

IN THE SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
GENERAL ORDER 26-04
Effective February 4, 2026

IN THE MATTER OF
AMENDING ARTICLE 1.12
EXTENDED MEDIA COVERAGE
OF LOCAL COURT RULE
ARTICLE 1: GENERAL POWERS



WHEREAS, the Illinois Supreme Court has amended the Policy for Extended Media Coverage in the Circuit Courts of Illinois, effective January 1, 2026;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that by a majority vote of the Circuit Judges of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit, Local Court Rule 1.12 Extended Media Coverage is amended in and for the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit, effective February 4, 2026.

Entered this 4th day of February 2026, and effective February 4, 2026.

Robert K. Villa, Chief Judge