

STATE COURT OF DEKALB COUNTY

JUDGE ANA MARIA MARTINEZ

PRETRIAL CONFERENCE

May 13, 2024

1:00PM

Division 6
Judicial Tower
3rd floor, Courtroom D

Nakeya Burton
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: May 3rd, 2024
Mandatory Pretrial Conference to be held via Zoom: May 13th, 2024, at 1:00p.m.
Civil Trial Dates: June 11th through June 14th

DeKalb County continues to monitor the COVID-19 emergency and has the technology to conduct the calendar virtually. **Lead counsel must appear virtually for the pretrial conference. All parties shall contact the Court via email to the Civil Case Manager, Nakeya Burton (nlburton1@dekalbcountyga.gov), by May 3rd, 2024, 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 **May 3rd, 2024**, via email to Ms. Burton **in Word format**. Failure to respond to this calendar by the deadline, or to submit the proposed Consolidated Pretrial Order to Ms. Burton, 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 **May 3rd, 2024**.

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 May 3rd, 2024**. 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. Burton**, 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 13th, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. In preparation for the pretrial conference, parties are directed to:

- Email Ms. Burton 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 via Ms. Burton via email at: nlburton1@dekalbcountyga.gov regarding the calendar, trial matters and instructions by the deadline indicated in this Order.

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

SO ORDERED, this 26th day of May, 2024.



Judge Ana Maria Martinez
State Court of DeKalb County



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Case	Parties	Attorneys	
(9)	22A03196	Jeffery Sharp	Dennis Sawan
	---	VERSUS	---
	Marlon Williams	Darryl G Haynes	
Tort - Auto Accident			
(10)	22A03340	Sonia Downey	Pro Se
	---	VERSUS	---
	Mr. Gee's Automotive Services, LLC	Pro Se	
Personal Injury		Service. Answer. JD.	
(11)	22A03363	Asari Hamilton	Hung "Alex" Q Nguyen; Hung "Alex" Q Nguyen
	---	VERSUS	---
	John Doe 1	Pro Se	
	ACCC Insurance Company		
Tort - Auto Accident			
(12)	22A03523	Seidu Zakaria	Michael Paul
	---	VERSUS	---
	Andrew Wiemann	Rashawn N Jones	
Tort - Auto Accident			



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Eric Howard

Kevin A James; Kevin A James

Tort - Auto Accident

(14) 22A03689 Arthur Porter Kathryn N Guzner

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Read Property Group, LLC

Samuel S Sykes, II.; Samuel S
Sykes, II.; Stuart Sumner; Pro Se;
Samuel S Sykes, II.

Tort - Premise Liability

(15) 22A03965 Edward Grant M Cordele Rolle

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Jamal Diggs

J Lewis Glenn, Jr.

Tort - Auto Accident

(16) 22A04088 LATONYA PERRIMAN Steven A. Miller

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RANDY FINNEY

Melissa L Bailey

Tort - Auto Accident



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(17)	22A04155	MELVIN THORNTON
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	ALICE C. DAILY	Craig P Terrett
	STATE FARM INSURANCE COMPANIES	
	Tort - Auto Accident	
(18)	22A04211	Shantel Henson-Hall
	---	VERSUS ---
	Letrevionte Curry	Diana M. Moore
	State Farm Insurance Company	
	Tort - Auto Accident	
(19)	22A04251	Emily Mohr
	---	VERSUS ---
	Roy Neal	John D Rogers, Jr.; John D Rogers, Jr.
	Tort - Auto Accident	
(20)	22A04311	Jonathan Best
	---	VERSUS ---
	Kim Felder	Tasha Washington
	Tort - Auto Accident	



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Lashonda Council-Rogers

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David B. Richardson

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Tort - Auto Accident
