Brandon Smith was promoted to the Manager of the Second Judicial District Court Filing Office in December 2020. In this capacity, Mr. Smith oversees Filing Office operations, trains Court employees on filing procedures, and establishes and improves workflow processes to ensure timely delivery of services to the public. He directly supervises a team of 17 Deputy Clerks and Records Clerks. Mr. Smith has been employed with the Court since 2015. He began his career at the Court as a Case Compliance Specialist assigned to the Probate Department. Prior to his promotion, Mr. Smith was instrumental in developing benchmarks designed to keep the Probate case flow moving in a timely manner. Mr. Smith currently serves as a member of the management team, participates in court-wide meetings, and presents to the District Court Bench and stakeholders on topics related to the Filing Office.

Prior to joining the Court, Mr. Smith worked for over 12 years in private practice in California focusing on family law and stepparent adoptions. He assisted clients in navigating some of the most difficult circumstances of their lives with patience, understanding, and compassion.

Mr. Smith received his Bachelor of Arts degree in History, with a minor in Education, from the University of California, Santa Cruz and was conferred a Master of Science degree in Accounting from Golden Gate University in 2015.

In his spare time, he enjoys golfing, mountain biking, hiking, camping, and other outdoor activities.