



INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

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 09, 2026

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

ATLANTA JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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 12th – October 16th, 2026

Judge Rachel Krause, Presiding Judge on 10/12 - 10/16 (JCT/4B)

Senior, Visiting, and Other Judges

Court Reporter

Magistrate Court (FCC/8J)

-Warrant Applications	10/12	9:00AM
-Warrant Applications	10/13	9:00AM
-Warrant Applications	10/16	9:00AM

Sr. Judge James Cornwell (FCC/5D)

-Judge Rickman's Crim. Jury Trial	10/14-10/16	9:00AM	***Denise Blackman
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Sr. Judge Alford Dempsey Jr. (JCT/1A)

-Consolidated Crim. Motions	10/14	9:30AM	***Melvina Hawkins, ACR
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Non-Complex Division Judges

Court Reporter

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

-Prelims & Emer. Motions Hearings	10/12	9:00AM	**Reed Hicks, ACR
-Prelims/ Emer. Motions/ SB440s	10/13	9:00AM & 1:00PM	**Reed Hicks, ACR
-Prelim & Spec Set Hearings	10/14	9:00AM	**Reed Hicks, ACR
-Prelim & Spec Set Hearings	10/15	9:00AM	**Takira Allen, Per Diem
-Preliminary Hearings	10/16	9:00AM	**Shira Kirkland, ACR

**Takedown by Zoom

***Takedown in Courtroom

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

-Case Mgmt/ Bond P & A	10/12	9:30AM & 10AM
-Final Pleas	10/13	10:00AM
-Status/Motions/PRC/ Virtual Final Pleas	10/14	10AM & 1:30PM
-Jail P & A (901 Rice St- Crtrm# 1)	10/15	12:00PM

Court Reporter

****Lynn Fowler, Per Diem**
****Lisa Sims, Floater**
****Joan Drammeh, TCR**
****Lynn Fowler, Per Diem**

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

-Bond P & A/ Case Mgmt	10/12	9:00AM
-Jail P & A (901 Rice St- Crtrm# 1)	10/13	12:00PM
-Motions/Pretrial Conf./Status/ PRC (JCT/1D)	10/14	10:00AM
-Final Plea	10/15	9:00AM
-Probation Revocation (Hybrid)	10/16	11:00AM

Court Reporter

****Kristen Smith, EDS**
****Takira Allen, Per Diem**
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****Mary Hanham, Per Diem**
****Reed Hicks, ACR**

Superior Court Judges**Judge Rachel Krause (JCT/4B)**

-Criminal Motions Calendar	10/12	9:30AM
-Criminal Motions Calendar	10/13-10/14	9:30AM & 1:00PM

Court Reporter

****Cherry Tullos, Floater**
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Judge Kelly Lee Ellerbe (JCT/8B)

-Criminal Calendars	10/13	9:00AM
-Criminal Trial Calendars	10/15	9:00AM

*****Melvina Hawkins, ACR**
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Judge Nikia Sellers (JCT/8C)

-Criminal Motion Calendars	10/14	9:30AM
-Status/PRC/P&A/Final Plea	10/15	9:30AM

****Angela Watson, ACR**
****Carley Adamsin, ACR**

Judge Belinda Edwards (JCT/8E)

-Criminal Calendars	10/15	9:30AM
-Criminal Jury Trial Calendar	10/16	9:00AM

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