a robot" box **before** selecting the blue login button.





#### HOW IT WORKS

## **New Registration**

Once you log in for the first time, you will see a message like this providing you a link to additional help information. (*Recommended*)

If you do not wish to see this each time, check the box **Do not show this page again**.





#### HOW IT WORKS

## View and Download

The **Files** screen offers you a multitude of helpful functions

- Alert for files that have **not been downloaded**
- Alert for file **expiration**
- Indication of **file sizes**
- Ability to **download** one or all
- Ability to **search** or **filter** results



#### HELP

### **Additional Help**

The Portal has a section for Help. Simply select the ?? question icon.





## **Troubleshooting**

You must log into the Portal with the **email address to which the files were shared.** This is a security measure that cannot by bypassed.

Discovery shared that is still within the 30-day window as described above and **cannot be reshared to the same recipient's email address** again within that window.

It is possible that if you have **not received the email**, the email may have gone to the **Junk** or **Spam** folder.

A **large number of files** may take a long time to transfer to the portal. If you need to check on the progress of a file, please contact our office.

