

STATE OF ILLINOIS)

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NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 04-02

NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
LAKE COUNTY
McHENRY COUNTY

Administrative Order No. 02-42 is hereby vacated.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that subject to the authority of the Chief Judge, the Honorable Ward S. Arnold is appointed Presiding Judge in McHenry County. In his absence, Judge Sharon L. Prather will act as Presiding Judge in McHenry County. The Honorable Henry C. Tonigan will act as Presiding Judge of the Civil Division in Lake County; the Honorable Christopher C. Starck will act as Presiding Judge of the Felony Division in Lake County; the Honorable Jane D. Waller will act as Presiding Judge of the Family Division in Lake County; the Honorable David M. Hall will act as Presiding Judge of the Misdemeanor/Traffic Division in Lake County and the Honorable Patrick N. Lawler will act as the Supervising Judge of the Misdemeanor/Traffic Division in Lake County; the Honorable Mary S. Schostok will act as the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Division and the Honorable Valerie Boettle Ceckowski will act as the Supervising Judge of the Juvenile Division.

The Civil Division in Lake County shall routinely hear the following types of cases:

Arbitration (AR), Chancery (CH), Eminent Domain (ED), Law (L), Law Magistrate (LM), Municipal Corporation (MC), Miscellaneous Remedy (MR), Probate (P), Small Claims (SC) and Tax (TX).

The Felony Division in Lake County shall routinely hear the following types of cases:

Contempt of Court (CC), Criminal Felony (CF), Miscellaneous Remedy (MR), Eavesdropping, Fugitive from Justice and Criminal Forfeitures.

The Family Division in Lake County shall routinely hear the following types of cases:

Adoption (AD), Dissolution (D), Family (F), Order of Protection (OP) and Mental Health (MH).

The Juvenile Division in Lake County shall routinely hear the following types of cases:

Juvenile (J), Juvenile Abuse and Neglect (JA), Juvenile Delinquency (JD)

The Misdemeanor/Traffic Division in Lake County shall routinely hear the following types of cases:

Criminal Misdemeanor (CM), Conservation Violation (CV),
Driving Under the Influence (DT), Order of Protection (OP),
Ordinance Violation (OV) and Traffic Violation (TR).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Presiding Judge in McHenry County or the Presiding Judge's designee shall call and impanel Grand and Petit Juries; administer the Judicial Department of McHenry County; oversee the operation of Court Services; preside over expungement proceedings; assign judicial duties to the Circuit and Associate Judges regularly assigned by the Chief Judge; administer the Court Reporting Services provided by the Judicial Department of McHenry County and assign court reporting services duties to Court Reporting Services employees, including Official Court Reporters (OCR) and Electronic Recorder Operators (ERO), who have been assigned by the Chief Judge to serve the Judicial Department of McHenry County and such other duties as may be required for the proper administration of justice. The Presiding Judge may promulgate administrative orders within McHenry County not inconsistent with the Rules of Court or the Administrative Orders of the Chief Judge. All such Administrative Orders issued by the Presiding Judge in McHenry County shall be tendered to the Chief Judge ten (10) working days prior to their effective date during which time the Chief Judge may approve or withhold approval of the proposed Administrative Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Presiding Judges of Lake County shall assign judicial duties to the Circuit and Associate Judges regularly assigned by the Chief Judge and otherwise administer their respective divisions of the Judicial Department of Lake County. The Presiding Judge of the Felony Division or his designee shall call Grand Juries.

The Presiding Judge of the Felony Division shall preside over expungement proceedings.

DATED this 5th day of January, 2004.

ENTER:

MARGARET J. MULLEN,
Chief Judge

