

**FAMILY LAW DIVISION**  
**COURT CALENDARS FOR 2026**  
**Effective January 1, 2026**

JUDGE/COURTROOM	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>Judge Paul Lozada</b> <b>Courtroom 8</b> Misdemeanors DCCS (F/L) I/C  JA: Sarah Daniel 521-6724	8:30 DCSS F/L In Custody	8:30 DCSS F/L In Custody	8:30 DCSS F/L In Custody	8:30 DCSS F/L In Custody	8:30 DCSS F/L In Custody
<b>Commissioner Megan Amaral</b> <b>Courtroom 20</b> DCSS/ Family Law Cases 90-99  J.A. Sonja Esposti 521-6836	9:00 Trial/Sett. Conf 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 Contempt (3 <sup>rd</sup> ) 1:30 DCSS Earning Capacity (1 <sup>st</sup> ) 1:30 DCSS Ext. Hearings (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) 1:30 Trial/Sett Conf (4 <sup>th</sup> )	8:30 DCSS Child Support 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 DOM Calendar	8:30 DCSS Child Support 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 Citation Calendar (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> ) 1:30 DOM Calendar (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	8:30 Court Trial/Sett. Conferences 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 DOM Calendar	9:00 Master Calendar/ Readiness (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> ) 9:30 L&M (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> ) 9:30 CMC (4 <sup>th</sup> ) 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 Dismissal Cal. (4 <sup>th</sup> )  <b>Prep Day- No PM Sets (except as noted)</b>
<b>Judge Kinna Patel</b> <b>Crocker</b> Supervising Judge Courtroom 21 Family Law Cases 34-66  J.A. Erica Barba 707-521-6604	9:00 Trial/Sett Conf. 10:00 Ex Partes 10:30 DDC (men) 11:00 DDC (women) 1:30 DOM Calendar	9:00 Trial/Sett Conf 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 Trials/Sett Conf 4:00 Adoptions (4 <sup>th</sup> )	9:00 Trial/Sett Conf. 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 DOM Calendar	9:00 L&M (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> ) 9:00 CMC (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> ) 9:00 Trial/ Sett Conf. 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 DOM Calendar (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	9:00 Master Calendar/ Readiness 10:00 Ex Partes <b>Prep Day-No PM Sets</b>
<b>Judge Robert M. LaForge</b> <b>Courtroom 22</b> Family Law Cases 67-89  J.A. Sonja Esposti 521-6836	8:30 FL Ex Parte TRO Review 9:00 Trials/ Sett Conf. 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 DOM Calendar	8:30 FL Ex Parte TRO Review 9:00 Trials/ Sett Conf. 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 FL DV Calendar	8:30 FL Ex Parte TRO Review 9:00 Trial/ Sett. Conf 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 Trial/Sett. Conf (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> ) 1:30 DOM calendar	8:30 FL Ex Parte TRO Review 9:00 Trial/ Sett. Conf 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 Trial/Sett. Conf (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> ) 1:30 FL DV Calendar (2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> )	8:30 FL Ex Parte TRO Review 9:00 Master Calendar/ Readiness 9:00 DV Gun Compliance 9:30 L&M (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> ) 9:00 CMC (3 <sup>rd</sup> ) 10:00 Ex Partes <b>Prep-Day No PM Sets</b>
<b>Judge Shelly J. Averill</b> <b>Courtroom 23</b> Family Law Cases 00-33  J.A. Erica Barba 707-521-6604	8:30 Trial/Set Conf 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 DOM Calendar (2nd and 4th) 1:30 Trial/Sett Conf (1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	8:30 Trial/Set Conf 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 Trial/Sett Conf	8:30 Trial/ Sett Conf. 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 DOM calendar	8:30 Trial/Set Conf 9:00 CMC (2nd and 4th) 10:00 Ex Partes 1:30 DOM Calendar	9:00 Master Calendar/ Readiness 9:30 L&M (1st & 3rd) 10:00 Ex Partes <b>Prep Day-No PM Sets</b>

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