

IN THE SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
GENERAL ORDER 25-07
Effective May 30, 2025

Alvin L. Barrows
Clerk of the Circuit Court
Kane County, IL

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IN THE MATTER OF)
AMENDING GENERAL ORDER 24-11)
COURTROOM JC 005 AND)
COURTROOM JJC 002 SCHEDULES)

WHEREAS, subject to the overall authority of the Illinois Supreme Court and pursuant to Illinois Supreme Court Rule 21, the chief judge having authority to determine the times and places of holding court and the types of cases assigned,

WHEREAS, juvenile detention hearings will no longer take place on Saturdays, Sundays, or court holidays except for Thanksgiving weekend, or by order of the Chief Judge;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. This order amends, supplements, and, where inconsistent, supersedes all prior orders on assignments and schedules for Courtroom JC 005 and Courtroom JJC 002
2. Effective May 30, 2025, the following court locations are adopting the corresponding schedules:

CR 005

Hon. Salvatore LoPiccolo

Criminal - Initial Appearance Court

Monday – Friday

7:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.

Defendants will be brought to the Kane County Judicial Center to speak with an assistant Public Defender or private counsel

9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Arrest warrants, initial summonses, search warrants, search warrant returns. Petitions for authorization for eavesdrops and returns

10:00 a.m.

Initial appearances for all criminal cases where defendants have not been released with a Citation and Notice to Appear or have been arrested on a Probable Cause Warrant

1:00 p.m.

Initial appearances if not completed in the morning

1:30 p.m.

Hearings on petitions to deny pretrial release

Saturdays and court holidays:

7:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.

Defendants will be brought to the Kane County Judicial Center to

Speak with an assistant Public Defender or private counsel
10:00 a.m.

Initial appearances for all criminal cases where defendants have not been released with a Citation and Notice to Appear or have been arrested on a Probable Cause Warrant or a Failure to Appear Warrant

Sundays and those days ordered by the presiding judge:

7:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.

Defendants will be brought to the Kane County Judicial Center to speak with an assistant Public Defender or private counsel

10:00 a.m.

Initial appearances

Hearing Times

Petitions to Deny Pretrial Release- Upon completion of initial appearances, hearings on Petitions to Deny Pretrial Release will begin as soon as practicable

JJC 002

Hon. Sandra Parga, Presiding Judge

Delinquency (JD), Back-up Shelter Care Hearings as assigned, Dually Involved Youth, Truancy, and Private Adoptions (AD)

Monday – Friday:

9:00 a.m.

Juvenile Delinquency cases

1:30 p.m.

Detention hearings, Juvenile Delinquency cases, and trials and motions scheduled by court order

First and Third Fridays – Private Adoptions

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Cases set at this time only, unless otherwise approved by the assigned judge

Entered this 30th day of May 2025, and effective May 30, 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert K. Villa". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, stylized "R" and "V".

Robert K. Villa, Chief Judge