

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MOHAVE

**FILED BHC**  
FEB 29 2012  
VIRLYNN TINNELL  
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IN THE MATTER OF: )  
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REVISION OF CASE ASSIGNMENT )  
SYSTEM FOR MOHAVE COUNTY )  
SUPERIOR COURT )  
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**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**  
**2012-15**  
(Rescinds Administrative Order 2010-41)

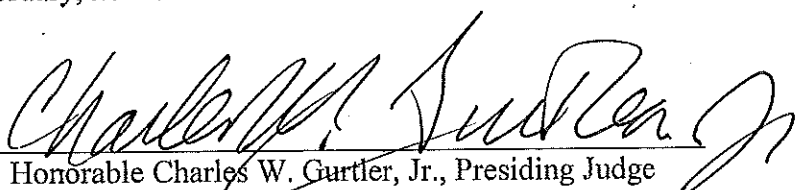
Following a review of the current case assignments and in order to ensure the effective administration of justice within the court, it is necessary to change case assignments accordingly. The judges have reviewed and agreed to the case assignment schedule outlined in the accompanying documents. Therefore,

**IT IS ORDERED** adopting the procedures and schedules outlined in the accompanying documents as the procedure for assignment of cases to the judicial officers in Mohave County Superior Court. The effective date of the changes will be March 1, 2012, with the exception of juvenile delinquency matters which will change as of May 1, 2012; and, Administrative Order 2010-41 is rescinded, pursuant to the effective dates set forth herein.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that contested orders of protection will be heard by the judge assigned to the underlying case, if any. It is only the initial filing that is covered by the case assignments. Additionally when the assigned Judge for an order of protection is not available the matter will be referred to another Judge according to the following schedule:

- Bullhead City: Judge Williams – Judge Roth
- Kingman: Judge Williams – Judge Weiss
- Lake Havasu City: Judge Weiss – Judge Roth

DATED this 29th day of February, 2012.

  
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Honorable Charles W. Gurtler, Jr., Presiding Judge  
Mohave County Superior Court

Original filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court in Mohave County

# CASE ASSIGNMENTS 2012

JUDGE	CASE CATEGORY	EFFECTIVE DATE	LOCATION	NOTES
Bartlett	GUARD/CONSER	March 1, 2012	LHC 100%	
	PROBATE	March 1, 2012	LHC 0,1,2,3,4	
	CIVIL	March 1, 2012	LHC 100% & KGM 4,5	LAPAZ conflict
	DOMESTIC	March 1, 2012	LHC 100%	OOPS, LAPAZ conflict
CARLISLE	CRIMINAL	March 1, 2012	40%	Fugitive and Prop 100
	JUV DEL	May 1, 2012	KGM 100%	Juv Drug Court & OOPS KGM 5,6,7,8,9
CONN	CRIMINAL	March 1, 2012	30%	Grand Jury
	CIVIL	March 1, 2012	KGM 3	
DAVIS	PROBATE	March 1, 2012	LHC 5,6,7,8,9, BHC 5,6,7,8,9	
GURTLER	CIVIL	March 1, 2012	BHC 100%, KGM 0,1,2	
	GUARD/CONSER	March 1, 2012	BHC ADULT 100%	
	PROBATE	March 1, 2012	BHC 0,1,2,3,4	
	TAX CASES	March 1, 2012	ALL	
JANTZEN	PROBATE	March 1, 2012	KGM 100%	
	GUARD/CONSER	March 1, 2012	KGM 100%	
	CIVIL	March 1, 2012	KGM 7,8,9	Lower Appeals, Civ Traf, Spec Act.
	MENTAL HEALTH	March 1, 2012	ALL	
ROTH	DOMESTIC	March 1, 2012	KGM 0,1,2,3,4,5,6	ALL IVD cases, OOPS KGM 0,1,2,3,4
	CIVIL	March 1, 2012	KGM 6	
WEISS	DOMESTIC	March 1, 2012	BHC 100%	OOPS BHC 100%
	JUV DEL	May 1, 2012	LHC 100%, BHC 100%	Juv Drug Court
	JUV DEP	March 1, 2012	ALL	
	MINOR GUARD/CONV	March 1, 2012	BHC 100%	
	ADOPTIONS	March 1, 2012	ALL	
WILLIAMS	CRIMINAL	March 1, 2012	30%	Adult Drug Ct & Lower Ct Appeals
	DOMESTIC	March 1, 2012	KGM 7,8,9	
	LAPAZ	March 1, 2012	ALL	Criminal/Conflict

NEW CASE ASSIGNMENT GUIDELINES

(Effective 3-1-12)

01	-	Williams	34	-	Conn	67	-	Williams
02	-	Conn	35	-	Carlisle	68	-	Carlisle
03	-	Carlisle	36	-	Conn	69	-	Williams
04	-	Conn	37	-	Williams	70	-	Carlisle
05	-	Carlisle	38	-	Carlisle	71	-	Williams
06	-	Conn	39	-	Williams	72	-	Conn
07	-	Williams	40	-	Carlisle	73	-	Carlisle
08	-	Carlisle	41	-	Williams	74	-	Conn
09	-	Williams	42	-	Conn	75	-	Carlisle
10	-	Carlisle	43	-	Carlisle	76	-	Conn
11	-	Williams	44	-	Conn	77	-	Williams
12	-	Conn	45	-	Carlisle	78	-	Carlisle
13	-	Carlisle	46	-	Conn	79	-	Williams
14	-	Conn	47	-	Williams	80	-	Carlisle
15	-	Carlisle	48	-	Carlisle	81	-	Williams
16	-	Conn	49	-	Williams	82	-	Conn
17	-	Williams	50	-	Carlisle	83	-	Carlisle
18	-	Carlisle	51	-	Williams	84	-	Conn
19	-	Williams	52	-	Conn	85	-	Carlisle
20	-	Carlisle	53	-	Carlisle	86	-	Conn
21	-	Williams	54	-	Conn	87	-	Williams
22	-	Conn	55	-	Carlisle	88	-	Carlisle
23	-	Carlisle	56	-	Conn	89	-	Williams
24	-	Conn	57	-	Williams	90	-	Carlisle
25	-	Carlisle	58	-	Carlisle	91	-	Williams
26	-	Conn	59	-	Williams	92	-	Conn
27	-	Williams	60	-	Carlisle	93	-	Carlisle
28	-	Carlisle	61	-	Williams	94	-	Conn
29	-	Williams	62	-	Conn	95	-	Carlisle
30	-	Carlisle	63	-	Carlisle	96	-	Conn
31	-	Williams	64	-	Conn	97	-	Williams
32	-	Conn	65	-	Carlisle	98	-	Carlisle
33	-	Carlisle	66	-	Conn	99	-	Williams
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Arraignments:            Conn        -        Monday  
                                 Carlisle    -        Thursday  
                                 Williams   -        TBA

The above assignment of cases to judges according to cause numbers will NOT apply in either of the following 2 circumstances:

1. A change of plea has been set before a specific judge and the Information is to be filed immediately before the hearing. Such case will be assigned to the judge before whom the change of plea is set regardless of the cause number.
2. A case where a defendant already has a pending criminal case in the Superior Court (including being on probation). Such case will be assigned to the judge who has the earlier case, regardless of the cause number.

To whatever extent possible, when cases are assigned contrary to the assignment guidelines, the Clerk's Office will attempt to "balance the assignment" of later cases so that each judge is assigned cases according to the following guidelines:

Conn	-	3 of 10	(30%)
Carlisle	-	4 of 10	(40%)
Williams	-	3 of 10	(30%)