

CIVIL DIVISION COURT CALENDARS FOR 2026

Effective January 1, 2026 – **UPDATED 03/12/26**

JUDGE/COURTROOM	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p><u>Commissioner Daniel Chester</u></p> <p>Short Cause/ Unlawful Detainer/ Civil Harassment/ Elder Protection</p> <p>Courtroom 11 600 Administration Dr</p> <p>JA: Erica Barba 521-6604</p>	<p>8:30 UD, Civil Harassment and Workplace Violence, & Elder Protection Ex Parte Review</p> <p>Civil Harassment, Elder Protection & UD Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:30 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave.</p>	<p>8:30 UD, Civil Harassment and Workplace Violence, & Elder Protection Ex Parte Review</p> <p>1:30 Civil Harassment Cal.</p> <p>Civil Harassment, Elder Protection & UD Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:30 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave.</p>	<p>8:30 UD, Civil Harassment and Workplace Violence, & Elder Protection Ex Parte Review</p> <p>8:30 Short Cause</p> <p>Civil Harassment, Elder Protection & UD Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:30 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave.</p>	<p>8:30 UD, Civil Harassment and Workplace Violence, & Elder Protection Ex Parte Review</p> <p>8:30 UD Trials / Motions</p> <p>Civil Harassment, Elder Protection & UD Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:30 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave.</p>	<p>8:30 UD, Civil Harassment and Workplace Violence, & Elder Protection Ex Parte Review</p> <p>1:30 Elder Protection</p> <p>Civil Harassment, Elder Protection & UD Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:30 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave.</p>
<p><u>Judge Patrick Broderick</u> Civil</p> <p>Courtroom 16 3035 Cleveland Ave., Ste 200</p> <p>JA: Sarah Helstrom 521-6725</p>	<p>8:30 L&M Prep.</p>	<p>8:30 Trial 3:00 CMC 3:30 OSC 4:00 Minor's Comp (1st Tues) 4:00 Defaults (3rd Tues)</p>	<p>8:30 Trial 10:30 Civil Ex Parte Review 3:00 L&M Cal. ** 3:00 Change of Name</p> <p>(If Monday is a holiday L&M and Change of Name will be on Friday)</p> <p>Civil Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile by 10:30 am.</p>	<p>8:30 Trial</p>	<p>8:30 Trials / Motions</p>
<p><u>Judge Jane Gaskell</u> Civil CEQA***</p> <p>Courtroom 17 3035 Cleveland Ave., Ste 200</p> <p>JA: Ashley Olazar 521-6723</p>	<p>8:15 OEX Cal. 8:30 L&M Prep. 1:30 Collection CMC Cal. (1st & 3rd)*</p>	<p>8:30 Trial 10:30 Civil Ex Parte Review</p> <p>Civil Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile by 10:30 am.</p>	<p>8:30 Trial 3:00 L&M Cal. ** 3:00 Change of Name (If Monday is a holiday L&M and Change of Name will be on Friday) 4:00 Minor's Comp (2nd Wed) 4:00 Defaults (4th Wed)</p>	<p>8:30 Trial 3:00 CMC Cal. 3:30 OSC Cal.</p>	<p>8:30 Trials / Motions 3:00 L&M Calendar****</p>
<p><u>Judge Dana Simonds</u> Civil</p> <p>Courtroom 18 3055 Cleveland Ave., 1st Floor</p> <p>JA: Sarah Daniel 521-6724</p>	<p>8:30 L&M Prep.</p>	<p>8:30 Trial 3:00 CMC 3:30 OSC 4:00 Minor's Comp (2nd Tues) 4:00 Defaults (3rd Tues)</p>	<p>8:30 Trial 3:00 L&M Cal. (Civil) ** 3:00 Change of Name (If Monday is a holiday L&M and Change of Name will be on Friday)</p>	<p>8:30 Trial 10:30 Civil Ex Parte Review</p> <p>Civil Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile by 10:30 am.</p>	<p>8:30 Trial Readiness / Motions 8:30 L&M Calendar**** (ends Feb 1, 2026)</p>

Small Claims Appeals to be heard on Short Cause Calendar

* Heard 1st and 3rd Monday each month; if 1st or 3rd Monday is a holiday the calendar is heard the following Monday

** Includes DMV writs on a rotating basis between the 4 departments

*** CEQA to be called by Presiding Judge Chris Honigsberg

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JUDGE/COURTROOM	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Judge Oscar A. Pardo SUPERVISING JUDGE CIVIL Civil Courtroom 19 3055 Cleveland Ave., 1 st Floor JA: Luce Gonzalez 521-6602	8:30 L&M Prep. 10:30 Civil Ex Parte Review Civil Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile by 10:30 am.	8:30 Trial 4:00 Minor's Comp (1 st Tues) 4:00 Defaults (3 rd Tues)	8:30 Trial 3:00 L&M Cal.** 3:00 Change of Name (If Monday is a holiday L&M and Change of Name will be on Friday)	8:30 Trial 3:00 CMC 3:30 OSC	8:30 Trials / Motions 3:00 L&M Calendar****
Judge Lawrence Ornell Courtroom 10 J.A. Erica Barba 521-6604	8:00 GVRO TRO Review GVRO TRO Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:00 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave	8:00 GVRO TRO Review GVRO TRO Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:00 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave	8:00 GVRO TRO Review GVRO TRO Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:00 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave	8:00 GVRO TRO Review GVRO TRO Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:00 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave	8:00 GVRO TRO Review 9:00 GVRO Calendar GVRO TRO Ex Parte Review: To be submitted via eFile or dropped off by 8:00 am at 3055 Cleveland Ave & picked up at or after 2:30 pm at 3055 Cleveland Ave
Small Claims (Temporary Judges) Courtrooms 16 and 17 Empire Annex 3035 Cleveland Avenue, Ste 200 Courtrooms 18 and 19 Civil & Family Law Courthouse 3055 Cleveland Avenue	On Rotation: Dates, times and locations to be determined	NO CALENDAR	8:30 Trials De Novo - Short Cause Calendar D11	NO CALENDAR	NO CALENDAR

APPELLATE PANEL:

Judge Karlene – Appellate Presiding Judge
Judge Dana Simonds
Judge Jane Gaskell
Judge Ken English - Alternate

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