

THE DAY TIMES

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BRINGING A “*HOPPY DAY*” TO SOUTHEAST: 21ST ANNUAL SOUTHEAST EGG HUNT



The Circuit Court Clerk’s Office was thrilled to take part in the 21st Annual Southeast Egg Hunt,

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spreading smiles, candy, and community spirit to families across the Southeast. With colorful eggs, festive music, and joyful energy all around, our team joined in the fun to help create a “Hoppy Day” for hundreds of children and their families.

As part of our ongoing commitment to community engagement, we were proud to support this beloved tradition that brings people together in such a meaningful and memorable way. From handing out treats to sharing laughs with little ones, it was a day full of connection and celebration.

We’re grateful to the organizers for making this event a continued success and look forward to more opportunities to serve and support the families of the Southeast community!

Employee Appreciation Month

Wrap Up

As March came to a close, so did our month-long celebration of Employee Appreciation—and what a month it was! From spirited snacks to shared stories, this year's events brought joy, laughter, and a strong sense of connection across our offices.

One of the highlights of the month was the launch of our inaugural Elevate Awards—a new tradition celebrating the best of the best, as voted by peers across our organization. These superlatives were more than just fun—they were heartfelt acknowledgments that truly reflected the admiration we have for one another. It was exciting and inspiring to receive nominations from every corner of our offices, further bridging departments and strengthening our organizational unity.



We wrapped up things with the 3rd Annual Employee Enrichment celebration. Next up was the high-energy Buckets 'N Bites: March Madness Edition, where team spirit and hoops fever were in full swing. Employees enjoyed tasty treats from the concession stand while rewatching the thrilling Sweet 16 matchup between the Arkansas Razorbacks and the Texas Tech Raiders. The game kept everyone on the edge of their seats, with the Raiders clinching an 85–83 victory in an intense overtime finish.



Employee Appreciation Month Wrap Up

Continued

Let's give one more round of applause to our 2025 Elevate Award recipients:



Culture Champion: Christenah Haefner

Lift As You Climb: Shelby Taylor

Above & Beyond: Victoria Choi

Rising Star: Sydnee Valentine & Sydney Lee

Shining Light: Sydney Lee

Passion & Purpose: Kelli Olin & Victoria Choi

Office Superhero: Bill Riggs & Ryan Johnson

Master of Multitasking: Shelby Taylor & Ryan Johnson

Caffeine Connoisseur: Courtney Greene

Office Lifesaver: Angela Shelton & Christenah Haefner

"You Had To Be There" Best Storyteller: Antonio Lanier

Early Bird: Hava Slater

Office Encyclopedia: Shelby Taylor

Leadership: Glenn Balletto



Whether you were honored with an award, enjoyed an ice cream cone, or shared a laugh during a basketball game, we hope you felt the appreciation this March. Thank you to every team member for making this such a meaningful month—and for everything you do year-round.

Here's to continuing the connection, collaboration, and culture we've built together!



Springing into Quarter 2: A Season of Growth, Service, and Community



As the days grow longer and spring blooms around us, Quarter 2 brings a renewed energy into our halls and hearts. The change of season is more than just the arrival of warmer weather—it's a time of opportunity, fresh perspectives, and growth, both inside the courthouse and out in our Davidson County community.

Spring reminds us that new beginnings are always within reach. It's a chance to plant seeds of service, collaboration, and innovation that will bloom throughout the year. As we enter this next chapter together, let's continue building on the momentum of a strong Q1 and carry that energy into everything we do.



We're also proud to recognize a shining example of that commitment: **Lori Tyson**, recipient of this quarter's ***Stellar Service Award***. Lori consistently goes above and beyond, demonstrating reliability, compassion, and excellence in her role. Her dedication is a reflection of the best of our team values, and we are grateful for her impact every day.

As we move forward into Q2, let's stay inspired by the season—welcoming new challenges, nurturing our connections, and continuing to serve with purpose and heart. Here's to a fresh start and a flourishing spring!



Trial Verdicts

Jury Trials

WEEK OF MARCH 3, 2025 - NO TRIALS WENT FORWARD THIS WEEK.							
CASE NUMBER	TYPE OF CASE	CT	π / Δ	CIRCUIT JUDGMENT	% FAULT	GS JUDGMENT	BY
WEEK OF MARCH 31, 2025							
CASE NUMBER	TYPE OF CASE	CT	π / Δ	CIRCUIT JUDGMENT	% FAULT	GS JUDGMENT	BY
23C2605	GSA MICELLANEOUS	2		MISTRIAL			

Non-Jury Trials

MARCH, 2025 NON-JURY TRIALS:							
SPECIALLY SET TRIALS:							
CASE NUMBER	TYPE OF CASE	CT	π / Δ	CIRCUIT JUDGMENT	DATE OF TRIAL	GS JUDGMENT	BY
24C349	OUT OF COUNTY TRANSFER - COMPLT. TO REMEDY VIOL. OF STATUTORY INJUNCTION AND FOR DECLARATORY RELIEF	1	π	60% OF PROCEEDS TO π AND 40% OF PROCEEDS TO Δ.	3.10.25		
24C1484	METRO APPEAL	2	π	\$25.00 FINE W/ UNADVANCED COSTS TO Δ.	3.11.25	Δ \$107.75 FINE	Δ
24C2443	METRO APPEAL	2	π	Δ ORDERED TO ATTEND TRAFFIC SCHOOL W/IN 90 DAYS. UNADVANCED COSTS TAXED TO Δ. REMANDED TO TVB.	3.13.25	Δ \$50.00 FINE	Δ
24C2022	GSA - DETAINER	6	π	G.S. ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO SET ASIDE AND VACATE JUDGMENT IS REVERSED. DEFAULT JUDGMENT AGAINST Δ IS REINSTATED AND SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT. COSTS OF APPEAL TO Δ.	3.17.25	CONDITIONAL JUDGMENT TO π \$5,512.54 (DEFAULT) WAS THEN SET ASIDE & VACATED WITH COSTS TO π.	π

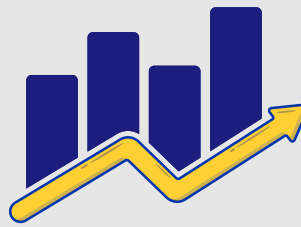
Trial Verdicts Continued



Non-Jury Trials

24C1962	WARRANT TO RECOVER	6	π	REPLEVIN OF ENGAGEMENT RING AWARDED VALUE \$4,000.00, DIS. OF π APPELLEE'S CLAIM FOR REPLEVIN OF LAPTOP.	3.17.25	π POSSESSION + \$13,599.99 (DEFAULT)	Δ
24C1865	GSA - CONTRACT/DEBT	2	π	\$6,100.00 + COURT COSTS.	3.18.25	DIS. COSTS TO BE PAID BY π BASED ON FINDINGS IN FAVOR OF Δ AFTER TRIAL.	Δ
24C1744	RENTAL DAMAGES	1	π	\$13,759.00	3.19.25	π \$10,704.00	Δ
24C2422	FRAUDULENT TRANSFER OF FUNDS - DAMAGES	1	π	\$46,102.55	3.19.25		
24C1976	AUTO - DAMAGES	5	π	VOL. DIS. AFTER TESTIMONY.	3.19.25		
24C1113	GSA -BREACH OF CONTRACT	2	π	\$1,271.52 + UNADVANCED COURT COSTS TAXED TO Δ.	3.20.25.	π \$3,225.00 + POST JUDG. INT.	Δ
24C1710	NEGLIGENCE, BREACH OF CONTRACT, NUISANCE	2	π	\$220,877.22,+ COSTS TO Δ#1. REMAINING Δ'S DEFERRED TO SUBSEQUENT HEARING.	3.21.25		

Department



Numbers

<u>Circuit Court</u>	<u>Mar.</u>	<u>YTD</u>
New Civil Cases	387	1,033
Jury Demand	184	541
Non-Jury	133	309
New Divorce Cases Filed	165	475
Domestic Petitions Filed	10	26
Orders of Protection Filed	69	161
Orders of Protection Granted	23	80
Orders of Protection Dismissed	65	200
Judicial Committals Filed	14	44
New Adoption Petitions	5	12
Civil Cases Concluded	396	978
Jury Demand	209	562
Non-Jury	97	190
Divorce Cases Concluded	132	450
Domestic Petitions Concluded	109	121

<u>Probate</u>	<u>Mar.</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Total New Cases Filed	223	650
Total Closed Cases	234	594
Petitions to Probate Will	69	214
Probate Will for Muniment of Title	10	23
Letters of Administration	35	105
Small Estate Affidavits	35	102
Conservatorship	50	147
Guardianship of Minor	7	17
Name Change	13	31
Trust Matters	3	8
Other Miscellaneous	1	3

<u>General Sessions</u>	<u>Mar.</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Total New Cases Filed	4,022	11,489
Civil Warrants	1,735	5,253
Detainer Warrants	1,476	4,018
Recovery Warrants	6	25
Orders of Protection Petitions	296	813
Orders of Protection Granted	48	125
Orders of Protection Dismissed	204	619
Emergency Committals	434	1,305
Immediate Possession	0	0
Sue & Attach	2	2
Petitions to Interplead	0	0
Counter-Claims	0	1
Distress Warrants	75	75
Executions Issued	3,572	9,643
Garnishment Payments	4,342	11,828
Judgments Collected	\$1,483,688.23	\$4,015,132.40

<u>Traffic Violations Bureau</u>	<u>Mar.</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Total Traffic Violations	7,637	18,905
Moving Citations	2,987	7,873
Parking Citations	4,650	11,032
Environmental Citations	741	2,233
Civil Misdemeanor Citations	4	7
Total Fines Collected	\$197,209.19	\$547,508.00
Nullifications	163	437
Nullification Fees Collected	\$1,954.80	\$5,238

THE SPOTLIGHT IS ON YOU!



Employee Spotlight



Mary Stephens

Mary has been with the organization for 30 years!

Office: Circuit/Probate (Bookkeeping)

Birthday: June 17th

Hobbies: Going to the beach, pool, lake, and shopping

Did you know: Mary is the fourth generation in her maternal bloodline to carry the name Mary?



Congratulations **Christenah Haefner** and **David Farmer** on reaching **20** years of service this month! Your dedication, hard work, and commitment have played a vital role in our organization's success. Thank you for being an invaluable part of our team!

happy

Dana Fredericks - Apr. 1st

Kelli Olin - Apr. 5th

Miguel De Jesus - Apr. 8th

Candy Finch - Apr. 11th

Lori Tyson - Apr. 19th

LaTonya Johnson - Apr. 20th

Vanessa Hammonds - Apr. 25th



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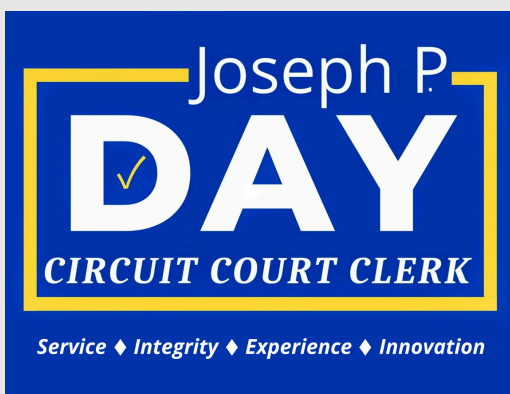
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