## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE: AMENDED JUDICIAL ASSIGNMENTS FOR JANUARY 1, 2013 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2013

#### ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 2012 - 124

## **CIRCUIT JUDGE ASSIGNMENTS**

This order amends Administrative Order 2012-119. Pursuant to Paragraph 2, Section 478.240 R.S.Mo. and applicable local rules, assignments for Circuit Judges of this Court effective January 1, 2013, through December 31, 2013, are as follows:

	TRIAL DIV		SPECIAL <u>ASSIGNMENTS</u>
Division 1	(KC)	Group 2	
Division 2	(IN)	Group 3	
Division 3	(KC)	Group 3	
Division 4	(FC)		Family Court Administrative Judge
Division 5	(IN)	Group 2	
Division 6	(KC)		Family Court
Division 7	(KC)	Group 1	
Division 8	(KC)	Group 2	
Division 9	(KC)	Group 2	Criminal "A" (Jan. 1-June 30)
Division 10	(KC)	Group 2	
Division 11	(KC)	Group 2	Criminal "A" (July 1- Dec. 31)
Division 12	(KC)	Group 3	
Division 13	(IN)	Group 1	
Division 14	(KC)	Group 1	
Division 15	(KC)	Group 3	
Division 16	(KC)		Presiding Judge
Division 17	(IN)	Group 4	
Division 18	(KC)		Family Court (including Adult Abuse Docket)
Division 19	(KC/IN)	Group 3 KC	Probate-Mental Health/Sexual Predators/ Trusts/Other Probate Actions

### ASSOCIATE CIRCUIT JUDGE ASSIGNMENTS

Pursuant to Paragraph 2, Section 478.240 R.S.Mo. and applicable local rules, assignments for Associate Circuit Judges of this Court for the period beginning January 1, 2013, through December 31, 2013, are as follows:

Division 25 (KC) Civil—

General Docket/Small Claims/Drivers/Landlord-Tenant

Family Court --

• Domestic Relations, uncontested matters

Division 26 (KC) Civil –

• General Docket/Small Claims/Drivers/Landlord-Tenant

Family Court -

• Adult Abuse

Division 27 (KC) Civil—

General Docket/Small Claims/Drivers /Landlord-Tenant

Family Court –

Domestic Relations, uncontested matters

Division 28 (IN) Criminal—

 Criminal ACJ for Drug and Alcohol Cases, including Initial Arraignments, Preliminary Hearings, Circuit Arraignments, and Assignments to the Trial Divisions

Civil -

General Docket/Tax/Drivers

Family Court-

• Adult Abuse

Division 29 (KC) Criminal –

 Criminal ACJ for all criminal cases including Initial Arraignments and Preliminary Hearings

Municipal Appeals

Division 30	(IN)	Criminal-  Criminal ACJ for all cases except Drug and Alcohol Cases, including Initial Arraignments, Preliminary Hearings, Circuit Arraignments, and Assignments to the Trial Divisions
		Family Court-  • Domestic Relations, uncontested matters
Division 31	(KC)	Civil-     General Docket/Small Claims/Drivers/Landlord-Tenant
		Family Court-  • Domestic Relations, uncontested matters
Division 32 (IN)	(IN)	Criminal—  • Bad Check
		Civil—  General Docket/Small Claims/Drivers/Landlord-Tenant
Division 33	(IN)	Criminal- <ul><li>Municipal Appeals</li><li>Traffic/Water Patrol, Gaming &amp; Conservation</li></ul>
		Family Court  • Domestic Relations, contested matters

# **COMMISSIONER ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Missouri Statutes and applicable local rules, and as appointed by the Court en banc or a member thereof designated by law as the appointing authority, assignments for Commissioners of this Court for the period beginning January 1, 2013, through December 31, 2013, are as follows:

Division 19	(KC/IN)	Probate (Commissioner)
Division 19	(KC/IN)	Probate (Deputy Commissioner)
Division 40	(FC)	Family Court—Juvenile
Division 41	(FC)	Family Court—Juvenile
Division 42	(IN)	Family Court—Domestic Relations
Division 43	(KC)	Family Court—Domestic Relations
Division 44	(FC)	Family Court—Juvenile
Division 50	(KC/IN)	Drug Court

#### IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Cases shall be scheduled for trial by the Circuit Judges in accordance with the attached 12-week cycle schedules. The schedules may be deviated from only in accordance with local rule 6.2, or as required to efficiently manage the cases assigned to the judicial officer responsible for handling the cases.
- 2. Driver cases, as referred to herein, shall include Petitions for Trial de Novo from Administrative Revocations or Suspensions, Application for Hardship Driving Privilege, Applications for Hearing on Refusal to Submit to a Chemical Test, and Petitions for Review. The Associate Circuit Judges of Divisions 25, 26, 27, and 31 shall hear such cases filed at Kansas City on a rotating schedule prepared by the Director of Civil Records. The Associate Circuit Judges of Divisions 28 and 32 shall hear such cases filed at Independence.
- 3. The Associate Circuit Judges of Divisions 25, 26, 27, and 31 shall hear landlord-tenant cases filed at Kansas City on a rotating schedule prepared by the Director of Civil Records. The Associate Circuit Judge of Division 32 shall hear such cases filed at Independence.
- 4. The Associate Circuit Judges of Divisions 25, 27, and 31 shall hear uncontested domestic relations cases filed at Kansas City on a rotating schedule prepared by the Director of Civil Records. The Associate Circuit Judge of Division 30 shall hear such cases filed at Independence.
- 5. In accordance with Paragraph 1, Section 478.072 R.S.Mo., all Associate Circuit Judge uncontested civil matters in which the petition requests damages exceeding \$5000 shall be on the record and preserved by utilizing electronic, magnetic, mechanical sound, or video recording devices.
- 6. In accordance with Paragraph 1, Section 478.072 R.S.Mo., all Associate Circuit Judge contested civil matters, regardless of the amount of damages claimed, shall be on the record and preserved by utilizing electronic, magnetic, mechanical sound, or video recording devices.
- 7. All Judges of the Circuit Court shall rotate evening, weekend, and holiday on-call duty to review domestic violence orders of protection and criminal matters pursuant to a weekly schedule established by administrative order.
- 8. The Family Court Commissioners shall rotate evening, weekend, and holiday on-call duty to review orders pursuant to Chapter 211 R.S.Mo. pursuant to a weekly schedule established by administrative order.

Date: 10/15/2012

Charles E. Atwell, Presiding Judge

cc: All Judges and Commissioners

Jeffrey A. Eisenbeis, Interim Court Administrator

Harlene Hipsh, Deputy Court Administrator Tracy Smedley, Deputy Court Administrator

Mary Marquez, Acting Deputy Court Administrator/Family Court

All Directors and Assistant Directors

All Division Staff