## **ANSWER OPTIONS:**

## **CHOOSE ONLY ONE:**

(There are a few types of answers provided. Please read the instructions on each type and choose the Answer that best fits your circumstance. You will file only one.)

### Form 12.903(a)- Answer, Waiver & Request for Copy of

**Final Judgment.** This form should be used <u>when you do not wish to</u> <u>contest the divorce or appear at the hearing</u>. If you file this form, you are admitting to all of the allegations in the petition, saying that you do not need to be notified of or appear at the final hearing and that you would like a copy of the final judgment mailed/e-mailed to you.

#### OR

#### Form 12.903(b)- Answer to Petition for Dissolution of

**Marriage.** This form should be used when you wish to admit or deny all the allegations in the petition, but you do not plan to file a counterpetition seeking relief for something not contained in the petition.

## OR

# Form 12.903(c)(3)- Answer to Petition and Counterpetition for Dissolution of Marriage with Dependent or Minor

**Children or Property.** This form should be used <u>when you are asking</u> for something not contained in your spouse's petition. The answer portion of the form is used to admit or deny allegations and the counterpetition portion is used to ask for whatever you want the court to do for you.