



## 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:** January 16, 2026

**SUBJECT:** January 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.

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Week of January 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2026

**Reminder:** Fulton County offices will be closed on Mon, Jan. 19, 2026, in observance of the MLK Jr Holiday.

**Normal business hours will resume on Tue, Jan. 20, 2026, at 8:30am**

Judge Scott McAfee, Presiding Judge on 01/19 (JCT/**5A**) (*call-404-612-5152*)  
Judge Eric Dunaway 01/20-01/23 (JCT/**4F**)  
Magistrate Judge Brandy Brooks, Back-Up Presiding Judge on 01/20-01/23 (JCT/**1A**)

**Note:** If the Presiding or Back-Up Presiding Judges are unavailable, please contact Arveale Hickson at 470-832-2838 to make arrangements for a back-up Presiding Judge. Please do not send cases to another Judge without contacting Ms. Arveale Hickson. She is responsible for locating an alternate judge.

### Senior, Visiting and Other Judges

**Sr. Judge Alford Dempsey Jr. (JCT/**1A**)**

-Consolidated Criminal Motions	01/21	9:30am	***Edwina Minniefield, ACR
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**Magistrate Court (FCC/**8J**)**

-Environmental Calendars	01/21	9:00am	
-Child Abandonment Calendars-(JCT/ <b>1D</b> )	01/22	9:00am	

**J.O. Judge Jessy Lall FCC/**9J**)**

-Fam 3 Division Civil Proceedings	01/23	9:00am	Counsel to Provide
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**\*\*Takedown by Zoom**

**\*\*\*Takedown in Courtroom**

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## **Non-Complex Division Judges**

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

-Prelim & SB440 Hearings	01/20	9am & 1pm
-Preliminary Hearings	01/21	9:00am
-Preliminary Hearings	01/22	9:00am
-Preliminary Hearings	01/23	9:00am

### **Court Reporter**

**\*\*Joyce Gibbons, Per Diem**  
**\*\*Reed Hicks, ACR**  
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### **NCD Judge Nancy Mau in Non-Complex (NC1): (JCT /1C)**

-Trial Calendar Call	01/20 Only	9:00am
-Trial (if needed)	01/21-01/23	9:00am
-Jail P & A ( <i>hybrid</i> )	01/23	9:00am

### **Court Reporter**

**\*\*\*Laundra Martin, ACR**  
**\*\*\*TBD**  
**\*\*Lynn Fowler, Per Diem**

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

-Motions/Pretrial Conf/PRC	01/20	10:00am
-Jail P & A ( <i>Hybrid</i> )-(JCT/1D)	01/21	9:30am
-Final P & A/ Case Management	01/22	9:00am
-Probation revocation ( <i>Hybrid</i> )	01/23	11:00am

**\*\*Reed Hicks, ACR**  
**\*\*Lisa Sims, Floater**  
**\*\*\*Mary Hanham, Per Diem**  
**\*\*Denise Blackman, Floater**

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