

STATE COURT OF DEKALB COUNTY

JUDGE ANA MARIA MARTINEZ

PRETRIAL CONFERENCE

MAY 2, 2022

1:30PM

Division 6
Judicial Tower
3rd floor, Courtroom D
Pretrial to be held via Zoom

Summer Schmidt
Civil Case Manager
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IN THE STATE COURT OF DEKALB COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA

ORDER OF INSTRUCTIONS FOR DIVISION VI
PRETRIAL CONFERENCE AND CIVIL JURY CALENDAR

Consolidated Pretrial Order and Motions in Limine must be filed by: April 22, 2022.
Mandatory Pretrial Conference to be held via Zoom: May 2, 2022 at 1:30 p.m.
Trial Dates: May 23rd through May 27th

Lead counsel must appear virtually for the pretrial conference. All parties shall contact the Court via email to the Civil Case Manager, Summer Schmidt (slschmidt@dekalbcountyga.gov), by April 22, 2022, for further instructions regarding proceeding with the Hearing using the Zoom application. Counsel must include ALL parties on any email correspondence with the Court.

All cases should expect to be reached during the week of trial. Cases may be called out of order as scheduling demands. **Parties will be specially set for trial during the pretrial conference.** The parties are reminded to review the Court's **Standing Order** as they prepare the proposed Consolidated Pre-Trial Order and in anticipation of their attendance at the Pre-Trial Conference.

Parties must submit a CONSOLIDATED Pretrial Order in conformity with Uniform State Court Rule 7.2 by April 22, 2022, via email to Ms. Schmidt in Word format. Failure to respond to this calendar by the April 22nd deadline, or to submit the proposed Consolidated Pretrial Order to Ms. Schmidt, may result in the parties and/or their counsel being held in CONTEMPT and/or in the DISMISSAL of the complaint, answer, counterclaim, cross claim or third-party claim, as appropriate.

All Motions in Limine shall be filed on or before **April 22, 2022.**

The **removal** of a case from the Pre-Trial/Jury calendar for any reason shall **ONLY BE BY ORDER OF THE COURT AND MUST BE FILED WITH THE COURT BY APRIL 22, 2022.** A Motion for Continuance and/or Extension of Discovery must be by consent of all parties and a **Consent Order submitted in Word format to Ms. Schmidt**, at the same time as the Motion is filed with the Clerk of the Court.


Lead Counsel is required to be (virtually) present at the Mandatory Pretrial Conference on May 2, 2022 at 1:30 p.m. In preparation for the pretrial conference, parties are directed to:

- Email Ms. Schmidt a copy of the Consolidated Pretrial Order **in Word format**;
- Discuss settlement options **prior** to the Pretrial Conference and be ready to discuss settlement history with the Court;
- Discuss any motions *in limine* that have been filed and make a good faith effort to resolve them; and
- Discuss any objections in depositions to be presented at trial and make a good faith effort to resolve them. **All unresolved objections, together with argument and citations, shall be brought to the pre-trial conference, with a copy to the Court.** Any objections not brought before the Court prior to trial shall be deemed waived.

Parties are directed to contact Ms. Schmidt via email at: slschmidt@dekalbcountyga.gov by April 22, 2022, regarding the calendar, trial matters and instructions.

Standing Order and Calendar may be viewed at: www.dekalbstatecourt.net

SO ORDERED, this 27th day of March, 2022.



Judge Ana Maria Martinez
State Court of DeKalb County



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Case	Parties	Attorneys
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(1)	18A68531	Donna and Michael Peppers	Lamonte E Scott
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Jesus and Butch, Inc. (d/b/a This Is It BBQ)	Adam C Joffe

Personal Injury

(2)	18A68904	Shannon S Turner	T Brandon Welch
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Luanne Bonnie , as Administrator of the Estate of Lateasha Studyvent;	John E. Searcy, Jr.
		LM General Insurance Company	Kyle Williams

Personal Injury

(3)	18A71253	Dane Greene	James M. Grant
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Rhonda Coleman	James F Taylor, III.
		State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company	Tawanna Hopson

Tort - Auto Accident



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Case	Parties	Attorneys	
(4)	18A71286	Kevin Coleman	Ronald L Hilley
	--- VERSUS ---		
	David S. Grenda, M.D.; et al	D Michael Williams; Alan J Payne	
	Tort-Professional Negligence		
(5)	18A71652	Mistery Harris and Haley Greene	Kevin C Patrick
	--- VERSUS ---		
	Nicola Findly-Ffrench	W. Coleman Sylvan	
	Tort - Auto Accident		
(6)	18A71876	Dewey Martin	Robert M Gardner, Jr.
	--- Versus ---		
	Anish Shah	Andrew A Curtright	
	Tort - Auto Accident		
(7)	18A72081	Darryl Gresham	Roodgine D Bray
	--- VERSUS ---		
	Kenneth D Bruno	Pro Se	
	Tort - Premise Liability		



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(8)	19A73548	Alter Antoine	David J Panitz
	--- VERSUS ---		
	El Compadre Trucks, Inc.; et al	Robert F Brawner, II.; Charles Medlin	
	Southern Insurance Company of Virginia		
	Personal Injury		
(9)	19A73637	Michael Davis	Pro Se
	--- VERSUS ---		
	Renardo Lashun Williams	Ethan S Williams	
	Tort - Auto Accident		
(10)	19A74048	Luz A Morla Perez	Matthew B Stoddard
	--- VERSUS ---		
	Punta Cana Dominican Hair Salon & Nail Spa	Darryl G Haynes	
	Personal Injury		
(11)	19A74687	Doria Stevens	Jerome Lee
	--- VERSUS ---		
	Sudi Hamza	Sarah G Darden	
	Tort - Auto Accident		



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Case

Parties

Attorneys

(12) 19A75043 Washunda R. Adams Rachael Deloach-Bukle

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Darryl William Cordice Benjamin A Stahl; Pro Se
a/k/a Darryl William; et al.

Tort - Auto Accident

(13) 19A75442 Harriet Black Brendan Flanagan

--- VERSUS ---

Allison Aubuchon Lauren E. H. Meadows

Incoming Transfer

(14) 19A75843 Kelly Walls William P Langdale III

--- VERSUS ---

The Emory Clinic, Inc.; et
al Kara Kapke; Brian D Trulock

Tort -Medical Malpractice



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Parties

Attorneys

(15) 19A76020

Brenda Pace

Steven Fair

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Stephen Taylor;

Jason D Darneille

Allstate Fire and Casualty
Insurance Company

Rashawn Jones

Tort - Auto Accident

(16) 19A76925

April Ingram

Nikoo Razavi

--- VERSUS ---

Grover Floyd Gentry

Jade K Jordan

Tort - Auto Accident

(17) 19A77304

Constance Estelle Leizman

James W. Hurt, Jr.

--- VERSUS ---

Britton Buchanan

Tasha Washington

Personal Injury



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Parties

Attorneys

(18) 19A77342 Marcus Barber Catherine R Powell

--- VERSUS ---

Joseph R. Alcock; Nazish A. Ahmed

Horace Mann Property and
Casualty Insurance
Company

Personal Injury

(19) 19A77597 Ira Haber Keith E Fryer

--- VERSUS ---

Tami Reed Gunter Mark E Scott

Tort - Auto Accident

(20) 19A77886 Bettie Green William P Tinkler, Jr.

--- VERSUS ---

Malcolm Stanley Gilbert Rebecca L Abraham

State General Civil
