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Ninth Judicial District Administrative Judge, Westchester County Executive and County's Faith-Based Leadership to Announce Innovative Program to Enhance Access to the Courts, Legal Services for Westchester's Underserved Communities Amid COVID

New Program to Provide Low-Income Litigants Safe, Remote Access to Court Proceedings and Critical Justice Services

 WHAT/ Ninth Judicial District Administrative Judge Kathie Davidson
WHO: will join Westchester County Executive George Latimer, Reverend Dr. W. Franklyn Richardson, the senior pastor of Mount Vernon's Grace Baptist Church, and other faith leaders to announce the launch of a novel initiative aimed at bridging the justice gap in Westchester County's underserved communities amid COVID-19.

WHEN: Friday, October 2, 2020 11:00 a.m.

WHERE: Grace Baptist Church 52 South 6th Avenue Mount Vernon, NY 10550

> The event will be held outdoors. (In case of rain, the event will be moved to a spacious area inside the church to allow for safe distancing.)