INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

ATLANTA JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

TO: **All Senior Judges, Magistrates, Court Reporters, Litigation Managers, Lt. Col. S. Edwards, Major C. Clark, Major S. Kendle**

FROM: **Ms. Arveale Hickson, Superior Court Administrator's Office**

DATE: **October 23, 2026**

SUBJECT: **October 2026 Senior, Visiting, and Magistrate Judges' and Court Reporters' Usage**

NOTE: ALL (assigned and floating) court reporters have the office hours of 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. except when the court schedule dictates a different time, or this office is notified.

Week of October 26th – October 30th, 2026

Judge Debbie-Ann Rickman, Presiding Judge on 10/26 – 10/30 (JCT/5D)
For back-up presiding, please call 404-612-3740

Senior, Visiting, and Other Judges

			Court Reporter
Magistrate Court (FCC/8J)			
-Warrant Applications	**10/26**	**9:00AM**	
-Warrant Applications	**10/27**	**9:00AM**	
-Warrant Applications	**10/30**	**9:00AM**	
Sr, Judge John Goger (FCC/9J)			
-Business Court Proceeding	**10/26**	**1:00PM**	**Council to Provide**
-Business Court Proceeding	**10/27**	**10:00AM**	**Council to Provide**
Sr, Judge David Emerson (JCT/1D)			
-Consolidated Crim. Jury Trial	**10/26-10/30**	**9:00AM**	***Cherry Tullos, Floater**
Sr, Judge James Cornwell (JCT/8A)			
-Judge Leftridge's Crim. Jury Trial	**10/26-10/30**	**9:00AM**	***Lisa Sims, Floater**
Judge Jessy Lall (FCC/8H)			
-FAM3 Civil Proceedings (mediation)	**10/27**	**12:00PM**	**Council to Provide**
-FAM3 Civil Proceedings **(FCC/9J)**	**10/29-10/30**	**9:00AM**	**Council to Provide**
Sr. Judge Alford Dempsey Jr. l (JCT/1A)			
-Consolidated Crim. Motions	**10/28**	**9:30AM**	***TBD**
-Consolidated Crim. Motions	**10/30**	**9:30AM**	***Melvina Hawkins, ACR**

***Takedown by Zoom*
****Takedown in Courtroom*
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HCR=Huesby Court Reporting Agency ULSCR=US Legal Support Court Reporting Agency TCR= Taggart Court Reporting

Non-Complex Division Judges

Mag. Judge Todd Ashley in Pre-Indictments: (JCT/1B)

			Court Reporter
-Preliminary Hearings	**10/26**	**9:00AM**	****Joyce Gibbons, Per Diem**
-Prelims/ Emer. Motions/ SB440s	**10/27**	**9:00AM & 1:00PM**	****Joyce Gibbons, Per Diem**
-Prelim & Spec Set Hearings	**10/28**	**9:00AM**	****Takira Allen, Per Diem**
-Prelim & Spec Set Hearings	**10/29**	**9:00AM**	****Takira Allen, Per Diem**
-Preliminary Hearings	**10/30**	**9:00AM**	****Joyce Gibbons, Per Diem**

NCD Judge Nancy Mau in Non-Complex (NC1): (JCT/1C)

			Court Reporter
-Case Mgmnt/Bond P & A/	**10/26**	**9:30AM & 10AM**	****Lynn Fowler, Per Diem**
-Final Pleas	**10/27**	**10:00AM**	****Reed Hicks, ACR**
-Motions	**10/28**	**10:00AM**	****Reed Hicks, ACR**
-Jail P & A ***(901 Rice St- Crtrm# 1)***	**10/29**	**12:00PM**	****Lynn Fowler, Per Diem**

NCD Judge Brandy Brooks in Non-Complex (NC2): (JCT/1A)

			Court Reporter
-Criminal Trial Calendar	**10/26**	**9:00AM**	****Melanie Scott, EDS**
-(If trial moved forward)	**10/27-10/30**	**9:00AM**	****TBD**
-Jail P & A ***(901 Rice St- Crtrm# 1)***	**10/27**	**12:00PM**	****Takira Allen, Per Diem**
-Probation Revocation *(Hybrid)*	**10/30**	**11:00AM**	****Angela Watson, ACR**

Superior Court Judges

Judge Rachel Krause (JCT/4B)

			Court Reporter
-Criminal Jury Trial Calendar	**10/26**	**9:30AM**	****Laundra Martin, ACR**
-Criminal Jury Trial	**10/27-10/30**	**9:30AM**	****TBD**

Judge Belinda Edwards (JCT/8E)

-Criminal Speedy Trial	**10/26-10/30**	**9:00AM**	****Kristina Weaver**

Judge Kelly Lee Ellerbe (JCT/8B)

-Criminal Jury Trial	**10/26-10/28**	**9:00AM**	****Karen Rivers**
-Crim. Jury Trial/P & A/ Status	**10/29**	**9:00AM**	****Karen Rivers**
-Criminal Jury Trial	**10/30**	**9:00AM**	****Karen Rivers**

Judge Eric Dunaway (JCT/4F)

-Criminal Motion Calendars	**10/30**	**9:30AM**	****Joan Drammeh, Per Diem**

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