## A Message from the Project Sponsor:

"I am pleased to announce that, after approximately three years of effort, we will begin to deploy the Judiciary's new court case management system on June 3, 2019. This is the first of five such deployments, to occur over the next 18 months. The first roll-out is focused solely on replacing the Judicial Bureau (JB) functionality of our legacy systems with Odyssey, by Tyler Technologies. The significant efforts of our NG-CMS project and governance teams has resulted in a technology solution that is configured to support evolved business processes and increased efficiency and will ultimately result in easier interactions with the court.

Testing and training on the JB-specific functionality is nearly complete, and the teams are turning their attention to managing a discrete list of tasks that are typically required to increase the likelihood of deployment success. The JB is going online within our planned budget, on schedule, and within the scope parameters defined in our contract with Tyler, our solution partner for the NG-CMS endeavor. I wish to thank the NG-CMS project and governance teams for their dedication and hard work; the fruits of their labor are about to be realized!"

### The JB Rollout Timeline

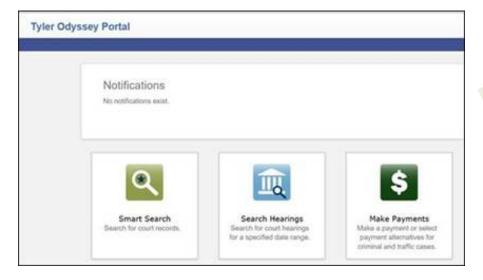
Since the last edition of the NG-CMS Newsletter, the Steering Board and Project Sponsor have agreed that the eFiling capabilities supporting the JB will be deployed at a later date than depicted in the previous newsletter. The NG-CMS Project Team presented the Steering Board with multiple reasons for recommending this adjustment, including the recognition of the low volume and impact of eFiling in the JB, and our strong focus on a successful implementation of core functionality.



# **NG-CMS Update**

Vermont Judiciary's Next Generation Case Management System April 2019 Patricia Gabel, Esq.
State Court Administrator
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### A sneak peek at the new public access portal





#### What's next?

Though we are primarily focused on conducting final activities leading up to turning on the new Judiciary Bureau functionality, we are concurrently working on completing activities that support the Superior Court. As the graphic above reflects, the Judicial Bureau is the first of five phases of the NG-CMS project. The functionality to support the Southeastern Region of the Superior Court, including Windham, Orange, and Windsor (affectionately nicknamed the "WOW" region of Superior Court) is currently being configured in Odyssey, with testing and training planned for the fall in these courts. The Superior Court functionality implemented for the "WOW" region will be leveraged in the remaining three regions in 2020 and early 2021. As each of the remaining regions are put online, additional functionality will be added, including attorney regulation and tracking, support for the statewide environmental division, jury management functionality, and last but certainly not least, support for the Supreme Court. Analysis is currently underway to support these additional capabilities, with configuration of the system to evolve over the next 12 to 18 months.

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