

IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

IN THE MATTER OF:

CASE AND COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS.

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2026-22

The Second Judicial District Court ("SJDC"), as part of the state constitutional judicial system, "has the inherent power to protect itself and to administer its affairs." City of N. Las Vegas ex re. Arndt v. Daines, 92 Nev. 292, 294, 550 P.2d 399, 400 (1976). The Chief Judge of the SJDC has authority to make administrative decisions pertaining to the business of the Court (WDCR 2(2), NRS 3.025(2)(c)). The Chief Judge shall assign cases to each judge in the judicial district (NRS 3.025(2)(a)). Certain presiding judge, dockets, committee and liaison assignments are necessary to effectuate the orderly administration of justice within the SJDC to further foster consistency, efficiency and fairness.

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. The Case and Committee Assignments reflected in the attached Exhibit A shall be effective immediately and shall transition as practicable. If an assignment has been made to a new judge, the new assignee and the prior assignee will work together with staff regarding a commencement date.
2. This Administrative Order 2026-22 replaces Administrative Order 2026-17.

1 3. Interim additional District assignments may be made by the Chief Judge as
2 necessary.

3 4. This Administrative Order shall remain in effect until further Administrative
4 Order of the Chief Judge.¹

5 DATED this 28 day of August, 2026.

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Egan K. Walker
CHIEF DISTRICT JUDGE

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28 ¹. This AO will be updated in January of 2027 to reflect results of pending elections.

EXHIBIT A

ASSIGNMENT	JUDGES Appointed/Assigned
Chief Judge	Judge Walker
Presiding Judge – General Jurisdiction	Judge Drakulich
Presiding Judge – Family Division	Judge Grossman
FAMILY DIVISION	
CASA Liaison	Judge Dollinger
Family Division Bench/Bar Committee	Chair: Judge Grossman
Assisted Outpatient Treatment Court	Judge Lu through January 3, 2027 Judge Dollinger effective January 4, 2027*
Family Peace Center Liaison	Judge Schreinert
Isolation & Quarantine Cases	Judge Unsworth
Juvenile Delinquency Business Unit	Judge Dollinger
Juvenile Dependency Business Unit	Judge Dollinger
Mental Health/Involuntary Civil Commitment Business Unit	Judge Lu through January 3, 2027 Judge Dollinger effective January 4, 2027*
Minor Guardianship Business Unit	Judge Schreinert
Orders for Protection Against Domestic Violence Business Unit	Judge Banales
Project ONE	Judge Dollinger
Resource Center Liaison	Expired
Resource Center – Forms Review and Fee Recommendations	Judge Unsworth

Safe Babies Court	Judge Dollinger
Termination of Parental Rights Cases	Judge Dollinger
UIFSA/Child Support Business Unit	Judge Morey
* effective January 4, 2027, active divorce and child custody cases assigned to Department 11 shall be randomly reassigned to other family court department(s). See separate Administrative Order to follow.	
GENERAL JURISDICTION	
Adult Guardianship Bench/Bar Committee	Chair: Judge Hardy Judge Sigurdson
Adult Guardianship Judge Alternate Judges	Judge Hardy Judge Sigurdson
Alternative Dispute Resolution Program – Arbitration Judge	Judge Sigurdson
Business Court Judges	Judge Breslow Judge Drakulich Judge Freeman
Additional Business Court Settlement Judges	Judge Hardy Judge Jones All other Judges
Civil Bench/Bar Committee	Chair: Judge Breslow Judge Jones Judge Sigurdson
Criminal Bench/Bar Committee	Chair Judge Freeman Judge Drakulich Judge Jones Judge Riggs
Criminal Justice Advisory Commission (CJAC)	Chair: Chief Judge Walker
Evidence Committee	Chair: Chief Judge Walker Judge Drakulich

Filing Office Committee	Chair: Chief Judge Walker Judge Banales Judge Lu
High Risk Protection Orders	Chief Judge Walker Judge Grossman Judge Unsworth
Grand Jury Judge Alternate Judges	Chief Judge Walker Judge Jones
Mental Competency Court Alternate Judge	Chief Judge Walker Judge Lu
Minors Compromise Judge	Judge Sigurdson
Parole & Probation Committee	Judge Drakulich Judge Breslow Judge Jones
Pretrial Services Division Liaison	Judge Riggs
Probate and Trust Judge Alternate Judges	Judge Hardy Judge Breslow Judge Jones
Search Warrants	Judge Jones
Short Trial Program Judge	Judge Sigurdson
Specialty Court Program	
Specialty Court Liaison	Judge Jones
- Adult Drug Court Judge (including Diversion) - Alternate Judge	Judge Riggs
- Felony DUI Court Judge - Alternate Judge	Judge Sigurdson
- Medication-Assisted Treatment Court Judge - Alternate Judge	Judge Freeman Judge Jones

• Mental Health Court Judge • Alternate Judge	Chief Judge Walker Judge Drakulich
• Prison Re-entry Court • Alternate Judge	Judge Drakulich Chief Judge Walker
• Young Offender Court Judge • Alternate Judge	Judge Jones Judge Freeman
• Veterans Court Judge • Alternate Judge	Judge Breslow
Structured Settlement Judges	Judge Hardy Judge Breslow
Water Law Judge	Judge Drakulich
DISTRICT WIDE	
Budget Committee	Chair: Chief Judge Walker Judge Breslow Judge Grossman
Mental Health Projects and Issues Liaison	Chief Judge Walker
Court Technology Advisory Committee (CTAC)	Chair: Chief Judge Walker Judge Grossman Judge Morey
Courthouse Security Committee	Chair: Judge Freeman Judge Dollinger Judge Drakulich Judge Riggs Chief Judge Walker
Filing Office Committee	Chair: Chief Judge Walker Judge Lu Judge Banales
Legislative Committee	Co-chairs: Judge Drakulich Chief Judge Walker Judge Freeman Judge Hardy Judge Grossman Judge Morey

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Rules Committee	Chair: Judge Riggs Judge Banales Judge Breslow Judge Drakulich Judge Unsworth Judge Grossman
Statistics Committee	Expired
Washoe County District Court Complex Committee	Chair: Judge Jones Judge Freeman Judge Hardy Judge Riggs Judge Grossman
Washoe County Law Library Board Members	Chair: Judge Jones Judge Schreinert Judge Breslow