

THE DAY TIMES

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TAKING THE OATH, CONTINUING THE MISSION



The Circuit Court Clerk’s Office recently celebrated an important milestone as **Michael, Randi, Renee, Ivonne, Kerri, and Kelly** were officially sworn in during a ceremony presided over by Judge Walker-Birdine.

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The swearing-in ceremony serves as a reminder of the commitment, integrity, and professionalism required to serve the courts and the public. While each of these team members has already been making valuable contributions to our office, this occasion marked an important step in their public service journey.

We are grateful to have Michael, Randi, Renee, Ivonne, Kerri, and Kelly as part of our team and look forward to the continued impact they will make through their dedication and service.

Congratulations on this well-deserved achievement!

In recognition of Mental Health Awareness Month, our organization launched *Miles for the Mind*, a wellness initiative designed to encourage movement, mindfulness, and healthy habits.

MILES FOR THE MIND RECAP



While the initiative officially concluded at the end of May, the message behind it remains just as important as we enter Men’s Mental Health Awareness Month in June. Mental health affects everyone, and sometimes the simplest actions can make a meaningful difference. Adding a daily walk through your neighborhood, spending time at a local park, or even taking a lap around Historic Courthouse Plaza can help reduce stress, improve mood, increase energy, and contribute to overall well-being.

Together, six teams and several individual walkers logged an impressive 9,791,161 steps, traveling approximately 4,896 miles and falling just 104.4 miles short of the organization's 5,000-mile goal.

Thank you to everyone who participated and embraced the spirit of wellness. Every step taken was a step toward better health.



Walk of Fame



Top 10 Overall Walkers

1. Eric – 726,012 steps (363 miles)
2. Kim – 459,955 steps (230 miles)
3. Morgan – 420,387 steps (210.2 miles)
4. Maria – 392,247 steps (196.1 miles)
5. Samantha – 389,112 steps (195 miles)



6. Fred – 381,866 steps (191 miles)
7. Janet – 295,588 steps (148 miles)
8. Miguel – 279,444 steps (140 miles)
9. Christina – 279,337 steps (140 miles)
10. Chance – 277,913 steps (139 miles)

Rising Stars of Summer 2026

Learning, Growing, and Making an Impact

The Circuit Court Clerk's Office is excited to welcome our 2026 Summer Intern Class:

Elle • Brynlee • Alayna • Michaela • HannahMaria • Jacob

Gianni • Medrona • Ayden • Nori • Kenia • Leah



Elle



Brynlee



Alayna



Michaela



HannahMaria



Jacob



Gianni



Medrona



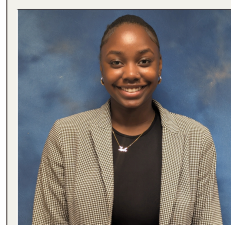
Ayden



Nori



Kenia



Leah

Already, this talented group has brought enthusiasm, fresh perspectives, and valuable support to our office as they gain firsthand experience in public service.

We are especially excited to welcome back **HannahMaria**, who has interned with us since 2024, along with **Brynlee** and **Kenia**, who returned for a second summer after spending time with us last fall. Their decision to continue their internship journey with our office reflects their dedication to learning, growth, and service.

We are grateful for the contributions each intern has already made and look forward to seeing all they accomplish this summer.



Honoring a Nashville Trailblazer

Senator Thelma Harper Highway Dedication Ceremony



On June 6, Clerk Day joined community leaders, elected officials, family members, and residents for the Senator Thelma Harper Highway Dedication Ceremony, commemorating the renaming of a portion of Clarksville Highway in honor of one of Nashville's most influential public servants.

The dedication serves as a lasting tribute to Senator Thelma Harper, a trailblazer, barrier-breaker, and tireless advocate for the people of Tennessee. A Nashville native, Senator Harper made history as one of the first African American women elected to the Tennessee State Senate, where she served for more than three decades.

Throughout her career, she championed issues affecting working families, seniors, children, and underserved communities, earning widespread respect for her unwavering commitment to public service.

Beyond her legislative accomplishments, Senator Harper became known for her deep connection to the community and her belief that government should work for everyone. Her legacy continues to be felt throughout Nashville through the countless lives she touched and the opportunities she helped create for future generations.

The renaming of Clarksville Highway stands as a meaningful reminder of Senator Harper's contributions to Nashville and the State of Tennessee. It ensures that future generations will recognize and remember a leader whose service, courage, and dedication helped shape the city we know today.

The Circuit Court Clerk's Office was honored to join the community in celebrating the life and legacy of a remarkable public servant whose impact will continue to inspire for years to come.

Trial Verdicts

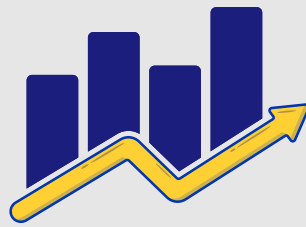
Jury Trials

WEEK OF MAY 11, 2026 NO TRIALS WENT FORWARD THIS WEEK							
CASE NUMBER	TYPE OF CASE	CT	π / Δ	CIRCUIT JUDGMENT	% FAULT	GS JUDGMENT	BY
WEEK OF MAY 18, 2026 NO TRIALS WENT FORWARD THIS WEEK							
CASE NUMBER	TYPE OF CASE	CT	π / Δ	CIRCUIT JUDGMENT	% FAULT	GS JUDGMENT	BY

Non-Jury Trials

MAY, 2026 NON-JURY TRIALS:							
SPECIALLY SET TRIALS:							
CASE NUMBER	TYPE OF CASE	CT	π / Δ	CIRCUIT JUDGMENT	DATE OF TRIAL	GS JUDGMENT	BY
26C820	GSA- Breach	5	Δ	Dismissed	05.04.26	Dismissed	π
23C145	Auto	2	π	\$300,000.00 A/G Δ	05.06.26		
26C749	GSA- Harassment	6	Δ	Dismissed	05.06.26	Dismissed	π

Department



Numbers

<u>Circuit Court</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>
New Civil Cases	390	1,878
Jury Demand	174	895
Non-Jury	134	577
New Divorce Cases Filed	137	728
Domestic Petitions Filed	13	41
Orders of Protection Filed	67	338
Orders of Protection Granted	20	114
Orders of Protection Dismissed	73	330
Judicial Committals Filed	14	58
New Adoption Petitions	3	26
Civil Cases Concluded	304	1,713
Jury Demand	181	953
Non-Jury	55	367
Divorce Cases Concluded	152	886
Domestic Petitions Concluded	8	44

<u>Probate</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Total New Cases Filed	190	1,006
Total Closed Cases	179	990
Petitions to Probate Will	64	347
Probate Will for Muniment of Title	7	41
Letters of Administration	44	184
Small Estate Affidavits	29	144
Conservatorship	38	225
Guardianship of Minor	1	15
Name Change	3	27
Trust Matters	2	15
Other Miscellaneous	2	8

<u>General Sessions</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Total New Cases Filed	4,388	21,895
Civil Warrants	2,236	13,589
Detainer Warrants	1,192	6,071
Recovery Warrants	8	41
Orders of Protection Petitions	347	1,579
Orders of Protection Granted	68	344
Orders of Protection Dismissed	256	1,140
Emergency Committals	416	2,301
Immediate Possession	1	2
Sue & Attach	2	3
Petitions to Interplead	0	1
Counter-Claims	8	47
Distress Warrants	120	2,530
Executions Issued	1,459	16,042
Garnishment Payments	5,818	26,652
Judgments Collected	\$2,037,115.47	\$9,494,321.25

<u>Traffic Violations Bureau</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Total Traffic Violations	8,653	43,472
Moving Citations	2,659	13,960
Parking Citations	5,994	29,512
Environmental Citations	368	2,358
Civil Misdemeanor Citations	3	13
Total Fines Collected	\$215,923	\$1,162,996.04
Nullifications	236	1,209
Nullification Fees Collected	\$2,830	\$14,515

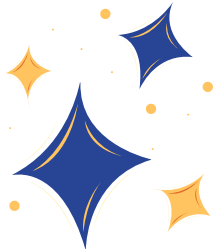


Congratulations to **Jannika Cobb** on reaching **5** years of service this month! Your dedication, hard work, and commitment have played a vital role in our organization's success. Thank you for being an invaluable part of our team!



Happy Birthday

- Ryan Johnson - June 3rd
- Sandra Perryman - June 3rd
- Raz Razoarreola - June 4th
- Stacey Plummer - June 8th
- Tatika Jones - June 10th
- Aaliyah Muller - June 14th
- Jannika Cobb - June 16th
- Mary Stephens - June 17th
- Romayne Scalf - June 19th
- Jonathan Nicholson - June 21st



Congratulations, Dominick!

The Circuit Court Clerk's Office is proud to celebrate **Dominick Cotton**, son of **Kiesha Bass**, on his graduation from Montgomery Bell Academy.

This fall, Dominick will attend **Tuskegee University** on both a University Merit Scholarship and a Band Scholarship, where he will major in Finance and join the prestigious Tuskegee Marching Band.

We congratulate Dominick on this incredible accomplishment and wish him continued success as he begins this exciting new chapter.



OUR OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED ON
FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 2026
IN OBSERVANCE OF

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**JUNE
TEENTH**

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WE WILL RESUME REGULAR BUSINESS
ON MONDAY, JUNE 22ND, AT 8:00 AM.



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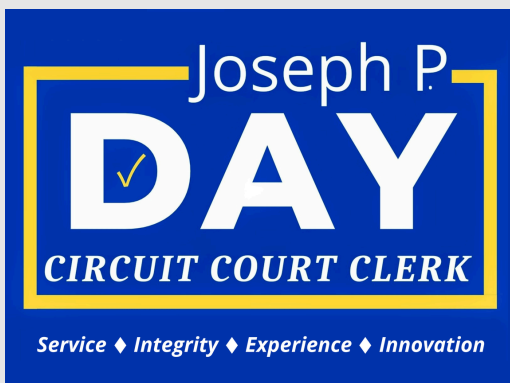
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