



INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

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

FROM: Ms. Tonja L. Richrdson, Superior Court Administrator's Office

DATE: August 21, 2026

SUBJECT: August 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 August 24th – 28th, 2026

Judge Thomas A Cox Jr., Presiding Judge on 08/24 - 08/28 (JCT/7F)
Back-Up Presiding, please call **404-612-4604**

Judge Kevin Farmer (JCT/8C)

-Criminal Jury Trial

08/24-08/28

9:00AM

Court Reporter

***Margaret Kellicut

Senior, Visiting, and Other Judges

Judge Alexandra Manning (JCT/1D)

-Consolidated Ankle Monitor Compliance 08/24

9:30AM

Court Reporter

***Takira Allen, Per Diem

Magistrate Court (FCC/8J)

-Warrant Applications

08/24

9:00AM

-Warrant Applications

08/25

9:00AM

-AMC Warrants (JCT/1D)

08/27

9:00AM

-Warrant Applications

08/28

9:00AM

Sr. Judge Alford Dempsey Jr. (JCT/8E)

-Judge Edwards' Criminal Calendars

08/25

9:00AM

***Kristina Weaver

-Consolidated Crim. Motions (JCT/1A)

08/26

9:30AM

***Lisa Sims, Floater

Sr. Judge John Goger (FCC/9J)

-Business Court Calendar

08/26

9:00AM

Council to Provide

Sr. Judge Jim Cornwell (JCT/5D)

-Judge Rickman Criminal Calendars

08/26

9:00AM

***Denise Blackman

Judge Jessy Lall (FCC/9J)

-FAM3 Division Civil Proceedings

08/27-08/28

9:00AM

Council to Provide

**Takedown by Zoom

***Takedown in Courtroom

Court Reporting Agencies

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Non-Complex Division Judges

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

-Preliminary Hearings	08/24	9:00AM
-Prelims & Emergency Motions	08/25	9:00AM
-Prelim SB440s & Bond Hearings	08/25	1:00PM
-Prelim & Spec Set Hearings	08/26	9:00AM
-Prelim & Spec Set Hearings	08/27	9:00AM
-Preliminary Hearings	08/28	9:00AM

Court reporter

****Joyce Gibbons, Per Diem**
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****Takira Allen, Per Diem**
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NCD Judge Nancy Mau in Non-Complex (NC1): (JCT/1C)

-Case Management Hearing	08/24	9:30AM
-Bond Plea & Arraignment Hearings	08/24	10:00AM
-Final Plea	08/25	10:00AM
-Status & Motion Hearings	08/26	10:00AM
-Jail P & A (901 Rice St- Crtrm# 1)	08/27	12:00PM
-Prob. Revoc. (hybrid)	08/28	11:00AM

Court Reporter

****Lynn Fowler, Per Diem**
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****Melvina Hawkins, ACR**
****Joan Drammeh, TCR**
****Lynn Fowler, Per Diem**
****Nicholas Carroll, ACR**

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

-Criminal Trial Calendar	08/24	9:00AM
-Criminal Jury Trial (if needed)	08/25-08/28	9:00AM
-Jail P & A (901 Rice St- Crtrm# 1)	08/25	12:00PM

Court Reporter

*****Mary Hanham, Per Diem**
*****TBD if needed**
****Joan Drammeh, TCR**

Superior Court Judges

Judge Rachel Krause (JCT/4B)

-Criminal Trial Calendar	08/24	9:30AM
-Criminal Jury Trial	08/25-08/28	9:30AM

Court Reporter

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

-Criminal Jury Trial	08/24-08/27	9:00AM
-Criminal Jury Trial	08/28 only	9:00AM

*****Reena Cid, ACR**
*****Lisa Sims, Floater**

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