

COURT OF APPEALS

Hears...

- Certain appeals from Court of Special Appeals

In order to be heard in Court of Appeals...

- The Court must issue a Writ of Mandamus, oral arguments presented to a panel of 9 judges

**If Writ of
Certiorari is Granted**



COURT OF SPECIAL APPEALS

Hears...

- All appeals from Circuit Court

Special Appeals Argument Process

- Oral arguments presented in front of a panel of three judges

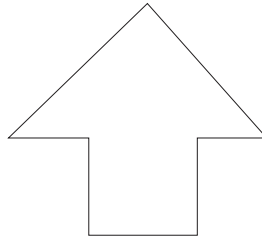
If Appealed



COURT OF SPECIAL APPEALS

Hears...

- Appeals from District Court
- Civil disputes of more than \$5,000
- Misdemeanor and felony criminal offenses
- Jury trials



DISTRICT COURT

Hears...

- Petitions for protection
- Civil disputes under \$30,000
- Misdemeanor criminal offenses

Does not handle...

- Jury trials