

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
PROVIDENCE, SC. SUPERIOR COURT

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2026-03

RE: ASSIGNMENTS – THIRD AND FOURTH PERIODS

May 3, 2026 – September 5, 2026

MR. JUSTICE CARNES:

- To be in charge of the Criminal Calendar in Newport County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of both the Civil and Criminal Calendar in Newport County the week of June 7.
- To be in charge of both the Civil and Criminal Calendar in Newport County the weeks of June 21, 2026 and June 28, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Pre-Arrest Calendar in Courtroom No. 5D in the J. Joseph Garrahy Courthouse in Providence County on July 24, 2026.
- To be in charge of both the Civil Calendar and the Criminal Calendar in Newport County on August 17, 2026.
- To be in charge of both the Civil Calendar and the Criminal Calendar in Newport County on August 26, 2026.

MR. JUSTICE CRUISE:

- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 9 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.

MS. JUSTICE DARIGAN:

- To be in charge of the Formal & Special Cause Calendar in Courtroom No. 3 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.

MS. JUSTICE KEOUGH:

- To assist on the Trial Calendar and on the Gun Calendar in Courtroom No. 11 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Formal & Special Cause Calendar in Courtroom No. 3 in Providence County the week of August 2, 2026.

- To be in charge of both the Civil Calendar and the Criminal Calendar in Newport County on August 14, 2026.

MR. JUSTICE KRAUSE:

- To be in charge of the Gun Calendar in Courtroom No. 10 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.

MR. JUSTICE LANPHEAR (Ret):

- To be in charge of the Civil Trial Calendar, Civil Control Calendar, Eviction Appeals Calendar, and Court Annexed Arbitration Calendar and manage the Land Use Calendar in Courtroom No. 15 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.

MR. JUSTICE LICHT:

- To be in charge of the Out-County Business Calendar, and manage the Med Mal Pre-Trial, Kugel Mesh, Mass Tort, and Municipal Tax Calendars in Courtroom No. 4D in Kent County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Civil Calendar in Courtroom No. 4A in Kent County the week of August 2, 2026.

MR. JUSTICE MATOS:

- To assist on the Trial Calendar and on the Gun Calendar in Courtroom No. 8 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County on July 16, 2026 and July 17, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 9 in Providence County on August 10, 2026 and August 14, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 9 in Providence County on August 17, 2026 and August 21, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 9 in Providence County on August 24, 2026 and August 28, 2026.

MR. JUSTICE MCBURNEY:

- To assist on the Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 6 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Civil Trial Calendar, Civil Control Calendar, Eviction Appeals Calendar, and Court Annexed Arbitration Calendar in Courtroom No. 15 the week of May 3, 2026.

- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 9 in Providence County on May 6, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County on June 22, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County the week of June 28, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Formal & Special Cause Calendar in Courtroom No. 3 in Providence County the week of July 26, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County the week of August 16, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Civil Calendar in Courtroom No. 4A in Kent County the week of August 23, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Costs, Fines & Restitution Calendar in Courtroom No. 14 in Providence County on September 4, 2026.

MR. JUSTICE MCHUGH:

- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 4E in Kent County and to assist elsewhere as needed.

MR. PRESIDING JUSTICE MONTALBANO:

- To be in charge of the Criminal Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 12 in Providence County and to assist on all calendars as administrative duties permit.
- To be in charge of the Civil Trial Calendar, Civil Control Calendar, Eviction Appeals Calendar, and Court Annexed Arbitration Calendar in Courtroom No. 12 in Providence County the week of May 10, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Civil Motion Calendar in Courtroom No. 16 in Providence County on July 2, 2026 and July 3, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 9 in Providence County on July 6, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pretrial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County on July 24, 2026.

MR. JUSTICE PROCACINNI (Ret):

- To assist on the Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 12 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed

MR. JUSTICE RASPALLO:

- To be in charge of the Civil Calendar in Courtroom No. 4A in Kent County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 4E in Kent County the week of May 17, 2026.

MS. JUSTICE REKAS SLOAN:

- To be in charge of the Criminal Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4F in Kent County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Civil Calendar in Newport County the weeks of May 3, 2026, and May 10, 2026.
- To be in charge the Civil Calendar in Newport County the week of June 14, 2026.

MS. JUSTICE RODGERS:

- To be in charge of the Criminal Calendar in Washington County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in the charge of both the Civil Calendar and the Criminal Calendar in Washington County on May 4, May 5, and May 8, 2026.
- To be in the charge of both the Civil Calendar and the Criminal Calendar in Washington County the week of May 24, 2026.
- To be in the charge of both the Civil Calendar and the Criminal Calendar in Washington County the week of July 26, 2026.
- To be in the charge of both the Civil Calendar and the Criminal Calendar in Washington County the week of August 2, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Civil Calendar in Washington County the week of August 9, 2026.

MS. JUSTICE SIGNORE:

- To be in charge of the Civil Motion Calendar in Courtroom No. 16 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Formal & Special Cause Calendar in Courtroom No. 3 in Providence County the week of July 5, 2026.

MR. JUSTICE SMITH:

- To assist on the Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 2 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 9 in Providence County on July 2, and July 3, 2026.

- To be in charge of the Civil Calendar in Courtroom No. 4A in Kent County the week of July 12, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Pre-Arrest Calendar in Courtroom No. 5D in the J. Joseph Garrahy Courthouse in Providence County on July 20, July 21, July 22, and July 23, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Costs, Fines & Restitution Calendar in Courtroom No. 14 in Providence County on July 20, July 21, July 22, and July 23, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County on August 3, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Pre-Arrest Calendar in Courtroom No. 5D in the J. Joseph Garrahy Courthouse in Providence County the week of August 9, 2026.

MR. JUSTICE STERN:

- To be in charge of the Business Calendar in Courtroom No. 5 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County on July 23, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Costs, Fines & Restitution Calendar in Courtroom No. 14 in Providence County on July 24, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Daily Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 9 in Providence County on August 3, 2026 and August 7, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County on August 28, 2026.

MS. JUSTICE TAFT-CARTER:

- To be in charge of the Civil Calendar and assist on the Business Calendar in Washington County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in the charge of both the Civil and Criminal Calendar in Washington County the week of May 10, 2026.
- To be in the charge of both the Civil and Criminal Calendar in Washington County on June 25, 2026.
- To be in the charge of both the Civil and Criminal Calendar in Washington County the week of June 28, 2026.
- To be in the charge of both the Civil and Criminal Calendar in Washington County the week of August 16, 2026.
- To be in the charge of both the Civil and Criminal Calendar in Washington County the week of August 23, 2026.

MR. JUSTICE VAN COUYGHEN:

- To be in charge of the Civil Calendar in Newport County and assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 4F in Kent County the week of May 3, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Calendar in Courtroom No. 4F in Kent County the week of May 10, 2026.
- To be in charge of both the Criminal Calendar and the Civil Calendar in Newport County on June 1, 2026.
- To be in charge of both the Criminal Calendar and the Civil Calendar in Newport County the week of July 5, 2026.
- To be in charge of both the Criminal Calendar and the Civil Calendar in Newport County the week of August 2, 2026.
- To be in charge of both the Criminal Calendar and the Civil Calendar in Newport County on August 10, August 11, August 12, and August 13, 2026.

MR. SPECIAL MAGISTRATE BURKE:

- To be in charge of the Pre-Arrest Calendar in Courtroom No. 5D in the J. Joseph Garrahy Courthouse in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Costs, Fines & Restitution Calendar in Courtroom No. 14 in Providence County the week of May 17, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Costs, Fines & Restitution Calendar in Courtroom No. 14 in Providence County the week of June 21, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Costs, Fines & Restitution Calendar in Courtroom No. 14 in Providence County on August 7, 2026.

MS. GENERAL MAGISTRATE LOPES:

- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.

MR. MAGISTRATE MCBURNEY:

- To be in charge of the Costs, Fines & Restitution Calendar in Courtroom No. 14 in Providence County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Pre-Arrest Calendar in Courtroom No. 5D the week of May 24, 2026.

MS. MAGISTRATE VALENTINO:

- To be in charge of the Adult Drug Court Calendar, Diversion Calendar, Probation Termination Calendar, and Sexual Predator Calendar in Courtroom No. 1 in Providence County and in Courtroom No. 4C in Kent County and to assist elsewhere as needed.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County on June 17, 2026 and June 18, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Pre-Arrest Calendar in Courtroom No. 5D in the J. Joseph Garrahy Courthouse in Providence County the week of July 5, 2026.
- To be in charge of the Criminal Pre-Trial Calendar in Courtroom No. 4 in Providence County on July 29, 2026 and July 31, 2026.

BY ORDER OF:

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**JOSEPH A. MONTALBANO
PRESIDING JUSTICE**

DATED: May 1, 2026