

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT)
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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 22-07

NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
CIRCUIT COURT OF LAKE COUNTY

Emily Carpenter-Wilson
CIRCUIT CLERK

JUDICIAL ASSIGNMENTS

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Administrative Order 21-08 is vacated.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that subject to the authority of the Chief Judge, the judicial assignments are effective February 7, 2022.

A. The Civil Division shall routinely hear the following types of cases:

Arbitration (AR), Chancery (CH), Eminent Domain (ED), Eviction (EV), Foreclosure (FC) Law (LA), Law Magistrate (LM), Government Corporation (GC), Guardianship (GR), Miscellaneous Remedy (MR), Small Claims (SC), Tax (TX), Probate (PR) and Contempt of Court (CC).

The Civil Division judges are as follows:

The Honorable Mitchell L. Hoffman,
Presiding Judge of the Civil Division

C-201	Elizabeth M. Rochford
C-202	Mitchell L. Hoffman
C-204	Luis A. Berrones
C-205	David P. Brodsky
C-301	Janelle K. Christensen
C-302	Daniel L. Jasica
C-303	Joseph V. Salvi
C-304	Donna-Jo R. Vorderstrasse
C-305	Jacquelyn D. Melius
C-403	Patricia L. Cornell
C-404	Michael B. Betar
T-512	Charles W. Smith
T-612	Daniel B. Shanes

B. The Family Division shall routinely hear the following types of cases:

Adoption (AD), Dissolution No Minor Children (DN), Dissolution with Minor Children (DC), Family (FA) and Contempt of Court (CC).

The Family Division judges are as follows:

**The Honorable Michael G. Nerheim,
Presiding Judge of the Family Division**

C-101	Stephen M. DeRue
C-102	Ari P. Fisz
C-103	Michael G. Nerheim
C-105	Marnie M. Slavin
C-107	Rhonda K. Bruno
C-401	Veronica M. O'Malley
C-402	Stacey L. Seneczko

C. The Criminal Division shall routinely hear the following types of cases:

Felony (CF), Misdemeanor (CM), Major Traffic (MT), Traffic (TR), Domestic Violence (DV), Driving Under the Influence (DT), Quasi-Criminal (QC), Contempt of Court (CC), Miscellaneous Criminal (MX), (Eavesdropping, Fugitive from Justice, Asset Forfeitures), Civil Law Violations (CL), Conservation Violations (CV), Ordinance Violations (OV) Order of Protection (OP), and Mental Health (MH).

The Criminal Division judges are as follows:

The Honorable Victoria A. Rossetti, Presiding Judge of the Criminal Division

**The Honorable Patricia S. Fix,
Presiding Judge of the Felony Division**

T-020	Theodore S. Potkonjak
T-510	Patricia S. Fix
T-512	Charles W. Smith
T-610	James K. Booras
T-611	Christopher R. Stride
T-612	Daniel B. Shanes
T-710	Victoria A. Rossetti
T-712	D. Christopher Lombardo
T-812	George D. Strickland

**The Honorable Christopher R. Stride,
Presiding Judge of the Misdemeanor/Traffic Division**

C-307	James K. Simonian
C-405	Bolling W. Haxall, III
T-120	Charles D. Johnson

T-121	Helen S. Rozenberg
T-511	Reginald C. Mathews
Mundelein	Christopher M. Kennedy
North Branch	As Assigned
Park City A	Raymond D. Collins

D. The Restorative Justice Division shall routinely hear the following types of cases:

Adoption (AD), Juvenile (JV), Juvenile Abuse and Neglect (JA), and Juvenile Delinquency (JD), Felony (CF), Misdemeanor (CM), Major Traffic (MT), Traffic (TR), Domestic Violence (DV), Driving Under the Influence (DT), Quasi-Criminal (QC), Contempt of Court (CC), Miscellaneous Criminal (MX), (Eavesdropping, Fugitive from Justice, Asset Forfeitures), Civil Law Violations (CL), Conservation Violations (CV), Ordinance Violations (OV) Order of Protection (OP), and Mental Health (MH).

The Restorative Justice Division judges are as follows:

The Honorable Christen L. Bishop,
Presiding Judge of the Restorative Justice Division

As Assigned	Paul B. Novak
T-711	Christen L. Bishop
(C-1) VH	Jorge L. Ortiz
(C-2) VH	Christopher B. Morozin

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Raymond D. Collins is assigned to Park City A. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable Bolling W. Haxall, III is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable Raymond D. Collins in Park City A, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Ari P. Fisz is assigned to Courtroom C-102. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable Janelle K. Christensen is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable Ari P. Fisz in Courtroom C-102, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Marnie M. Slavin is assigned to Courtroom C-105. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable D. Christopher Lombardo is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable Marnie M. Slavin in Courtroom C-105, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Rhonda K. Bruno is assigned to Courtroom C-107. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable Ari P. Fisz is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable Rhonda K. Bruno in Courtroom C-107,

excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Janelle K. Christensen is assigned to Courtroom C-301. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable Stacey L. Seneczko is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable Janelle K. Christensen in Courtroom C-301, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Stacey L. Seneczko is assigned to Courtroom C-402. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable Rhonda K. Bruno is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable Stacey L. Seneczko in Courtroom C-402, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Bolling W. Haxall, III is assigned to Courtroom C-405. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable Marnie M. Slavin is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable Bolling W. Haxall, III in Courtroom C-405, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Theodore S. Potkonjak, is assigned to Courtroom T-020. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable Paul B. Novak is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable Theodore S. Potkonjak in Courtroom T-020, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Charles D. Johnson, is assigned to Courtroom T-120. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable Theodore S. Potkonjak is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable Charles D. Johnson in Courtroom T-120, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable D. Christopher Lombardo is assigned to Courtroom T-712. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable George D. Strickland in Courtroom T-812 is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable D. Christopher Lombardo in Courtroom T-712, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable George D. Strickland is assigned to Courtroom T-812. The caseload currently assigned to the Honorable Mark L. Levitt in Courtroom T-712 is hereby reassigned and transferred to the Honorable George D. Strickland in Courtroom T-812, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the North Branch caseload is As Assigned, excluding those cases pending hearing on post-trial motions or those matters currently under advisement by the Honorable Raymond D. Collins.

E. GENERAL ORDERS

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Presiding Judges shall assign judicial duties to the Circuit and Associate Judges regularly assigned by the Chief Judge and otherwise administer their respective divisions of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit. The Deputy Chief Judge, or his designee, shall call Grand Juries.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any and all applications for Reinstatement of Occupational Licenses (also known as Certificates of Relief from Disabilities), Expungement of Records, Sealing of Records, and the Fitness call shall be assigned to and heard by the Presiding Judge of the Restorative Justice Division or her designee.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any and all petitions for Certificates of Innocence and Certificates of Good Conduct shall be assigned to and heard by the Presiding Judge of the Criminal Division or her designee.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any and all petitions for review of the denial of the issuance of FOID card applications by the Illinois State Police shall be assigned to and heard by the Presiding Judge of the Civil Division or his designee.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Circuit Court shall ensure that the case reassignment monitoring system is updated to reflect the above stated assignments for the dates stated and that the judge assignment packets are changed at the earliest possible time to reflect the proper judge name.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all trial and motion dates for cases affected under this Order shall remain as scheduled unless otherwise ordered by Court.

DATED this 24th day of January, 2022.

ENTERED:



MARK L. LEVITT,
Chief Judge