

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE: AMENDED JUDICIAL ASSIGNMENTS FOR SEPTEMBER 1, 2012
THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2012

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 2012 – 087

CIRCUIT JUDGE ASSIGNMENTS

This order amends Administrative Order 2012-079. Pursuant to Paragraph 2, Section 478.240 R.S.Mo. and applicable local rules, assignments for Circuit Judges of this Court effective September 1, 2012, through December 31, 2012, are as follows:

| <u>TRIAL DIVISION</u> | | <u>SPECIAL</u> |
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| <u>GROUP ASSIGNMENTS</u> | | <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) Group 1 | Adult Abuse Docket (Jan. 1 – June 30) Family Court (July 1 – Dec. 31) |
| Division 7 | (KC) Group 1 | |
| Division 8 | (KC) Group 2 | |
| Division 9 | (KC) | Family Court (Jan.1 – June 30) Criminal “A” (July 1 – Dec. 31) Adult Abuse (July 1 – Dec. 31) |
| Division 10 | | Presiding Judge |
| Division 11 | (KC) Group 2 | |
| Division 12 | (KC) Group 3 | |
| Division 13 | (KC) Group 2 | |
| Division 14 | (KC) Group 1 | Criminal “A” (Jan. 1 – June 30) |
| Division 15 | (KC) Group 3 | |
| Division 16 | (IN) Group 1 | |
| Division 17 | (IN) Group 4 | |
| Division 18 | (KC) Group 1 | |
| 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 September 1, 2012, through December 31, 2012, are as follows:

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| Division 25 | (KC) | Civil— <ul style="list-style-type: none">• General Docket/Small Claims/Drivers |
| Division 26 | (KC) | Civil – <ul style="list-style-type: none">• General Docket/Small Claims/Drivers Family Court – <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Domestic Relations, contested matters• Adult Abuse |
| Division 27 | (KC) | Civil - <ul style="list-style-type: none">• General Docket/Small Claims/Drivers |
| Division 28 | (IN) | Criminal— <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Criminal ACJ for Drug and Alcohol Cases, including Initial Arraignments, Preliminary Hearings, Circuit Arraignments, and Assignments to the Trial Divisions• Municipal Appeals Family Court — <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Domestic Relations, contested matters |
| Division 29 | (KC) | Criminal— <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Criminal ACJ for all criminal cases including Initial Arraignments and Preliminary Hearings• Municipal Appeals |
| Division 30 | (IN) | Civil— <ul style="list-style-type: none">• General Docket/Tax/Drivers Family Court – <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Domestic Relations, uncontested matters |
| Division 31 | (KC) | Family Court— <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Domestic Relations |
| Division 32 | (IN) | Criminal— <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bad Check Civil— <ul style="list-style-type: none">• General Docket/Small Claims/Drivers/Landlord-Tenant |

- Division 33 (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
 - Traffic/Water Patrol, Gaming & Conservation
- Family Court—
- Adult Abuse

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 September 1, 2012, through December 31, 2012, are as follows:

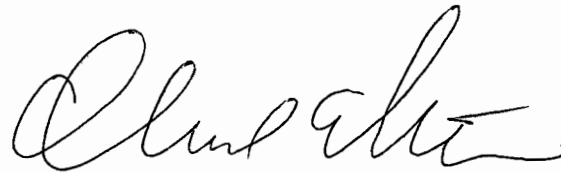
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| Division 19 | (KC/IN) | Probate (Commissioner) |
| Division 19 | (KC/IN) | Probate (Deputy Commissioner) |
| Division 40 | (FC) | Family Court—Juvenile |
| Division 41 | (FC) | Family Court—Juvenile |
| Division 42 | (IN) | Family Court—Domestic 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, and 27 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 30 and 32 shall hear such cases filed at Independence.

3. 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.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. 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.
7. Cases will be assigned to visiting judges from the circuits designated to assist with the dockets in Jackson County, and to other visiting judges, as directed by the Presiding Judge.

Date: July 30, 2012



Charles E. Atwell, Presiding Judge

cc: All Judges and Commissioners
Jeffrey A. Eisenbeis, Interim Court Administrator
Harlene Hipsh, Deputy Court Administrator
Mary Ann McClure, Administrator/Division Support and Training
Tracy Smedley, Deputy Court Administrator
Wayne Terry, Administrator of Strategic Business Services
All Directors and Assistant Directors
All Division Staff