

Superior Court

Notice to the Bar & Public

June 6, 2008

ATTENTION Law Office Personnel: Please ensure that ALL staff, attorneys and non-attorneys are aware of the contents of this notice.

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Changes to Domestic Show Cause Calendars

Effective the week of July 7, 2008, the state Child Support Enforcement Calendar will be heard on Thursday afternoon, at 1:30 and Domestic Show Cause Calendars will be heard Tuesday afternoon at 1:30, Wednesday afternoon at 1:30, Thursday morning at 10:00 and Friday afternoon at 1:30. See week-at-a-glance calendar on reverse.

Fast Track Calendars and Domestic Settlement Conferences after Monday Holidays

Effective immediately there will be neither a Fast Track criminal calendar nor a domestic settlement conference the Tuesday following a Monday holiday.

Superior Court Commissioner Schedule/Assignments

~ Effective July 7, 2008 ~

	MONDAY			TUESDAY			WEDNESDAY			THURSDAY			FRIDAY															
	DOMESTIC Heydrich	OFFENDER Verge	JUV/CIVIL Gross	DOMESTIC Heydrich	OFFENDER Verge	JUV/CIVIL Gross	DOMESTIC Heydrich	OFFENDER Verge	JUV/CIVIL Gross	DOMESTIC Heydrich	OFFENDER Verge	JUV/CIVIL Gross	DOMESTIC Heydrich	OFFENDER Verge	JUV/CIVIL Gross													
8:30	Ex Parte			Fast Track (None after Mon. Holiday) DV See #11					Ex Parte	DV (Note 8:30 start)	Scheduling (514/513)			Ex Parte														
9:00	DV	Felony Trials	(1/2/3) Dep Rev	Settlement (None after Mon. Holiday)	Misdo or Felony Trials	(1/3) Term & Guardianship	DV	Arraign	ARY CHINS Petitions, Reviews and Contempt	Domestic Show Cause 8-Case Limit Pro Se 11:00	Contested Overflow (4 th floor)	FTC Mtg. Gross (5 th floor)	File Prep	(1/3/5) Decline, Capacity Restitution Cut off 2 nd Cont. 4 th	Criminal Calendar (Dept. 1, 3rd Floor)													
9:30																												
10:00	Settlement		(4/5) Contested Dep																									
10:30																												
11:00																												
11:30																												
12:00	Lunch (12:00 to 1:30 PM)																											
1:30	Settlement	Detention	Dep Rev (1/2/3) Cont Dep (4/5)	Domestic Show Cause 8-Case Limit	Detention	Shelter	Domestic Show Cause 8-Case Limit	Detention	Shelter	State-Filed Support Enforce	Detention	Shelter	Domestic Show Cause 8-Case Limit	Detention	TRUANCY Contempt													
2:00		Felony Trials			Juv Drug Court Staffing	Pleas		Overflow ARY CHINS File Prep	P		V	File Prep		Misdo Trials														
2:30															Dep Motions (1/2/3) Cont Dep Motions (4/5)	Overflow Contested												
3:00					Juv Drug Court												File Prep											
3:30	File Prep		Dep PFF (1/2/3)																									
4:00																												

1. No matter may be set before the Juv/Civil Commissioner on the 4th or 5th Mondays, nor on any Tuesday morning or 4th/5th Tuesday afternoon, except by the juvenile court calendar clerk or the Commissioner who will preside over that matter.
2. Offender matters must be noted for hearing not later than Noon of the day preceding the hearing. Guilty pleas may be noted up until 4:00 pm of the day preceding the hearing. Guilty pleas & reviews of release conditions may not be noted on Tuesday or Thursday at 1:30 without prior permission of Commissioner.
3. Shelter care hearings may be set before the Juv/Civil Commissioner only on Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays, at 1:30 PM.
4. Dependency matters may only be noted on the regular dependency calendars, 1st, 2nd and 3rd Mondays. All dependency motions shall be noted on 1st, 2nd and 3rd Tuesday afternoons only. Matters noted on any other calendar will not be heard. Only the juvenile court calendar clerk or the Commissioner may set matters at other times.
5. In offender matters, all motions for continuance must be noted no later than the Wednesday preceding the date set for trial. Continuances will be granted for good cause only. Agreement of the parties does not constitute good cause. On the day set for trial, the court expects all parties to be ready for trial and will only grant continuances to a plea calendar if there is an emergency. If the state calls off its witnesses and is unable to proceed to trial, the court reserves the right to dismiss the case with prejudice.
6. All counsel shall attend a weekly case scheduling conference on offender matters at 8:30 a.m. Thursday morning in a 5th floor conference room (usually #514) to confirm which matters will be trials or pleas for the coming week.
7. In addition to first appearances, the court will hear juvenile motions to quash warrants, bail reviews and reviews of pre-trial release conditions on the 1:30 calendar daily, except Tuesday and those Mondays that the court is presiding over a contested matter.
8. Domestic relations settlement conferences will be set before a Commissioner, however, assignments may be changed, as other Commissioner duties require.
9. The Dependency Drug Court meeting prior to court and the court session will be in the 5th floor courtroom; the Offender Drug Court Meeting will be in the juvenile conference room.
10. Offender matters set on Thursday mornings will be in the 4th floor courtroom.
11. DV matters may be heard on Tuesday after a Monday holiday, only with Commissioner approval, for good cause.